# REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS TANGGAPAN NG SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD LUNGSOD NG BAKOLOD

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Excerpt from the journal of the 89<sup>th</sup> Regular Session of the 11<sup>th</sup> Council of the Sangguniang Panlungsod, City of Bacolod held on Thursday, March 14, 2024 at the Session Hall of Bacolod City Government Center.

#### PRESENT:

Vice Mayor El Cid M. Familiaran

Presiding Officer Floor Leader

Councilor Al Victor A. Espino

Councilor Jude Thaddeus A. Sayson

Councilor Israel P. Salanga

Councilor Cindy T. Rojas

Councilor Vladimir S. Gonzalez

Councilor Renecito S. Novero

Councilor Jason Isidro S. Villarosa

Councilor Claudio Jesus Raymundo A. Puentevella

Councilor Simplicia Z. Distrito

Councilor Psyche Marie E. Sy

Councilor Danna Marie C. Barzo

#### OFFICIAL TRAVEL:

Councilor Em L. Ang

## OFFICIAL LEAVEL:

Councilor Celia Matea R. Flor

Councilor Lady Gles Gonzales-Pallen

# RESOLUTION NO. 247 Series of 2024

RESOLUTION REQUESTING ALL PUNONG BARANGAYS OF BACOLOD CITY TO INFORM AND EDUCATE OUR CONSTITUENTS ON THE PROHIBITION OF OPEN BURNING UNDER REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9003 OR THE ECOLOGICAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT ACT, AS A WAY OF PREVENTING FIRE INCIDENTS.

Upon motion of Councilor Simplicia Z. Distrito, jointly seconded by Floor Leader Al Victor A. Espino and Councilor Claudio Jesus Raymundo A. Puentevella, the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Bacolod

**RESOLVED**, to pass the following resolution:

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the City Government to ensure the health and safety of its constituents:

WHEREAS, Section 48 of Republic Act No. 9003 or the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act indicates the open burning of solid waste as one of its prohibited acts;

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WHEREAS, a lot of our constituents in the City of Bacolod are still doing this illegal practice which is dangerous as it could cause fire and harmful also to our health;

WHEREAS, there were several incidents of fire that were caused by open burning of solid wastes that were mostly left unattended by the person who started it;

WHEREAS, in line with the observance of fire prevention month and with the occurrence of the El Nino phenomenon, it is necessary for our agencies and instrumentalities, particularly our barangays, to come up with fire prevention strategies in their respective communities and to inform our constituents that open burning can lead to disasters, harmful to health, and is prohibited by law.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to request all Punong Barangays of Bacolod City to inform and educate our constituents on the prohibition of open burning under Republic Act No. 9003 or The Ecological Solid Waste Management Act, as a way of preventing fire incidents.

## CARRIED BY THE VOTE OF:

Affirmative:

Councilors:

Jude Thaddeus A. Sayson, Israel P. Salanga, Cindy T. Rojas, Al Victor

A. Espino, Vladimir S. Gonzalez, Renecito S. Novero, Jason Isidro S. Villarosa, Claudio Jesus Raymundo A. Puentevella, Simplicia Z. Distrito,

Psyche Marie E. Sy, Danna Marie C. Barzo.

Negative:

None.

Comments:

Passed.

Vice Mayor

Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

ATTY. VICENTE C. PETIERRE II Secretary to the Sanggunian

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