

Republic of the Philippines  
PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN  
City of Tuguegarao

**SEVENTH CITY COUNCIL**

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION  
OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN  
HELD ON JULY 19, 2016, 9:00 A.M., TUESDAY,  
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II	City Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer
Hon. Danilo L. Baccay	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Jude T. Bayona	-do-
Hon. Keadrick S. Calubaquib	-do-
Hon. Maila Rosario T. Que	-do-
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay	-do-
Hon. Gilbert S. Labang	-do-
Hon. Winnoco R. Abraham	-do-
Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan	-do-
Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan	-do-
Hon. Raymond P. Guzman	-do-
Hon. Grace B. Arago	-do-
Hon. Anthony C. Tuddao	-do-
Hon. Jose Pedro G. Velasco	-do-

**CITY RESOLUTION NO. 104-2016**

**A RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR, HON. ATTY. JEFFERSON P. SORIANO, TO IMPLEMENT THE SAFE CLOSURE OF TUGUEGARAO CITY OPEN DUMPSITE SUBJECT TO EXISTING LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS AND TO PROVIDE RESIDUAL CONTAINMENT AREA, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF SUBJECT FURTHER TO THE SUBMISSION OF THE REHABILITATION PLAN AND ITS CORRESPONDING PROGRAM OF WORK**

**WHEREAS**, Article 6, Section 37 of Republic Act No. 9003, otherwise known as the "*Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000*", prohibits the use of open dumpsite for solid wastes, thus "*no open dumps shall be established and operated, nor any practice or disposal of solid wastes by any person including LGUs*";

**WHEREAS**, on July 4, 2016, a letter request from the City Mayor, Hon. Atty. Jefferson P. Soriano, addressed to the Seventh City Council through the City Vice Mayor, Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II, requested the August Body for the grant of authority to the City Mayor, Hon. Atty. Jefferson P. Soriano, to implement the safe closure of portion of the Tuguegarao City Dumpsite and its subsequent rehabilitation to Controlled Dumping Facility and appropriating funds thereof;

**WHEREAS**, it was recommended by EMB Regional Office No. 2, during the Joint Committee Meeting of the Committees on Climate Change, Environmental Protection and Ecology and Committee on Rules, Laws and Ethics held last July 11, 2016, that instead for the open dumpsite to be converted into a Controlled Facility, it shall be a residual containment area that should be provided.

**NOW THEREFORE, RESOLVE**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to grant authority to the City Mayor, Hon. Atty. Jefferson P. Soriano, to implement the safe closure of the Tuguegarao City Open Dumpsite subject to the submission of the rehabilitation plan and its corresponding Program of Work, subject further to the existing laws, rules and regulations and to provide residual containment area, and authorizing further the use of the funds in the existing continuing appropriation in the amount of Three Million Three Hundred Eighty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty Pesos and Sixty Nine Centavos (P3,387,720.59) appropriated for Landfill Development chargeable against 20% Development Fund.

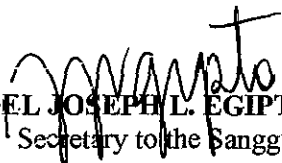
**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that funds shall be appropriated to augment the above-mentioned project in the annual or supplemental budget.

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, to furnish a copy of this Resolution to the City Mayor, Hon. Atty. Jefferson P. Soriano, for his information and appropriate action and to the DENR-EMB Regional Office No. 02, for their information and guidance.

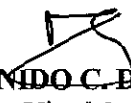
On motion of Hon. Raymond P. Guzman, duly seconded by Hon. Gilbert S. Labang and Hon. Kendrick S. Calubaquib and without any objection, **CITY RESOLUTION NO. 104-2016** was **UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED** under suspended rules.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

  
**JOEL JOSEPH L. EGIPTO, Ph.D.**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

  
**HON. BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II**  
City Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer

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