

## Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN City of Tuguegarao



#### SEVENTH CITY COUNCIL

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 22<sup>ND</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE SEVENTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN HELD ON JANUARY 10, 2017, 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. Kendrick 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, Raymund P. Guzman	-do-
Hon. Grace B. Arago	-do-
Hon. Anthony C. Tuddao	-do-
Hon. Jose Pedro G. Velasco	-do-

### CITY RESOLUTION NO. 003-2017

# A RESOLUTION SIGNIFYING THE INTENT OF THE TUGUEGARAO CITY GOVERNMENT TO BE A MEMBER OF THE LEAGUE OF ORGANIC AGRICULTURE COMPONENT CITIES IN THE PHILIPPINES (LOACC-PHILIPPINES, INC.)

WHEREAS, it is a policy of the State to increase agricultural productivity, enrich the fertility of the soil, reduce pollution and destruction of the environment, prevent depletion of natural resources and protect the health of the general public;

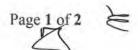
WHEREAS, Republic Act 10068 otherwise known as the "Organic Agriculture Act of 2010" advocates the promotion, propagation, development and further implementation of the practice of organic agriculture in the Philippines that will cumulatively condition and enrich the fertility of the soil, increase farm productivity, reduce pollution and destruction of the environment, prevent the depletion of natural resources, further protect the health of farmers, consumers, and the general public, and save on imported farm inputs;

WHEREAS, Joint Memorandum Circular No. 02 dated 15 January 2013 with the subject "Roles and Responsibilities of the Local Government Units (LGUs) in the Implementation of the National Organic Agriculture Program" issued by the Department of Agriculture and the Department of the Interior and Local Government enjoined all local government units as frontliners in implementation of R.A. 10068;

WHEREAS, there is a need to intensify efforts on timely implementation of the law to ensure food security and safety through agricultural production systems and techniques that are ecologically sound, economically viable, technically feasible and socially acceptable:

WHEREAS, the League of Organic Agriculture Component Cities in the Philippines (LOACC-Philippines, Inc.) is an organization of local chief executives that promotes the implementation of sustainable organic agriculture programs in the country;

WHEREAS, the Tuguegarao City Government intends to promote and develop organic agriculture in the city to increase agricultural productivity;



WHEREAS, there is a need for Tuguegarao City to be a member of the League of Organic Agriculture Component Cities in the Philippines (LOACC-Philippines, Inc.).

NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVED, as it is hereby RESOLVED, by the Seventh City Council of Tuguegarao, and by virtue of the powers vested to it by law, signifies its intent to be a member of the League of Organic Agriculture Component Cities in the Philippines (LOACC-Philippines, Inc.).

On motion of Hon. Winnoco R. Abraham and without any objection, CITY RESOLUTION 003-2017 was APPROVED in plenary under suspended rules.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

JOEL JOSEPH L. REMPO, Ph.B. Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

HON. BIENVEXIDO Q. DE GUZMAN II City Vice Mayor Presiding Officer

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