



Republic of the Philippines  
PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN  
City of Tuguegarao  
**EIGHTH CITY COUNCIL**



EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 53<sup>rd</sup> REGULAR SESSION  
OF THE EIGHTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN  
HELD ON AUGUST 11, 2020, TUESDAY, 9:00 A.M.,  
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II	City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Maila Rosario T. Que	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Gilbert S. Labang	-do-
Hon. Danilo L. Baccay	-do-
Hon. Ronald S. Ortiz	-do-
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay	-do-
Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan	-do- (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Grace B. Arago	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Raymund P. Guzman	-do-
Hon. Winnoco R. Abraham	-do-
Hon. Karina S. Gauani	-do-
Hon. Victor Herbert N. Perez	-do-
Hon. Gil G. Pagulayan	Ex Officio Member (Liga ng mga Barangay President)
Hon. Karen L. Taguinod	Ex Officio Member (SK Federation President)



ABSENT:

Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (on Leave)

**CITY ORDINANCE NO. 52-08-2020**

**AN ORDINANCE CONDONING ALL PENALTIES, SURCHARGES, INTERESTS  
AND OTHER FEES FOR THE LATE PAYMENT OF REAL PROPERTY TAX,  
BUSINESS TAX AND RENTALS OF STALLS AT THE TUGUEGARAO CITY  
COMMERCIAL CENTER AND PEOPLE'S GYMNASIUM  
FROM MARCH 20, 2020 UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 2020**

**WHEREAS**, the World Health Organization (WHO) declared on March 12, 2020 that COVID-19 has become a "pandemic";

**WHEREAS**, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte has issued Executive Order No. 922 declaring a State of Public Health Emergency due to novel corona virus disease (COVID-19) and subsequently ordered for the Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) of the entire Luzon;

**WHEREAS**, on March 16, 2020, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte declared a state of calamity in the Philippines for six months through Proclamation No. 929 as cases of the novel coronavirus in the country has continued to rise;

**WHEREAS**, on March 23, 2020, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte signed Republic Act No. 11469, otherwise known as "Bayanihan to Heal as One Act," An Act Declaring the Existence of a National Emergency arising from the Coronavirus Disease;

**WHEREAS**, in order to ease the burden of the affected constituents, the City Mayor, Hon. Atty. Jefferson, has requested the Eighth City Council for the enactment of an ordinance condoning all penalties, surcharges, interests and other fees for the late payment of Real Property Tax, Business Tax and Rentals of stalls at the Tuguegarao City Commercial Center (TCCC) and People's Gymnasium from March 20, 2020 until December 31, 2020;

**WHEREAS**, the Eighth City Council during its Regular Session held on August 11, 2020 deemed it proper, necessary and urgent to approve the herein request being beneficial to the concerned constituents of the City.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it **ORDAINED**, as it is hereby **ORDAINED**, by the Eighth City Council in Tuguegarao City, in session duly assembled to enact the following:

**Section 1. Title.** This Ordinance shall be referred to as *An Ordinance Condoning All Penalties, Surcharges, Interests and other fees for the late payment of Real Property Tax, Business Tax and Rentals of stalls at the Tuguegarao City Commercial Center and People's Gymnasium from March 20, 2020 until December 31, 2020.*

**Section 2. Declaration of Policy.** Paragraph z, Section 4 of Republic Act No. 11469, otherwise known as "Bayanihan to Heal as One Act," states that "*move statutory deadlines and times for the filing and submission of any document, the payment of taxes, fees, and other charges required by law, and the grant of any benefit, in order to ease the burden on individuals under Community Quarantine*";

**Section 3. Subject of Condonation.** This Ordinance shall condone all penalties, surcharges, interests and other fees for the late payment of Real Property Tax, Business Tax and Rentals of stalls at the Tuguegarao City Commercial Center and People's Gymnasium.

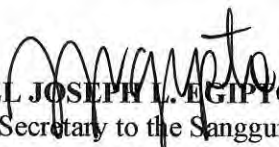
**Section 4. Period of Condonation.** The condonation shall be applicable from March 20, 2020 until December 31, 2020 only.

**Section 5. Separability Clause.** The provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be separable; in the event that one or more of the provisions are held illegal or unconstitutional, the validity of the other provisions shall not be affected.


**Section 6. Effectivity.** This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval and in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Code.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

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

ATTESTED:

  
**HON. BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II**  
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer  
Date: 08/12/20

APPROVED:

  
**HON. ATTY. JEFFERSON P. SORIANO**  
City Mayor  
Date: 08/18/20

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**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN**

August 19, 2020

**Dr. Rosalinda P. Callang**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian  
Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Cagayan  
Capitol Hills, Tuguegarao City



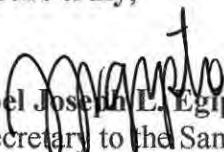
**Madam:**

Pursuant to Section 54 of the Local Government Code, we are now submitting for review and action the attached legislative measures enacted by the Eighth City Council of Tuguegarao City during their 53<sup>rd</sup> Regular Session held on August 11, 2020, to wit:

1. **CITY ORDINANCE NO. 51-08-2020 – “AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 46-08-2020 TITLED “AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING NEW CURFEW HOURS IN TUGUEGARAO CITY FROM 12 MIDNIGHT TO 4AM, PROVIDING EXEMPTIONS AND PENALTIES THEREFOR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”;**
2. **CITY ORDINANCE NO. 52-08-2020 – “AN ORDINANCE CONDONING ALL PENALTIES, SURCHARGES, INTERESTS AND OTHER FEES FOR THE LATE PAYMENT OF REAL PROPERTY TAX, BUSINESS TAX AND RENTALS OF STALLS AT THE TUGUEGARAO CITY COMMERCIAL CENTER AND PEOPLE’S GYMNASIUM FROM MARCH 20, 2020 UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 2020”;**
3. **CITY ORDINANCE NO. 53-08-2020 – “ORDINANCE RECLASSIFYING FROM AGRICULTURAL ZONE TO COMMERCIAL ZONE OF LOT NO. 2332 OF TCT NO. T-156798 COVERING AN AREA OF 4,488 SQUARE METERS LOCATED AT BUNTUN, TUGUEGARAO CITY”;** and,
4. **CITY ORDINANCE NO. 54-08-2020 – “ORDINANCE RECLASSIFYING FROM AGRICULTURAL ZONE TO INDUSTRIAL ZONE OF LOT NO. 2333-A, PSD-372237 BEING A PORTION OF LOT NO. 2333 OF TCT NO. 032-2016004421 COVERING AN AREA OF 3,348 SQUARE METERS LOCATED AT BUNTUN, TUGUEGARAO CITY”.**

Thank you.

Yours truly,

  
**Joel Joseph L. Egipto, Ph.D.**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian