



Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN
City of Tuguegarao

EIGHTH CITY COUNCIL



EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 61st REGULAR SESSION
OF THE EIGHTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN
HELD ON OCTOBER 20, 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 (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan	-do-
Hon. Gilbert S. Labang	-do-
Hon. Danilo L. Baccay	-do-
Hon. Ronaldo S. Ortiz	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan	-do-
Hon. Winnoco R. Abraham	-do-
Hon. Grace B. Arago	-do-
Hon. Raymund P. Guzman	-do-
Hon. Karina S. Gauani	-do-
Hon. Gil G. Pagulayan	-do-
Hon. Karen L. Taguinod	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 77-08-2020

**ORDINANCE INSTITUTIONALIZING THE
BIG BROTHER PROGRAM OF TUGUEGARAO CITY**

Sponsors: **Hon. Danilo L. Baccay**
Co-Sponsors: **Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II**
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WHEREAS, the Big Brother Program is one of the priority Programs, Projects and Activities (PPAs) in the Executive-Legislative Agenda 2019-2022;

WHEREAS, Tuguegarao City benefits from the services and revenues provided not only by its constituents but persons from other local government units in the form of: human resource, taxes paid to the city government, income earned by local business establishments and service providers, and operation of educational institutions and service-oriented entities;

WHEREAS, the City has developed and transformed into a progressive metropolis being the Capital of the Province of Cagayan, Regional Center of Region 02, Regional Economic Hub, and Academic Center;

WHEREAS, it is fitting for Tuguegarao City based on the social norm of the Principle of Reciprocity to extend or provide assistance to other local government units as a "Big Brother" gesture;

WHEREAS, Section 12 (c) (20) of R.A. 10121 mandates that the City Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (CLDRRMO) shall “Establish linkage/network with other LGUs for disaster and emergency response purposes”;

WHEREAS, other forms of assistance that shall be extended to other local government units are allowed as per COA Circular No. 2015-009 (Subsidy to LGUs);

WHEREAS, the Big Brother Program of Tuguegarao City will not in any way hamper the delivery of services to the people of Tuguegarao City and that in the said agreement under Rules of Implementation, it is manifested clearly that the same is observed;

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Tuguegarao City in session assembled to enact the following:

Section I. TITLE- This Ordinance shall be known as the “*Big Brother Program Ordinance of Tuguegarao City, Cagayan.*”

Section II. COVERAGE – This Ordinance shall apply to LGU-Tuguegarao City and to other LGUs and shall cover the assistance it shall extend to other Local Government Units.

Section III. AUTHORIZATION.

- (1) there shall be an assistance program to other Local Government Units to be known as Big Brother Program of Tuguegarao City.
- (2) The Big Brother Program of Tuguegarao City is hereby institutionalized and the Tuguegarao City Government is authorized to extend assistance to other Local Government Units. The assistance that shall be extended may be material, technical or financial in nature.
- (3) The Big Brother Program of Tuguegarao City shall focus on the following areas of concern:
 1. Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (Disaster Preparedness, Relief and Rescue Operations)
 2. Health and Sanitation
 3. Environment
 4. Education
 5. Peace and Order
 6. Tourism
 7. Agriculture
 8. Infrastructure Support
- (4) There shall be a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) to be entered into between the Tuguegarao City Government and other LGU beneficiaries. The City Mayor is hereby authorized to sign the MOA in behalf of Tuguegarao City subject to the concurrence of the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Tuguegarao City.

Section IV. IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATION (IRR) – The City Mayor shall adopt within 30 days upon approval of this ordinance an IRR for the smooth and efficient implementation of this ordinance.

Section V. FUNDING – Assistance on disaster preparedness, relief and rescue operations shall be charged against the City Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Fund (CLDRRMF) of Tuguegarao City and other forms of assistance shall be charged against subsidy to LGU account under the Annual Budget or Supplemental Budget of Tuguegarao City.

Section VI. ACCOUNTABILITY – All disbursements shall be in accordance with existing laws and guidelines subject to usual auditing and accounting rules and regulations.

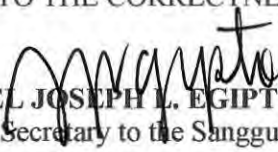
Section VII. REPEALING CLAUSE. All existing ordinances and local issuances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

Section VIII. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. Should any portion of this Ordinance be declared unconstitutional or illegal by any court or competent jurisdiction, the portions not so declared shall remain in full force and effect.

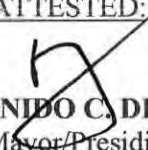
Section IX. EFFECTIVITY – This Ordinance shall take effect upon approval.

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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
Date: _____

APPROVED:


HON. ATTY. JEFFERSON P. SORIANO
Date: 10/23/20

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