



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



EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 67th REGULAR SESSION
 OF THE EIGHTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN
 HELD ON DECEMBER 15, 2020, 9:00 A.M., TUESDAY,
 AT THE SANGGUNIAN 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. Gilbert S. Labang	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Danilo L. Baccay	-do-
Hon. Ronaldo S. Ortiz	-do-
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay	-do-
Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Winnoco R. Abraham	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Grace B. Arago	-do-
Hon. Raymund P. Guzman	-do-
Hon. Karina S. Gauani	-do-
Hon. Gil G. Pagulayan	Ex Officio Member
Hon. Karen L. Taguinod	-do-

ABSENT:

Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
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CITY RESOLUTION NO. 276-08-2020

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) BETWEEN THE TUGUEGARAO CITY GOVERNMENT AND THE BUREAU OF FISHERIES AND AQUATIC RESOURICES, REGIONAL OFFICE NO. 02 ON THE BACKYARD AQUAPONICS PILOT PROJECT UNDER AHON LAHAT, PAGKAING SAPAT KONTRA SA COVID-19 (ALPAS SA COVID-19) AND GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR, HON. ATTY. JEFFERSON P. SORIANO, TO SIGN AND CONCUR FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF TUGUEGARAO CITY THE SAID MOA

WHEREAS, one of the most basic human needs and rights is to be given equal access to an adequate supply of food even amidst difficult situations or circumstances;

WHEREAS, in response with this right, the National Government through its concerned agencies in partnership with local government units continuously work to maintain the supply and accessibility of food to everyone;

WHEREAS, the Philippines is greatly affected by COVID-19 outbreak for which different provinces and cities have recorded local and community transmissions thereby affecting the economic lives of the people in the community;

WHEREAS, in view of the growing concerns on the threat of COVID-19 on food security, the Department of Agriculture has requested a supplemental budget of 31 billion to finance the implementation of the **Ahon Lahat, Pagkaing Sapat Kontra COVID-19 (ALPAS sa COVID-19) Program**;

WHEREAS, in line with the ALPAS COVID-19 Program which aims to immediately mobilize assistance and support to the farmers, fishers, farm workers and producers, the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) will implement Fishery Resiliency Projects such as backyard aquaponics to increase fisheries production as a support to the Food Security Program of the government to mitigate the threat of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, considering that the Local Government of Tuguegarao City is the strongest partner of the National Government in the implementation of various programs and projects geared towards providing food and increasing income of the fisherfolk, there is an urgent need for the city to formalize such partnership through a Memorandum of Agreement;

WHEREAS, the City Mayor, Hon. Atty. Jefferson P. Soriano, indorsed to the Eighth City Council the said MOA and requested to grant him an authority to sign for and on behalf of the Tuguegarao City Government the said MOA;

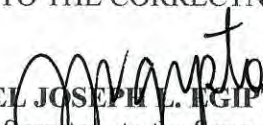
WHEREAS, the Eighth City Council during its 67th Regular Session held on December 15, 2020 found the terms and conditions of the Memorandum of Agreement to be in order, with merit and beneficial to the constituents of the City;

NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVE, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to approve the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the Tuguegarao City Government and the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) , Regional Office No. 02, on the Backyard Aquaponics Pilot Project under the **Ahon Lahat, Pagkaing Sapat Kontra COVID-19 (ALPAS SA COVID-19)** and granting authority to the City Mayor, Hon. Atty. Jefferson P. Soriano, to sign and concur for and on behalf of the Local Government Unit of Tuguegarao City the said MOA.


On joint motion, **CITY RESOLUTION NO. 274-08-2020** 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
Date: 12/15/2020

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