



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



EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 80<sup>th</sup> REGULAR SESSION  
 OF THE EIGHTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN  
 HELD ON MARCH 23, 2021, 9:00 A.M., TUESDAY,  
 AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II	City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer
Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Gilbert S. Labang	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Danilo L. Baccay	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Ronaldo S. Ortiz	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay	-do-
Hon. Winnoco R. Abraham	-do-
Hon. Grace B. Arago	-do-
Hon. Raymund P. Guzman	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Karina S. Gauani	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Victor V. Perez	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Gil G. Pagulayan	Ex Officio Member
Hon. Karen L. Taguinod	-do-

**ABSENT:**

Hon. Maila Rosario T. Que	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (on Sick Leave)

**CITY RESOLUTION NO. 142-08-2021**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) BETWEEN AND AMONG THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN STATE UNIVERSITY, UNIVERSITY OF SAINT LOUIS AND DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY – REGIONAL OFFICE NO. 2 (DOST-RO2), AND GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR, HON. ATTY. JEFFERSON P. SORIANO, TO SIGN FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF TUGUEGARAO CITY THE SAID MOA**

**WHEREAS**, Section 455 of Republic Act 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that local chief executives shall represent the City in all its business transactions and sign in its behalf all bonds, contracts and obligations, and such other documents upon authority of the Sangguniang Panlungsod or pursuant to law or ordinance;

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the above provision, the City Mayor, Hon. Atty. Jefferson P. Soriano, continuously enters into contracts with different government and non-government agencies in order to strengthen City’s partnerships and collaborations with the end-goal of improving its services to the people;

**WHEREAS**, to realize the said goal, the Local Government of Tuguegarao City shall partner with the Cagayan State University, Tuguegarao City, University of Saint Louis, Tuguegarao City and the Department of Science and Technology (DOST), Regional Office No. 02, for its Smart City Framework for Local Government Units recommending science, technology and innovation (STI) to address smart solutions to challenges in health, agriculture, traffic and transport, disaster and others, particularly focusing on the Tuguegarao Smarter City Roadmap;

**WHEREAS**, Tuguegarao City is named as one of the twenty-five (25) digital cities in the country which have the potential of becoming Smart Cities;



**WHEREAS**, in order to make the said partnership legally binding, there is a need for a Memorandum of Agreement to be signed by the Local Government Unit of Tuguegarao City, Cagayan State University, University of Saint Louis and DOST;

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

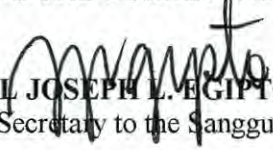
**WHEREAS**, the Eighth City Council during its 80<sup>th</sup> Regular Session held on March 23, 2021 found the terms and conditions of the Memorandum of Agreement to be in order, with merit and beneficial to the constituents of the City;

**NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVE**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to approve the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the Local Government Unit of Tuguegarao City, Cagayan State University, University of Saint Louis and the Department of Science and Technology (DOST), Regional Office No. 02 and granting authority to the City Mayor, Hon. Atty. Jefferson P. Soriano, to sign for and on behalf of the Local Government Unit of Tuguegarao City the said MOA.


On joint motion, **CITY RESOLUTION NO. 142-08-2021** was **APPROVED** under suspended rules.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

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

ATTESTED:

  
**HON. BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II**  
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer  
Date: 03/24/21

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