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BATANGAS CITY

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ORDINANCE NO. 7 S. 2021

AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE CITY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL
IN THE CITY OF BATANGAS, DEFINING ITS OBJECTIVES, FUNCTIONS,
COMPOSITIONS AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS THEREOF AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES

SPONSORED BY COUN. MARJORIE A. MANALO
SK FEDERATION PRESIDENT

WHEREAS, Section 23 of the Republic Act No. 10742 mandates the creation of Local Youth Development Council (LYDC) in every province, city and municipality which shall be called Provincial Youth Development Council, City Youth Development Council and Municipal Development, respectively;

WHEREAS, the City of Batangas acknowledges the vital role of the youth in nation building;

WHEREAS, the creation of Local Youth Development Council will be the enabling mechanism for meaningful youth participation through the mutual coordination of the Local Youth Development Council (LYDC) and the Sangguniang Kabataan in the City of Batangas;

NOW BE IT ORDAINED, AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas City, in session assembled that:

SECTION 1. TITLE. – This ordinance shall be known as “An Ordinance Creating the City Youth Development Council in the City of Batangas, Defining its Objectives, Functions, Compositions and Appropriate Funds Thereof and For Other Purposes.”

SECTION 2. DECLARATION OF POLICY. – It is declared policy of City of Batangas to promote and protect the physical, moral, spiritual, intellectual and social well-being of Filipino Youth, inculcating in them patriotism and nationalism and encourage their involvement in public and civic affairs.

SECTION 3. DEFINITION OF TERMS – As used in this Ordinance, the following terms shall mean:

- (1) **Youth** - refers to those persons whose ages range from fifteen (15) to thirty (30) years old as defined in Republic Act No. 8044. For the purpose of targeted programming for the youth, the age disaggregation shall be considered:

15-17 – child youth

18-24 – core youth

25-30 – adult youth

- (2) **In-School-Youth** – refers to youth attending either formal schools or non-school-based educational programs under institutions recognized by the State.



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- (3) **Out-of-School-Youth** – refers to youth not enrolled in any formal or vocational school, not employed or self-employed, and are not college or technical/vocational school graduates.
- (4) **Working Youth** – refers to youth who are either employed, self-employed, under employed or belong to specific employable job seeking youth groups (such as graduates of tertiary or vocational schools, or those who previously were employed and are actively looking for work) both in the formal and informal sectors of the society.
- (5) **Youth with Specific Needs** – refers to youth marginalized by existing societal forces, namely: youth in indigenous cultural communities, youth with disabilities, youth in situations of armed conflict, victims of natural disasters and calamities, youth offenders, delinquent youth, drug-dependent youth, street youth, abused/exploited youth and abandoned/neglected youth.
- (6) **Youth Organizations** – refers to those organizations whose membership or composition are youth.
- (7) **Youth-Serving Organizations** – refers to those registered organizations whose principal programs, projects and activities are youth-oriented and youth-related, and whose composition are not limited to the youth. The organization shall be duly-recognized or accredited either by proper national or local government registering entities.
- (8) **Commission** – refers to the National Youth Commission created under Republic Act No. 8044.
- (9) **Local Youth Development Plan (LYDP)** – refers to the City Youth Development Plan as initially drafted by the Sangguniang Kabataan (SK) Pederasyon, finalized by the City Youth Development Council and approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod. LYDP shall be anchored on the Philippine Youth Development Plan (PYDP) and the local development plans of the Province of Batangas.
- (10) **Philippine Youth Development Plan (PYDP)**- refers to the comprehensive national plan expressing the convergence efforts of the different youth-serving national agencies, civil society organizations and youth organizations designed to promote the general welfare, development and empowerment of the youth, in preparation for their vital role in nation-building.



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- (11) **Non-traditional media** – refers to websites, short and multi-media messaging system, social media platforms and other media not considered traditional.
- (12) **Traditional media** – refers to advertisements and announcements on bulletin boards, newspapers, magazines, tabloids, periodicals, radio, television and other similar media.

SECTION 4. CITY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL – There shall be a created City Youth Development Council in Batangas City which shall be responsible for the formulation of policies and implementation of youth development programs, projects and activities in coordination with various government and non-government organizations. The City Youth Development Council shall be headed by the SK Pederasyon President and composed of representatives of youth and youth-serving organizations in the City level. The City Youth Development Council shall assist the planning and execution of projects and programs of the SK and the Pederasyon.

SECTION 5. OBJECTIVES – The Batangas City Youth Development Council shall have the following objectives:

- a. To develop and harness the full potential of the youth as responsible partners in nation building.
- b. To encourage intensive and active participation of youth in all government, non-government programs, projects and activities affecting them.
- c. To broaden and strengthen the service provided by the national government agencies, local government units and private agencies to young people.
- d. To provide information mechanism on youth opportunities on the areas of education, employment, livelihood, physical and mental health capability and networking.

SECTION 6. COMPOSITION OF THE COUNCIL – The City Youth Development Council shall be composed of at least ten (10) but not more than twenty-one (21) members including the two (2) core members from the SK. The two (2) core members shall be the president and the vice-president of the SK Panlungsod Pederasyon and shall be supported by at least eight (8) but not more than nineteen (19) other representatives from registered youth organizations or youth-serving organizations, provided that all other incumbent SK officials shall not be eligible as members of the City Youth Development Council.

SECTION 7. QUALIFICATIONS OF THE MEMBERS OF THE CYDC – A member of the CYDC must be a citizen of the Philippines, a resident of Batangas City for not less than one



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year immediately preceding the day of the election of the CYDC. He/She should be at least fifteen (15) years old, but not more than thirty (30) years old on the day of the election of the Council, able to read and write Filipino or English and must not have been convicted by final judgement of any crime involving moral turpitude.

SECTION 8. DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS OF THE CITY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL – The CYDC shall discharge the following duties and functions:

- (1) To serve as the core of the advocacy on youth participation in nation-building and youth empowerment;
- (2) To formulate policies and component programs in coordination with the various government agencies handling youth-related programs, projects and activities;
- (3) To develop and provide support for the development and coordination of youth projects and designed strategies to gain support and participation of the youth;
- (4) To recommend youth programs and project proposals to appropriate government agencies and non-government organizations necessary for the accomplishment of the objectives of this ordinance;
- (5) Finalize the three (3) Year CYDP that is anchored in the PYDP and the development plans of the Province of Batangas.

The CYDP shall be initially drafted by the SK Pederasyon and shall be finalized by the City Youth Development Council. This shall be submitted to the City Mayor for inclusion in the Local Development Plan and subsequently endorsed to the Sangguniang Panlungsod for approval. These plan shall give priority to programs, projects and activities that will promote and ensure the meaningful youth participation in nation-building sustainable youth development and empowerment, equitable access to quality education, environmental protection, climate change adaptation, disaster risk reduction and resiliency, youth employment and livelihood, health and anti-drug abuse, gender sensitivity, social protection, capability building and sports development.

- (6) Monitor and evaluate the implementation of the City Youth Development Plan; and
- (7) Perform such other function as may be prescribed by law or ordinance.



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SECTION 9. SECRETARIAT – The Secretariat of the CYDC shall be the City Council for Youth Affairs (CCYA) which shall provide technical assistance to the CYDC. Communications to other agencies within and outside of the CYDC shall also be a function of the Secretariat.

SECTION 10. MEETINGS AND QUORUM

- (1) The City Youth Development Council shall schedule a meeting every quarter, and as often as needed. However, if the president or the vice president of the SK Pederasyon fails to convene the CYDC as scheduled, at least one-third of the total membership of the CYDC may call for a meeting. In both instances, a written notice shall be sent, either through traditional or non-traditional means, to all members setting the date, time, place and agenda of the meeting which must be received at least two (2) days in advance.
- (2) The presence of the majority of all members of the CYDC shall constitute a quorum.

SECTION 11. LOCAL REGISTRATION OF YOUTH ORGANIZATION AND YOUTH SERVING ORGANIZATION – All youth organizations and youth serving organizations, with a minimum number of ten (10) members in good standing and which are operating in Batangas City shall register with the City Youth Development Office.

Youth and youth-serving organizations registered in other national government agencies shall also be recognized as registered organizations by the City Youth Development Office, provided that the organization is based and/or operates in the province/city/municipality.

SECTION 12. LOCAL VERIFICATION OF YOUTH ORGANIZATION AND YOUTH-SERVING ORGANIZATION – The designated personnel or agencies shall verify the registration information provided by these organizations. The CYDO shall send a list of registered and verified youth organizations and youth serving organizations to the National Youth Commission.

SECTION 13. RENEWAL, VERIFICATION AND CONTINUING LOCAL REGISTRATION – Registered youth and youth-serving organizations shall renew their local registration and verification every three years. The CYDO shall conduct a continuing registration procedure taking into consideration the budgetary and manpower requirements and the presence of youth and youth-serving organizations.



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SECTION 14. CONVENING OF THE CITY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

– The duly-elected president and vice president of the Panlungsod na Pederasyon ng mga SK shall automatically become members of the CYDC. The SK Pederasyon president, or in her/his absence, the vice president shall convene the council and shall preside over all its meetings.

SECTION 15. APPROPRIATIONS – The Batangas City Government shall incorporate in its annual budget such amount as may be necessary for the operation and effective functioning of the City Youth Development Council.

SECTION 16. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. – If, for any reason or reasons, any part or provisions of this ordinance shall be held to be unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 17. REPEALING CLAUSE. - All previous ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance shall be deemed repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 18. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.

ENACTED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod this 27th day of April, 2021.

ATTY. OLIVA D. TELEGATOS
Secretary

ATTESTED:

EMILIO FRANCISCO A. BERBERABE JR.
Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

BEVERLEY ROSE A. DIMACUHA
City Mayor

Date Approved: MAY 17 2021

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**EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION HELD BY THE
MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF BATANGAS CITY
ON APRIL 27, 2021 VIA ZOOM APPLICATION**

PRESENT:

Hon. Emilio Francisco A. Berberabe Jr.,	Presiding Officer
Hon. Alyssa Renee A. Cruz,	Councilor
Hon. Aileen Grace A. Montalbo,	“
Hon. Nestor E. Dimacuha,	“
Hon. Karlos Emmanjuel A. Buted,	“
Hon. Gerardo A. Dela Roca,	“
Hon. Oliver Z. Macatangay,	“
Hon. Nelson J. Chavez,	“
Hon. Julian B. Villena,	“
Hon. Michael Thomas T. Pastor,	“
Hon. Isidra “Ched” M. Atienza,	“
Hon. Maria Aleth A. Lazarte,	“
Hon. Lorenzo A. Gamboa, Jr.,	“
Hon. Angelito “Dondon” A. Dimacuha,	ABC-Rep.
Hon. Marjorie A. Manalo,	SK-Fed. Pres.

“On motion of Councilor Cruz seconded by Councilor Nestor Dimacuha, the following Resolution was Adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 120 S. 2021

ADOPTING THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS AND APPROVING ON SECOND AND FINAL READING ORDINANCE CREATING THE CITY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL IN THE CITY OF BATANGAS, DEFINING ITS OBJECTIVES, FUNCTIONS, COMPOSITION AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

RESOLVED, to adopt the report of the Committee on Laws, Rules and Regulations and approving on Second and Final Reading the ordinance entitled: “An Ordinance Creating the City Youth Development Council in the City of Batangas, Defining its Objectives, Functions, Composition and Appropriate Funds Thereof and for Other Purposes.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.”

Continuation of Resolution No. 120 S. 2021

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 120 S. 2021 was approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas City during its Regular Session held on April 27, 2021.


ATTY. IVY AUDREY D. TELEGATOS-FAMPO
Board Secretary I

NOTED: 
ATTY. OLIVA D. TELEGATOS
Secretary

ATTESTED: 
EMILIO FRANCISCO A. BERBERABE, JR.
Presiding Officer



THE COMMITTEE ON LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS

COMMITTEE REPORT

PROPOSED ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE CITY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL IN THE CITY OF BATANGAS, DEFINING ITS OBJECTIVES, FUNCTIONS, COMPOSITIONS AND APPROPRIATE FUNDS THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

COMMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS

The subject request for the passage of an ordinance was referred to the Committee on Laws, Rules and Regulations for its consideration during the Regular Session on April 20, 2021 while its title and whereases were approved on the same date.

In order to adapt to the mandate of R.A. 10742, Section 23, the creation of Local Youth Development Council (LYDC) in the city is hereby created to enable mechanisms for meaningful youth participation through the mutual coordination on the of Local Youth Development Council (LYDC) and Sangguniang Kabataan in the City of Batangas.

Considering no legal impediment with the subject request and that the said request would be beneficial to the Youth of Batangas City, the Committee hereby recommends:

1. The adoption of this Committee Report.
2. The approval of the said Ordinance for Second and Final Reading in today's regular session.

Respectfully submitted, April 27, 2021

THE COMMITTEE ON LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS

COUNCILOR ALYSSA RENEE A. CRUZ

Chairperson

COUN. GERARDO A. DELA ROCA
Member

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Member

COUN. JULIAN B. VILLENA
Member

COUN. NELSON J. CHAVEZ
Member