



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Bulacan
City of Malolos

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF MALOLOS HELD AT BULWAGANG DON RAMON G. DE LEON OF THE CITY OF MALOLOS ON MARCH 05, 2020.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

HON. NOEL G. PINEDA	City Vice Mayor
	Presiding Officer
HON. FRANCISCO J. CASTRO	City Councilor
HON. NIÑO CARLO C. BAUTISTA	"
HON. KIRK LOUIS NICOLAS	"
HON. MICHAEL M. AQUINO	"
HON. ENRICO C. CAPULE	"
HON. DENNIS D. SAN DIEGO	"
HON. EMMANUEL R. SACAY	"
HON. EDGARDO F. DOMINGO	"
HON. LUIS ALFONSO M. ARCEGA	"
HON. MIGUEL CARLOS B. SOTO	"
HON. PATRICK S. DELA CRUZ	SK President
HON. DIONISIO C. MENDOZA	ABC President

ALL MEMBERS PRESENT:

CITY RESOLUTION NO. 31-2020

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING FOR THE BENEVOLENT SUPPORT OF DR. PERSIDA V. RUEDA-ACOSTA, DSD, CHIEF-PUBLIC ATTORNEY, REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES, THRU ATTY. JAN STEVEN S. DUNUAN DIRECTOR REGIONAL OFFICE III FOR THE OPENING OF ANOTHER DISTRICT OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC ATTORNEY'S OFFICE FOR THE CONSTITUENTS OF MALOLOS TOWN PROPER FOR BETTER LEGAL SERVICES OF MALOLOS CONSTITUENTS.

AUTHORED BY: HON. DENNIS D. SAN DIEGO, HON. MICHAEL M. AQUINO, HON. EMMANUEL R. SACAY, HON. LUIS ALFONSO M. ARCEGA AND HON. PATRICK S. DELA CRUZ

WHEREAS, the Public Attorney's Office (PAO) plays a vital role in providing free legal services to the people, particularly the indigent litigants or respondents, oppressed and marginalized members of the society;

WHEREAS, the Public Attorney's Office provides free legal representation in court and quasi-judicial agencies;

WHEREAS, the Public Attorney's Office - Malolos District currently services all Regional Trial Court clients from the whole Province of Bulacan and in addition it also serves the residents of five (5) municipalities and their respective Municipal Trial Courts, particularly: Balagtas, Guiguinto, Hagonoy, Paombong and Pulilan;

WHEREAS, the PAO - Malolos District also provides lawyers to thirty (30) Regional Trial Courts, particularly Regional Trial Courts Branch 5-FC-SCJDM, Branch 4-FC-Malolos, Branch 103, Branch 76, Branch 84, Branch 17, Branch 85, Branch 83, Branch 18, Branch 7, Branch 16, Branch 9, Branch 12, Branch 11, Branch 78, Branch 79, Branch 21, Branch 10, Branch 13, Branch 22, Branch 20, Branch 14, Branch 15, Branch 80, Branch 82, Branch 6, Branch 8, Branch 77, Branch 81 and Branch 19;

WHEREAS, the City of Malolos has two (2) Municipal Trial Courts in Cities, particularly MTCC Branch 1 and MTCC Branch 2, one (1) Regular Court particularly RTC Branch 103, and one (1) Family Court particularly RTC Branch 4;

WHEREAS, the resident Public Attorneys appearing in the above-mentioned courts are only detailed therein from PAO - Malolos District;

WHEREAS, the City of Malolos is currently comprised of fifty-one (51) barangays, six (6) are coastal barangays and has a total population of 252,074;

WHEREAS, the numerous indigent residents of the City of Malolos who seek for legal assistance will have to share the limited time of the assigned Public Attorney to them;

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WHEREAS, to further assist and aid in the needs of indigent residents from the City of Malolos in their legal problems and to ease the load of PAO - Malolos District, the establishment of a PAO at the downtown area of the City of Malolos would be of significant help;

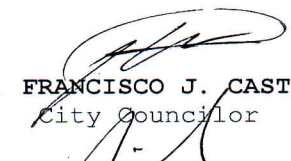
WHEREAS, the City Government, as a gesture of its sincerity in bringing the free legal services of PAO closer to the people, is willing to provide for its initial operations free office space, supplies and vital utilities if such humble request is granted;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Hon. Dennis D. San Diego, duly seconded by all Members present,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Malolos to request for the benevolent support of Dr. Persida V. Rueda-Acosta, DSD, Chief-Public-Attorney, Republic of the Philippines, thru Atty. Steven S. Dunuan, Director, Regional Office III, for the establishment of Public Attorney's Office in the downtown area of the City of Malolos, Bulacan.

RESOLVED FURTHER, to furnish copy of this Resolution to the office of Atty. Jan Steven S. Dunuan, Director Regional Office III, for his support and guidance.

APPROVED.


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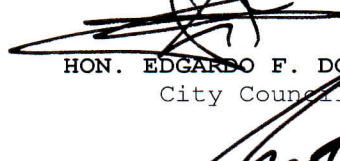

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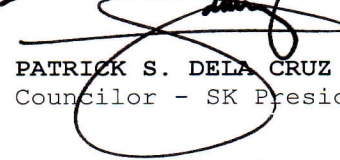

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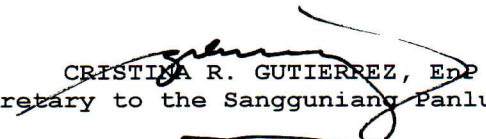

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the aforementioned City Resolution was duly approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Malolos.


CRISTINA R. GUTIERREZ, EnD
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED BY:


HON. NOEL C. PINEÑA
City Vice Mayor - Presiding Officer