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RESOLUTION NO. 2024-80

“EXPRESSING SUPPORT, LOVE AND RESPECT FOR LGBTQ+ BUSTOS, SAMAHAN NG IKATLONG LAHI NG BUSTOS AND MEMBERS OF THE LGBTQ+ COMMUNITY WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BUSTOS IN CELEBRATION OF PRIDE MONTH 2024.”

Motioned by:

Juliet DJ. Dela Cruz
Chairperson

Committee on Gender, Women and Family

Authored by:

Councilor Marie Niña Nikkie Perez, MA
Chairperson

*Committee on Arts, Culture and Tourism
and*

SK Federation President Kyle Gabrielle DR. Navarro
Chairperson

Committee on Youth, Children, Games, and Sports

WHEREAS, Section 11, Article II of the 1987 Philippine Constitution states that the State values the dignity of every human person and guarantees full respect for human rights;

WHEREAS, Section 1(a), Article XIII of the 1987 Philippines states that the enactment of measures that protect and enhance the right of the people to human dignity, reduce social, economic, and political inequalities, and remove cultural inequities shall be given highest priority;

WHEREAS, the Philippines is signatory to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, Convention of Civil and Political Rights;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of the Local Government Code (RA 7160) mandates every local government unit shall to promote the general welfare of the people, shall ensure and support, among other things, the

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preservation and enrichment of culture, promote health and safety, enhance the right of the people to a balanced ecology, encourage and support the development of appropriate and self-reliant scientific and technological capabilities, improve public morals, enhance economic prosperity and social justice, promote full employment among their residents, maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2017-13 of the Municipality of Bustos prohibits all forms of discrimination on the basis of age, civil status, gender identity, physical disability, religion, political orientation, and those diagnosed with human immunodeficiency virus/aids;

WHEREAS, June is widely-celebrated as Pride month all over the world to promote freedom and equality among lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer members (LGBTQ+) of society.

THEREFORE, endorsed by **HONORABLE JULIET DJ. DELA CRUZ**, and unanimously agreed upon by all the members present.

RESOLVED, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, That the Municipality of Bustos renews its commitment to promote, respect and protect human rights built on the fundamental principle of freedom, justice, equality and love for mankind, and remove all forms of discrimination and gender-based violence;

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Municipality of Bustos vows to strengthen its efforts to recognize, respect, support, and protect recognize the rights of LGBTQ+ members;

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Municipality of Bustos recognizes the efforts of LGBTQ+ organizations in the advancing the rights and welfare of the LGBTQ+ community towards the preservation and enrichment of the rich and vibrant culture of Bustos, Bulacan, promotion of health and safety of young Bustosenyos in raising awareness to certain causes like HIV/AIDS prevention, mental health issues, providing safe spaces and eliminating all forms of gender-based violence, among others.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Municipality of Bustos declares the entire month of June as the annual celebration of "Bustos Pride Month" and shall initiate and support programs and activities to advance the rights and welfare of the LGBTQ+ community of Bustos, Bulacan.

RESOLVED FINALLY, That strongly urges the Bustos Municipal Social Welfare Development Office, the Municipal Planning and Development Office, the Municipal Budget Office, and Public Employment Service Office, Municipal Health Office, Gender and Development Focal Point System Committee and other executive offices to include and

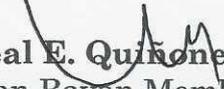
prioritize programs and activities protecting, promoting and enhancing the rights and welfare of the LGBTQ+ community, including the funding thereof, in the Annual Investment Program/Plan and/or Annual Budget of the Municipality of Bustos in accordance with Ordinance No. 2017-13.

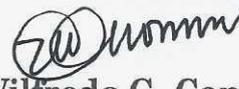
RESOLVED FURTHER, That the LGBTQ+ organizations in Bustos be given a printed copy of this Resolution in line with the celebration of the 2024 Pride Month.

APPROVED and ADOPTED, 24th of June, 2024 at at the Amado Raymundo Session Hall.


Marie Nina Nilkte Perez, MA
Sanggunian Bayan Member

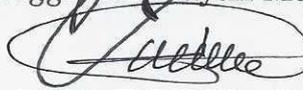

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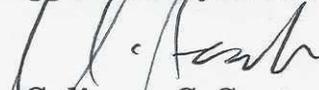

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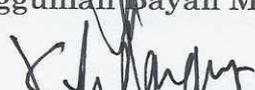

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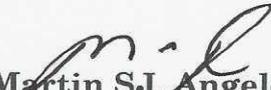

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CERTIFICATION:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution which was duly adopted by the Sangguniang Bayan during its regular session on 24th of June, 2024.


ATTY. GERARDO S. BRIASA
Secretary