

2. Section 17. Basic Services and Facilities – x x x

“(2) For a municipality

x x x

(v) Social Welfare services which include programs and projects on x x x, welfare of the elderly x x x

(4) For a City

All the services and facilities of the municipality and province.

3. Section 458. Powers Duties, Functions and Compensation.

“(a) (5) (xvii) x x x, and subject to the availability of funds, appropriate funds to support programs and projects for the benefit of the elderly.”

Based on the foregoing premises, it is the fervent hope and anticipation of the members of this August Body, that the enactment of this Ordinance will in a small way help alleviate the plight of our senior citizens and enhance their dignity and prestige.

FOREGOING PREMISES CONSIDERED, on motion of City Councilor Lea Doris C. Villar, Chairman, Committee on Social Welfare, Senior Citizen, Women and Family, severally seconded by City Councilors Filomeno P. Maglasang, Sotero M. Pepito and Demosthenes F. Tugonon; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to enact –

ORDINANCE NO. 184

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING A BIRTHDAY GIFT TO BONA FIDE SENIOR CITIZEN RESIDENTS OF ORMOC CITY, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE 12TH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC, in session assembled; that –

SECTION 1. This Ordinance shall be known and cited as the “BIRTHDAY GIFT ORDINANCE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS OF ORMOC CITY”.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance is enacted to give financial assistance to the Senior Citizens of Ormoc City on their BIRTHDAYS in recognition and appreciation of their contributions in nation building.

SECTION 3. That on the birth anniversaries of Senior Citizen of Ormoc City, a gift of ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED PESOS (Php 1,500.00) PESOS will be given.

SECTION 4. For the availment of the gift provided for in the preceding section, the Senior Citizens –

1. must be a senior citizen or elderly as defined in RA No. 9994 otherwise known as “EXPANDED SENIOR CITIZENS ACT 2010”;
2. must apply personally or through his duly authorized representative for the availment thereof at the Office of the Senior Citizens Affairs (OSCA), Ormoc City, and submits therewith the document/papers/certificate required in the immediately subsequent items hereof at least thirty (30) days before his/her birthday;
3. Must be a bona fide resident of Ormoc City, that is he/she must have resided in Ormoc City for at least three (3) years prior to the availment of the benefit and reflected in the 2013 Comelec Voters List as certified by the Local COMELEC; proof of residence may be established by a certification of the Punong Barangay of his residence or any authentic document which will show his/her residence thereat;

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4. His/her name must appear in the roster of Senior Citizens in the Office of the Senior Citizens Affairs (OSCA), Ormoc City; presentation of a valid ID Card issued by OSCA satisfies this requirement;
5. His/her date of birth must be shown in an authentic document, such as but not limited to, birth certificate, baptismal certificate, passport, COMELEC VOTER'S ID CARD, Driver's License, SSS or GSIS ID CARD where the date of birth appears, and other similar document.

SECTION 5. The amount necessary to carry out the provisions of this Ordinance shall initially be taken from any available fund of the General Fund, and thereafter, shall be included in the Annual Budget of the City Government as part of the budget for the Office of the Senior Citizens Affairs (OSCA);

SECTION 6. The Office of the Senior Citizens Affairs (OSCA), Ormoc City, is hereby charged in the proper implementation of this Ordinance;

SECTION 7. The Office of the Senior Citizens Affairs (OSCA), Ormoc City, shall immediately cause the preparation of the Birthday Gift once entitlement thereto is established as provided for in this Ordinance, and to immediately release the same to the Senior Citizen entitled thereto;

SECTION 8. If any provision of this Ordinance is declared invalid or unconstitutional, other provisions not affected thereby, shall remain in full force and affect;

SECTION 9. Any Ordinance, executive order, issuances, rules and regulations contrary or inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly;

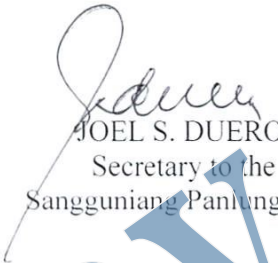
SECTION 10. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately after it has been posted in the Bulletin Board of the City Hall and in two (2) other conspicuous places in the City of Ormoc, and published once in a local newspaper of general circulation.

ENACTED, June 20, 2013.


RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish copies of this ordinance each to the Hon. City Mayor Eric C. Codilla, the City Administrator, the City Budget Officer, the City Accountant, the City Treasurer, the City Auditor, the Office of Senior Citizens Affair (OSCA), the City Social Welfare & Development Office, the City Director, DILG, Ormoc City and other Offices concerned.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing ordinance.


JOEL S. DUERO
Secretary to the
Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:


CLAUDIO P. LARRAZABAL
City Councilor
Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"

APPROVED:


ERIC C. CODILLA
City Mayor
June 27, 2013
Date