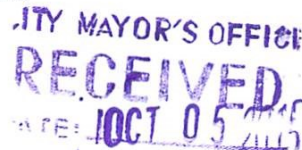




EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE THIRTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL, ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING ON OCTOBER 01, 2015



Hon. Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.
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Hon. Tomas R. Serafica,
Hon. Mario M. Rodriguez
Hon. Ruben R. Capahi,
Hon. Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,
Hon. Antonio M. Codilla,
Hon. Vincent L. Rama,
Hon. Pedro Godiardo P. Ebcas,
Hon. Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,
Hon. John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,
Hon. Mariano Y. Corro,

Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer
SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
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SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"
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Chapter President, Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc

PREFATORY STATEMENT

WHEREAS, the Thirteenth Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc was in receipt of a request through Barangay Resolution No. 22 series of 2015 from Barangay District XII requesting for the enactment of an ordinance declaring Lopez Jaena and Padre Ismael Cataag Streets as a one-way streets;

WHEREAS, this august Body also received a 1st indorsement from the Honorable City Mayor concerning the request of Brgy. District XI through Brgy. Resolution No. 8 series of 2015 for the enactment of an ordinance declaring Lopez Jaena St. as a one-way street;

WHEREAS, no ordinance has yet been enacted by the Sanggunian to declare Padre Ismael Cataag Street as one-way thoroughfare, but it has been customarily made a one-way street by virtue of Resolution No. 1590 passed by the 2nd Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc on July 24, 1984 declaring the same as a One-Way Traffic for motor vehicles from the corner of Arradaza Street to the corner of San Pedro Street, which Resolution had been amended to reverse the one-way traffic flow making the vehicle entry allowable only through San Pedro Street;

WHEREAS, the Barangays, after their long-time observation and assessment of both streets, share the same position that these streets become greatly crowded during school days brought about by a considerable number of children, students and other people passing and crossing thereon, making said streets unsafe and prone to accident as countless vehicles and motorcycles, often going in different directions, use the same roads;

WHEREAS, both Barangays, being in the best position to be aware of the continuing traffic condition within their respective vicinity, deem it necessary to request this august Body for the declaration of Lopez Jaena Street and Padre Ismael Cataag Street as one-way streets to prevent untoward incidents from happening and to ensure the safety of the school children, the barangay constituents and the general public;

Ord. No. 017

WHEREAS, Section 458 (a) (5) (v) and (vi) of Republic Act 7160, otherwise known as "The Local Government Code of 1991" provides for the powers and, duties and functions of the Sangguniang Panlungsod:

- (v) Regulate the use of streets, avenues, alleys, sidewalks, bridges, parks and other public places and approve the construction, improvement repair and maintenance of the same xxx;
- (vi) Regulate traffic on all streets and bridges; prohibit encroachments or obstacles thereon xxx.

WHEREAS, after a thorough review and careful examination of the aforementioned requests, this august Body shares the same view with the Barangays as to the need of declaring the streets subject of request as one-way streets considering that during school days these roads become heavily packed with students and motorists, thereby increasing the risk of accident as traffic congestion aggravates;

WHEREFORE, FOREGOING PREMISES CONSIDERED, on motion of Honorable SP Member Vincent L. Rama, Chairman, Committee on Police, Fire and Penology, severally seconded by Honorable SP Members Mario M. Rodriguez, Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr., Antonio M. Codilla, Pedro Godiardo P. Ebcas, John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II and Mariano Y. Corro; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass and enact:

ORDINANCE NO. 017

AN ORDINANCE ADDING CHAPTER XIV OF TITLE ELEVEN (TRAFFIC REGULATION) OF ORDINANCE NO. 2003-103-A, ENTITLED: "AN ORDINANCE ORDAINING THE CODIFICATION OF THE GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ORMOC" DECLARING AS ONE WAY TRAFFIC THE FOLLOWING STREETS: (1) PADRE ISMAEL CATAAG STREET FROM THE CORNER OF SAN PEDRO STREET TO THE CORNER OF ARRADAZA STREET; AND (2) LOPEZ JAENA STREET FROM THE CORNER OF ARRADAZA STREET TO THE CORNER OF SAN PEDRO STREET, THIS CITY, DURING SCHOOL DAYS (MONDAY TO FRIDAY).

BE IT ORDAINED by the 13th Sangguniang Panlungsod ng Ormoc, That:

SECTION 1. Padre Ismael Cataag Street from the corner of San Pedro Street to the corner of Arradaza Street, Barangay District XII, this City, is hereby declared as one-way traffic street.

SECTION 2. Lopez Jaena Street from the corner of Arradaza Street to the corner of San Pedro Street, commonly shared by Barangay District XI and Barangay District XII, this City, is hereby declared as one-way traffic street during school days (Monday to Friday).

SECTION 3. Any violation of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be punished by a fine of Five Hundred Pesos (Php 500.00) or an imprisonment of 5 to 10 days or both at the discretion of the court.

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SECTION 4. Any ordinance or provision thereof in conflict with this Ordinance is hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval and compliance of the posting and publication requirements.

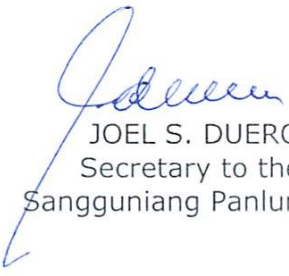
ENACTED, October 01, 2015.

RESOLVED FURTHER, to direct the Chief of Police of Ormoc City to coordinate with the City Engineer and other concerned government officials and employees in putting up the necessary traffic signs in strategic areas in pursuance to the intents of this Ordinance.

RESOLVED, FURTHERMORE, to furnish copies of this Ordinance one each to His Honor, the City Mayor Edward C. Codilla; the City Administrator; the City Legal Officer; the City Director – Ormoc City Police Office; the City Engineering Office; the Sangguniang Barangay of Barangay District XI; the Sangguniang Barangay of Barangay District XII; the President of St. Peter's College, Sr. Julia Yap, OSB 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:


LEO CARMELO L. LOCSIN, JR.
Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

APPROVED:


EDWARD C. CODILLA
City Mayor

OCT 14 2015

(Date)