

REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
LUNGSOD NG ORMOC



EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE
FOURTEENTH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD NG ORMOC HELD
AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL,
ORMOC CITY HALL BUILDING
ON SEPTEMBER 13, 2018

PRESENT:

Vincent L. Rama,	(Acting City Vice-Mayor & Temporary Presiding Officer),
	SP Member, Majority Floor Leader
Tomas R. Serafica,	SP Member, Asst. Majority Floor Leader
Benjamin S. Pongos, Jr.,	SP Member
Eusebio Gerardo S. Penserga,	SP Member
Gregorio G. Yrastorza III,	SP Member
Nolito M. Quilang,	SP Member
John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II,	SP Member
	Minority Floor Leader
Lea Doris C. Villar,	SP Member, Asst. Minority Floor Leader
Esteban V. Laurente,	Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,
	Liga ng mga Barangay ng Ormoc
Jasper C. Yerro,	Ex-Officio SP Member, Chapter President,
	Panlungsod Pederasyon ng mga Sangguniang Kabataan ng Ormoc

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS:

Leo Carmelo L. Locsin, Jr.	(Acting City Mayor),
	City Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

ON LEAVE:

Mario M. Rodriguez,	SP Member, Presiding Officer "Pro-Tempore"
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RESOLUTION NO. 2018-233

A RESOLUTION CONVEYING PROFOUND RECOGNITION AND GRATITUDE TO ALL THE TEACHERS OF ORMOC CITY AS THEY CONSTANTLY FULFILL THEIR NOBLE VOCATION IN PERSISTENTLY CRAFTING AND EMPOWERING LEARNERS AMID MODERN DAY CHALLENGES AND ENCOURAGING ALL ACCOMMODATION FACILITIES SUCH AS HOTELS AND LODGING HOUSES AS WELL AS COMMERCIAL AND RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS TO OFFER DISCOUNTS OR FREEBIES OR SPECIAL PROMOS FOR TEACHERS, OR COME UP WITH SPECIAL "THANK YOU, TEACHER" MERCHANDISE FROM SEPTEMBER 5, 2018 TO OCTOBER 5, 2018 IN CELEBRATION OF THE NATIONAL TEACHERS MONTH AND WORLD TEACHERS DAY 2018.

WHEREAS, this august Body was in receipt of an Indorsement from the Office of the City Mayor dated August 24, 2018, endorsing the request of Mr. Robert T. Jardin, Senior Educational Program Specialist, DEPED Division Office of Ormoc City requesting for the passage of the necessary Ordinance or Resolution in relation to the 2018 World Teacher's Day Celebration;

WHEREAS, being the frontline missionary of knowledge in the educational system, teachers have an exceptionally significant role in nation-building, most importantly to the critical stages of learners as they likewise permeate higher values and morals to their students that to epitomize the vitality of their selfless vocation and sacrifice in a resolution highly indispensable;

WHEREAS, by virtue of Presidential Proclamation No. 242, the National Teachers Month was institutionalized and that the same shall be celebrated every 5th of September until 5th of October to coincide with the United Nations Education, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) as the "World Teachers' Day" which is on the 5th of October;

WHEREAS, local government units (LGUs) should take the lead in "promoting a culture of gratitude to teachers" who can be considered heroes themselves for nurturing the minds of the youth and future leaders of the country as they cultivate knowledge and inspire their students to think creatively, plant the seeds of innovation and change, the key ingredients for our nation to continue to move forward and soar high;

WHEREAS, as provided by Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) Memorandum Circular No. 2017-106 dated August 22, 2017, City Mayors were enjoined to come up with support activities in promoting the culture of gratitude to the Filipino teachers, such as but not limited to encourage commercial and retail outlets to offer discounts or freebies or special promos for teachers, or come up with special "Thank you, Teacher" merchandise during the month;

WHEREAS, the support of local government units (LGUs) has been an essential element in the success of celebrations and that the Local Government Unit of Ormoc (LGU Ormoc) fully supports the DepEd- Ormoc City Division in the hosting of the 2018 World Teachers Day Celebration;

WHEREAS, pursuant thereto, the LGU-Ormoc would like to encourage accommodation facilities such as hotels and lodging houses as well as commercial and retail establishments in Ormoc City to offer discounts or freebies or special promos for teachers, or come up with special "Thank you, Teacher" merchandise during the month in support of the activities and programs for the celebration thereof;

WHEREAS, upon close and thorough review, this Sanggunian believes that all sectors of our society and every Ormocanon should pay homage to the teachers and be in unison to the activities to be promulgated by the Department of Education (DepEd) or any concerned agency in highlighting a widespread recognition, awareness and support to the significance of teachers to the development, culture and values of our City, as well as to our nation;

WHEREFORE, on motion of SP Member Nolito M. Quilang, Chairman, Committee on Trade, Commerce and Industry, Employment and Livelihood, severally seconded by SP Members Tomas R. Serafica, Gregorio G. Yrastorza III, John Eulalio Nepomuceno O. Aparis II, Lea Doris C. Villar, Esteban B. Laurente and Jasper C. Yerro; be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to pass A RESOLUTION CONVEYING PROFOUND RECOGNITION AND GRATITUDE TO ALL THE TEACHERS OF ORMOC CITY AS THEY CONSTANTLY FULFILL THEIR NOBLE VOCATION IN PERSISTENTLY CRAFTING AND EMPOWERING LEARNERS AMID MODERN DAY CHALLENGES AND ENCOURAGING ALL ACCOMMODATION FACILITIES SUCH AS HOTELS AND LODGING HOUSES AS WELL AS COMMERCIAL AND RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS TO OFFER DISCOUNTS OR FREEBIES OR SPECIAL PROMOS FOR TEACHERS, OR COME UP WITH SPECIAL "THANK YOU, TEACHER" MERCHANDISE FROM SEPTEMBER 5, 2018 TO OCTOBER 5, 2018 IN CELEBRATION OF THE NATIONAL TEACHERS MONTH AND WORLD TEACHERS DAY 2018;

ADOPTED, September 13, 2018.

RESOLVED, FINALLY, to furnish copies of this resolution each to the City Mayor of Ormoc Richard I. Gomez, the City Administrator, Mr. Vincent L. Emnas; the City Legal Officer, Atty. Jasper M. Lucero; the Department of Education – Ormoc City Division; the Ormoc City Chamber of Commerce and Industry (ORCHAM); the Fil-Chinese Chamber of Commerce & Industry of Ormoc, Inc.; the Ormoc Hotel and Restaurant Association (OHRA); the OIC-City Director, DILG; and all other offices concerned.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the above resolution.


MARIA ANTONIETA G. CO HAT
(OIC – SP Secretary)
Supervising Administrative Officer

ATTESTED:


VINCENT L. RAMA
(Acting City Vice-Mayor & Temporary Presiding Officer)
Majority Floor Leader
SP Member