REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES BATANGAS CITY

OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION HELD BY THE MEMBERS OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF BATANGAS CITY ON SEPTEMBER 1, 2014 AT THE SANGGUNIAN SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

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Hon. Emilio Francisco A. Berberabe Jr.,	Presiding Officer
Hon. Glenn M. Aldover,	Councilor
Hon. Claudette U. Ambida-Alday,	u
Hon. Hamilton G. Blanco,	и
Hon. Aileen Grace A. Montalbo,	u
Hon. Sergie Rex M. Atienza,	и
Hon. Armando C. Lazarte,	u
Hon. Alyssa Renee A. Cruz-Atienza,	и
Hon. Gerardo A. dela Roca,	и
Hon. Ma. Kristine Josefina G. Balmes,	и
Hon. Julian B. Villena,	u u
Hon. Angelito "Dondon" A. Dimacuha,	(ABC-Rep.)

"On motion of Councilor Dela Roca seconded by Councilor Aldover, the following Resolution was Adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 235 S. 2014

RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROMOTION AND STRONG SUPPORT ON THE USE OF LIGHT EMITTING DIODE (LED) LIGHTS AND BASED PRODUCTS ON ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE OFFICES, FACILITIES, TRAFFIC/HAZARD LIGHTS, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS, AND HOUSEHOLDS IN BATANGAS CITY

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlungsod/City Government of Batangas is committed in promoting safe, efficient, and cost-saving light sources to its offices, facilities, and for private buildings established for any purpose/s, and residences for healthy and environmentally protected Batangas City;

WHEREAS, by virtue of Ordinance No. 16 S. 2010 otherwise known as the Batangas City Environment Code, the City Government of Batangas Expresses in Section 32 its aim to promote the use of appropriate technologies and practices on energy conservation, and in Section 39 its objective to shift to energy efficient lightning in residential, government, commercial and industrial establishments;

WHEREAS, the introduction of LED lights posed challenge over the conventional incandescent/fluorescent lights in terms of efficiency, safety, and cost-efficiency over long period of usage;

WHEREAS, efficiency wise - LED lights have efficiency of 80-90% meaning 80-90% of electrical energy is converted into light and 10-20% is converted into other forms of energy such as heat. This is exactly the opposite of the traditional lights wherein only 20% is converted into light and the remaining 80% into heat. This adds to the detriments that raises the temperature of our planet earth;

Continuation of Resolution No. 235 S. 2014

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WHEREAS, in terms of safety - LED lights have its advantages over the traditional ones. Led lights are much eco-friendly. LED lights are free of toxic chemicals. Most conventional fluorescent lighting bulbs contain a multitude of materials like mercury that are dangerous for the environment. LED lights contain no toxic materials and are 100% recyclable, and will helps reduce carbon footprint by up to a third;

WHEREAS, the long operational life time span in the use of LED lights means that one LED light bulbs can save materials and production of 25 incandescent light bulbs. Reduced maintenance costs from extended life of LED lights is the primary factor in determining the payback period for LED products;

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas strongly promotes and expresses its support on the use of LED lights and LED Based Products to all government offices, facilities, traffic/hazard lights that are controlled by the City, and private buildings established for any purpose/s, and residential houses in Batangas City;

RESOLVED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod in session duly assembled, to approve as it is hereby approved the Resolution Expressing Promotion and Strong Support on the Use of Light Emitting DIODE (LED) Lights and Based Products on All Local Government and Private Offices, Facilities, Traffic/Hazard Lights, Commercial and Industrial Establishments and Households in Batangas City.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this resolution be furnished the Office of all Barangay Captains in Batangas City, major private establishments and subdivisions in Batangas City for their information and guidance.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED."

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ATTESTED:	O FRANCISCO A. BERBERABE JR. Presiding Officer	
SPONSORED BY	: COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND USE AND ZONING : COMMITTEE ON LAWS RULES AND RE	}
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