

Office of the Sangguniang Panlungsod

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ORDINANCE NO. 17 S.2017

AN ORDINANCE ALLOWING AND REQUIRING ALL CINEMA OWNERS AND OPERATORS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF BATANGAS CITY TO APPEND IN THEIR THEATER TICKETS, PHP2.00 TO SUPPORT THE VISION AND MISSION OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF THE PHILIPPINES, BATANGAS CITY COUNCIL

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WHEREAS, Boy Scouts of the Philippines, the national Scout organization of the country, aiming to imbue in the youth sector the love of God, love of country, and love to fellow men as it prepares the young people to become responsible leaders and to contribute in nation-building;

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council have conducted and seeks to continuously endeavour to carry out prominent activities designed towards the development of different aspects of well-being such as but not limited to emergency service and rescue training, leadership and volunteerism, environmental preservation and conservation, character development and interpersonal relationship as well as skills for professional and social development through active learning processes;

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council have been an institution that brings pride to the City of Batangas through different awards and citations obtained by Batangueno scouts on different levels and competitions through scouting activities and achievements;

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council has lined up avenues of service, programs and projects that entails the need for funds through the benevolent consolidation of efforts from the City Government, its constituency and cinema operators to assist and support its operation, continuous implementation of the said activities pursuant to their objectives that will further develop and strengthen boy scouting in the Philippines primarily from its locality;





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WHEREAS, the two pesos (Php 2.00) appended on the cinema operators theatre tickets is a clear manifestation of the City Government's support to the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council and recognition to the need for fund drive in order to ensure its continuous endeavour and attain its noble purpose for the future generations with respect to the absence of the Sangguniang Kabataan;

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 23 S. 2015 and Ordinance No. 25 S. 2016 that has been a successful fund drive, proved the invaluable support of the Batangueno people as well as the government and private sector that is SM City Batangas to the Scouting Movement as indeed the generated fund paved way to greatly alleviate the financial challenge that the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council is experiencing;

WHEREAS, no other organization expressed its intention to apply for a fund drive and that the BSP Batangas City Council is still experiencing the need for financial support as manifested on their Resolution No. 03 S. 2017 dated June 29, 2017, it is justifiable that the request for such ordinance be enacted;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas, by virtue of the powers vested in it by law, in session assembled, that:

SECTION 1. TITLE - AN ORDINANCE ALLOWING AND REQUIRING ALL CINEMA OWNERS AND OPERATORS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF BATANGAS CITY TO APPEND IN THEIR THEATER TICKETS, PHP 2.00 TO SUPPORT THE VISION AND MISSION OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF THE PHILIPPINES, BATANGAS CITY COUNCIL.

SECTION 2. COVERAGE AND AUTHORIZATION - Cinema owners and operators within the territorial jurisdiction of Batangas City is hereby allowed and required to append in their theatre tickets two pesos (Php. 2.00).

SECTION 3. BENEFICIARY - The proceeds, derived therein shall be donated to the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council in order to support generally its mission and vision including its operation, programs and activities. In the performance thereof, cinemas shall enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with BSP Batangas City incorporating the provisions of this ordinance. In addition, they may be allowed to include, among others, a stipulation on the plausible recognition of this undertaking as a legitimate corporate social responsibility (CSR) program of cinemas.



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SECTION 4. FUND SOURCING MECHANISM - Upon the effectivity of this ordinance, moviegoers that intends to purchase theatre tickets for the above stated period may procure tickets according to the authorization stated herein for the said purpose. All concerned cinema owners and operators within the territorial jurisdiction of Batangas City are hereby authorized and required to allow cinema goers to have an option of paying the additional Php. 2.00 surcharge. Likewise, all concerned cinema owners and operators within the territorial jurisdiction of Batangas City are hereby authorized and required to transmit and turnover to the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council the proceeds collected and account for all such money received and thereafter submit to the City Treasurer of Batangas City Official Receipts and such other pertinent records/documents as may be required in the acknowledgement thereof, subject to existing accounting rules and regulations. The City Treasurer may be required to submit the corresponding report to the Sangguniang Panlungsod in connection therewith.

SECTION 5. INFORMATION TO STAKEHOLDERS - Every cinema owners and operators existing and those that will be established in the City of Batangas within the coverage of this ordinance shall be furnished a copy of this ordinance upon its enactment likewise the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council and Batangas City Treasurer shall be furnished the same for information and guidance.

Cinema owners and operators are likewise mandated to post the ordinance and the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council Resolution on their ticketing booths that will be visible to the cinema goers. The cinema owners and operators are also required to play on the movie screen prior to the scheduled movie, a short video clip from the Boy Scouts of the Philippines Batangas City Council of not more than 20 seconds that shall be parallel to the principle of this ordinance.

SECTION 6. REPEALING CLAUSE - All ordinances, rules and regulations, or parts thereof, whose provisions are in conflict with or contrary to the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed, amended and modified accordingly.

SECTION 7. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE - If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a decision of any court with competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.



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SECTION 8. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE - This ordinance shall take effect upon its approval by the Honorable City Mayor and after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the province and cities of Batangas.

ENACTED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas City this $7^{\rm th}$ day of November, 2017.

ATTY. OLIVA D. TELEGATOS

Secretary

Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:

EMILIO FRANCISCO A. BERBERABE, JR.

Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

BEVERLEY ROSE A DIMACUHA

City Mayor

Date Approved: NOV. 14, 2017



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COMMITTEE REPORT

SUBMITTED BY

THE COMMITTEE ON LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS

SUBJECTS

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COMMENTS:

Referred to the Committee on Laws, Rules and Regulations is the above entitled ordinances for study, comments and recommendation.

A hearing was conducted on October 26, 2017 attended by Chairman and members of the Committee and other members of the Sangguniang Panlungsod. Also present were Ms. Angie M. Wagan and Ms. Eduriges M. Tolentino, both from Boy Scouts of the Philippines and Ms. Mariel V. Quijano and Mr. Henri J. Arago, both from SM Cinema Batangas.

The proposed ordinance duly amended is in line with the City Ordinance No. 25 S. 2016 - An Ordinance Allowing and Requiring All Cinema Owners and Operators Within the Territorial Jurisdiction of Batangas City to Append in their Theater Tickets, (Php 2.00) Covering the Period of November 9, 2016 to May 7, 2017 to Support the Operation, Programs and Activities of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines, Batangas City Council.

The committee hearing again revealed that the Boy Scouts of the Philippines still have inadequate and insufficient funding at the moment to cover its operations and expenses due to some constraints on the release of its budgetary allocation from the city government. However, the members of the Sangguniang Panlungsod present during the committee hearing expressed their support to the fund drive including the increase in the appended amount on the theater/cinema ticket. Therefore, there certainly is a need to assist this organization in the strengthening of its funding.

In view thereof, the committee recommends:

1. The adoption of this Committee Report

2. To recommend the Proposed Ordinance for second and final reading.

Respectfully submitted, October 30, 2017.

COUN. SERGIE REX M. ATIENZA

Acting Chairman

THE COMMITTEE ON LAWS, BULES AND REGULATIONS

COUN. ARMANDO C. LAZARTE

Member

COUN. GERARDO DELA ROCA

Member

Appointed Member

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 NOVEMBER 7, 2017 AT THE SANGGUNIAN SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

Hon. Emilio Francisco A. Berberabe Jr.,	Presiding Officer
Hon. Aileen Grace A. Montalbo,	Councilor
Hon. Glenn M. Aldover,	44
Hon. Sergie Rex M. Atienza,	**
Hon. Hamilton G. Blanco,	66
Hon. Oliver Z. Macatangay,	44
Hon. Armando C. Lazarte,	66)
Hon. Karlos Emmanjuel A. Buted,	**
Hon. Julian B. Villena,	46
Hon. Gerardo A. Dela Roca,	66
Hon. Nestor E. Dimacuha,	**
Hon. Nelson J. Chavez,	44
Hon. Angelito "Dondon" A. Dimacuha,	ABC-Rep.
ABSENT:	
Hon. Alyssa Renee A. Cruz, (Study Leave)	Councilor

"On motion of Councilor Atienza seconded by Councilor Villena, the following Resolution was Adopted:

RESOLUTION NO. 329 S. 2017

APPROVING ON SECOND AND FINAL READING THE ORDINANCE ENTITLED: "AN ORDINANCE ALLOWING AND REQUIRING ALL CINEMA OWNERS AND OPERATORS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF BATANGAS CITY TO APPEND IN THEIR THEATER TICKETS, PHP 2.00 TO SUPPORT THE VISION AND MISSION OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF THE PHILIPPINES, BATANGAS CITY COUNCIL"

RESOLVED, to approve on Second and Final reading the ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance Allowing and Requiring All Cinema Owners and Operators Within the Territorial Jurisdiction of Batangas City to Append in their Theater Tickets, Php 2.00 to Support the Vision and Mission of the Boy Scouts of the Philippines, Batangas City Council".

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

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BATANGAS CITY COUNCIL"

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution No. 329 S. 2017 was approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Batangas City during its Regular Session held on November 7, 2017.

ATTY. IVY ADDREY D. TELEGATOS

Board Secretary I Sangguniang Panlungsod

NOTED:

ATTY. OLIVA D. TELEGATOS

Secretary

Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED:

EMILIO FRANÇISÇO A. BERBERABE, JR.

Presiding Officer

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