AN ORDINANCE DECLARING EVERY FIRST WEEK OF DECEMBER OF EACH YEAR AS THE LUPONG TAGAPAMAYAPA WEEK IN QUEZON CITY.

Introduced by Councilor MOISES S. SAMSON.

WHEREAS, Section 399 (a) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, explicitly provides, among other things, that:

"There is hereby created in each barangay a lupong tagapamayapa, hereinafter referred to as the lupon, composed of the punong barangay as chairman and ten (10) to twenty (20) members. The lupon shall be constituted every three (3) years in the manner provided herein."

WHEREAS, Section 402 of the same code, decrees:

"Section 402. Functions of the Lupon. - The lupon shall:

(a) Exercise administrative supervision over the conciliation panels provided herein;

(b) Meet regularly once a month to provide a forum for exchange of ideas among its members and the public on matters relevant to the amicable settlement of disputes, and to enable various conciliation panel members to share with one another their observations and experiences in effecting speedy resolution of disputes; and