

Republic of the Philippines **QUEZON CITY COUNCIL**

Quezon City 18th City Council

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RESOLUTION NO. SP- 5058, S-2011

A RESOLUTION URGING THE QUEZON CITY GOVERNMENT TO STUDY, FORMULATE AND EMBARK ON AN ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT TO CONSIDER THE POSSIBILITIES OF HARNESSING WASTE VEGETABLE OIL (WVO) AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO DIESEL FUEL IN GOVERNMENT VEHICLES TO REDUCE AIR POLLUTION AND MITIGATE CLIMATE CHANGE.

Introduced by Councilors GIAN CARLO G. SOTTO, JESUS MANUEL C. SUNTAY and ALLAN BENEDICT S. REYES.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Francisco A. Calalay, Jr., Dorothy A. Delarmente, Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Ricardo T. Belmonte, Jr., Joseph P. Juico, Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Alfredo D. Vargas III, Eden "Candy" A. Medina, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Roderick M. Paulate, Godofredo T. Liban II, Julian ML. Coseteng, Jaime F. Borres, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Edcel B. Lagman, Jr., Jessica Castelo Daza, Raquel S. Malañgen, Vincent DG. Belmonte, Marvin C. Rillo, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica and John Ansell R. De Guzman.

WHEREAS, the burning and use of fossil fuels such as petroleum products are prime contributors to global warming and climate change, and pose grave threats to human health and well being;

WHEREAS, this environmental threat, as well as soaring prices of crude oil may be curbed by the use of alternative fuel sources such as biodiesel;

WHEREAS, biodiesel may be sourced by recycling the waste cooking oil generated by the restaurants industry and other dinning establishments particularly the industrial deep fryers of fast food establishments;

WHEREAS, for the reasons above, the City government is of the belief that maximizing this readily available source of biodiesel will create significant impacts in improving air quality and mitigating air pollution and climate change.

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NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to urge, as it does hereby urge the Quezon City Government to study, formulate and embark on an environmental project to consider the possibilities of harnessing Waste Vegetable Oil (WVO) as an alternative to diesel fuel in government vehicles to reduce air pollution and mitigate climate change.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that the Environmental Protection and Waste Management Department (EPWMD) of Quezon City shall be tasked to draw up and prepare an Integrated and Comprehensive Management Plan for the harnessing of Waste Vegetable Oil (WVO), as an alternative fuel, and undertake the proper implementation thereof.

ADOPTED: January 24, 2011.

MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
Vice Mayor
Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

DOROTHY D. LAGRADA, DPA City Secretary

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on January 24, 2011 and was CONFIRMED on January 31, 2011.

DOROTAY D. LAGRADA, DPA

City Secretary