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RESOLUTION NO. SP- 5860, S-2014

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE LONG TERM SOLUTION TO OIL PRICE HIKE, THROUGH THE RENEWABLE ENERGY(RE) RESOURCES AND GREEN TRANSPORT INITIATIVES.

Introduced by Councilor GLAN CARLO G. SOTTO.

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Ricardo T. Belmonte Jr., Dorothy A. Delarmente, Victor V. Ferrer, Jr., Alexis R. Herrera, Precious Hipolito Castelo, Voltaire Godofredo L. Liban III, Roderick M. Paulate, Ramulfo Z. Ludovica, Ramon P. Medalla, Estrella C. Valmocina, Allan Benedict S. Reyes, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Jaime F. Borres, Jesus Manuel C. Suntay, Vincent DG. Belmonte, Jessica Castelo Daza, Bayani V. Hipol, Jose A. Visaya, Julienne Alyson Rae V. Medalla, Godofredo T. Liban II, Andres Jose G. Yllana, Jr., Allan Butch T. Francisco, Karl Edgar C. Castelo, Candy A. Medina, Diorella Maria G. Sotto, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Melencio "Bobby" T. Castelo, Jr., Donato C. Matias and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, the government is studying the implementation of a fuel subsidy plan for public transport operators to be able to cope with steadily rising fuel costs brought about by the on-going political instability in the Middle East;

WHEREAS, this plan would only be a "stop gap measure" with "short term effects";

WHEREAS, studies revealed that renewable energy alternatives and electric and hybrid vehicles will bring long term solutions to oil price hike and at the same time help stimulate the growth of new industries;

WHEREAS, a hybrid vehicle still uses traditional gasoline or diesel fuel, but includes a secondary energy source in the form of batteries, when the vehicle stops, the batteries catch the energy, while electric driven vehicles are battery-powered electric vehicles, but most of these vehicles need to be recharged frequently;

WHEREAS, President Benigno C. Aquino has, during the launching of e-tricycle, expressed his support, that one of the long term solutions to oil price hike is the use of electric tricycles which uses electricity instead of fuel;

WHEREAS, former Senator Edgardo J. Angara, Chairperson of the Congressional Commission on Science, Technology and Engineering (COMSTE) has also expressed his support for the new eco-jeepney program of the Department of Energy (DOE), these programs would help complement the Green Transport initiative and electric vehicle programs of COMSTE, which would help ease the nation's dependence on oil;


WHEREAS, these vehicles are very ecologically friendly and release no harmful emission at all.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED, to support, as it does hereby support the long term solution to oil price hike, through the Renewable Energy(RE) resources and green transport initiatives.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, to furnish a copy of this Resolution to the Office of the President, to Senator Edgardo J. Angara and the Department of Energy and other concerned agencies for their information and appropriate action.

ADOPTED: January 27, 2014.



MA. JOSEFINA G. BELMONTE
Vice Mayor
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ATTESTED:


Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that this Resolution was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on January 27, 2014 and was CONFIRMED on February 3, 2014.


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