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OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD

CITY ORDINANCE NO. 10
Series of 2023

AN ORDINANCE MANDATING ALL PRIVATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE CITY TO INTEGRATE THE RICH HISTORICAL BACKGROUND OF THE CITY OF SAN JUAN IN THE TEACHING CURRICULUM AND PROVIDING FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE.

Sponsored by: Councilors Bea D. De Guzman-Cabatbat, Kit R. Peralta, Lorenzo A. Tañada-Yam, Raissa H. Laurel-Subijano, Angelo "AAA" Agcaoili, John Ervic M. Vijandre, Paul Anthony D. Artadi, Rolando M. Bernardo, Ryan G. Llanos Dee, James Carlos A. Yap, Ismael R. Mathay IV, Herbert O. Chua and Ariel I. Atad

WHEREAS, Article XIV Section 16 of the 1987 Constitution provides that the country's artistic and historical wealth constitutes the national treasure of the nation;

WHEREAS, despite being a small city in the metro, the City of San Juan is packed with a rich historical background and historical treasures still present today;

WHEREAS, this administration recognizes this fact, and it aims to improve the knowledge and information known about its rich culture. This City shall continue to cultivate, engrain, and be delighted to share our rich heritage, not just to its own people, but to the rest of the world;

WHEREAS, for one to foster patriotism and nationalism, it is every generation's duty to protect and be aware of its cultural and historical heritage. The school set-up is the best avenue to teach this matter;

WHEREAS, with the *integration* of the history of San Juan City in the school curriculum, it will be expected that this will foster a new sense of understanding and patriotism.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of San Juan, in a session duly assembled, that:

SECTION 1. All private and public schools in San Juan City offering Elementary and Secondary Education are hereby mandated to integrate in their curriculum, the history of San Juan City.

SECTION 2. The San Juan City Tourism and Cultural Affairs Office and Public Information Department shall be tasked to come up with a History of San Juan Handbook and other collateral that will help guide the schools with this Ordinance.

The City Government of San Juan shall be responsible for the distribution of the materials, collaterals, and references that will be used to implement this Ordinance. The information should, likewise, be available on the San Juan City website for easier access.

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SECTION 3. The implementing offices shall be responsible for encouraging these schools to visit the historical sites in our jurisdiction to create a better awareness of the assets that we contribute to the history of the Philippines.

SECTION 4. SCOPE. The scope of the lesson shall include, but not limited to:

1. History of the City of San Juan
2. History of the 21 Barangays
3. San Juan City Demographics
4. Historical Sites and Landmarks
5. San Juan City Hymn
6. Natatanging San Juaneño

SECTION 5. IMPLEMENTATION. The San Juan City Tourism and Cultural Affairs Office and Public Information Department shall oversee the implementation of this ordinance. They shall also coordinate with the Schools Division Office, who supervises the schools in the jurisdiction of San Juan City, to integrate the information in the learning curriculum of each school.

SECTION 6. FUNDING. The funding for the cost of preparation of handbook and other collaterals shall be included in the Supplemental Budget. After which, the cost of production of handbook and all other costs shall be included in the annual budget of the City Tourism and Cultural Affairs Office and/or Public Information Department, as needed.

SECTION 7. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. - If, for any reason, any section or provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid by a competent court, the remaining sections or provisions not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SECTION 8. REPEALING CLAUSE – All other City Ordinances contrary to or inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 9. EFFECTIVITY – The San Juan City Public Information Department and City Tourism and Cultural Affairs Office shall prepare all necessary materials related to this ordinance immediately. While the integration of San Juan’s History to the curriculum of schools shall be implemented immediately by S. Y. 2024-2025.

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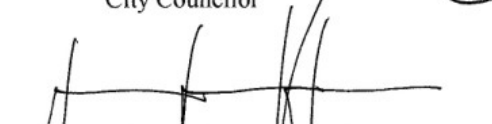
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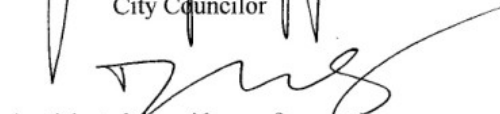
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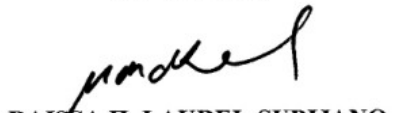

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS ORDINANCE
HAS BEEN DULY APPROVED BY THE
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD ON **FEBRUARY 27, 2023.**


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