



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
CITY OF MANDALUYONG



RESOLUTION NO. 3406, S-2024

A RESOLUTION GRANTING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO SEVENTEEN (17) STRUCTURE OWNERS AFFECTED BY INFRASTRUCTURE ROAD WIDENING PROJECTS OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT AT BLOCKS 32 and 39, BARANGAY ADDITION HILLS, CITY OF MANDALUYONG

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 7160 or the Local Government Code of 1991 provides:

“Section 16. General Welfare. - Every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare. Within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall ensure and support, among other things, the preservation and enrichment of culture, promote health and safety, enhance the right of the people to a balanced ecology, encourage and support the development of appropriate and self-reliant scientific and technological capabilities, improve public morals, enhance economic prosperity and social justice, promote full employment among their residents, maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants.”;

WHEREAS, for several years, the Welfareville property has been the home of some informal settler families (ISFs) of the City;

WHEREAS, the City Government of Mandaluyong has the Social Responsibility to render social justice on them;

WHEREAS, social justice is defined as "neither communism, nor despotism, nor atomism, nor anarchy," but the humanization of laws and the equalization of social and economic forces by the State so that justice in its rational and objectively secular conception may at least be approximated. Social justice means the promotion of the welfare of all the people, the adoption by the Government of measures calculated to insure economic stability of all the competent elements of society, through the maintenance of a proper economic and social equilibrium in the interrelations of the members of the community, constitutionally, through the adoption of measures legally justifiable, or extra-constitutionally, through the exercise of powers underlying the existence of all governments on the time-honored principle of *salus populi est suprema lex*. Social justice, therefore, must be founded on the recognition of the necessity of interdependence among divers and diverse units of a society and of the protection that should be equally and evenly extended to all groups as a combined force in our social and economic life, consistent with the fundamental and paramount objective of the state of promoting the health, comfort, and quiet of all persons, and of bringing about "the greatest good to the greatest number." (Calalang vs. Williams, 70 Phil. 726 (1940));

WHEREAS, it is with such social responsibility that the City Government has to extend and deliver basic services and facilities that will uplift the lives of the residents, such as decent housing and support facilities;

WHEREAS, because the Welfareville property is within the territorial jurisdiction of the City, it is also the responsibility of the City Government to provide peace and order. Regulations are put in place in order to prevent the proliferation of professional squatters, road networks and infrastructures, waste management, firefighting control measures and regulations to make them resilient communities;

WHEREAS, the Barangay Chairman of Addition Hills, Chairman Carlito T. Cernal, in a letter dated January 22, 2024 addressed to our City Mayor, informed that there are informal settler families (ISFs) in Blocks 32 and 39 Barangay Addition Hills that were affected by construction of road networks by the City Government, attested by the OIC of Welfareville Commission (WELCOM), Mr. Jojo Blanco;

WHEREAS, OIC of Welfareville Commission (WELCOM) and Barangay Addition Hills Chairman Carlito Cernal recommended the grant of Eight Thousand Pesos (P8,000.00) per affected family (structure owners) as financial assistance to those affected families;

WHEREAS, there is available fund under the Mandaluyong Housing Development Department - Demolition and Relocation Expenses for CY 2024 account duly certified by City Treasurer and City Accountant;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Panlungsod found that the grant of financial assistance to the affected families in the amount of One Hundred Thirty Six Thousand Pesos (P136,000.00) will be in accordance with the social responsibility of the City to help and promote the welfare of its inhabitants.

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion duly seconded, the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Mandaluyong, in session assembled, RESOLVES, as it hereby RESOLVES, to grant financial assistance in the amount of One Hundred Thirty Six Thousand Pesos (P136,000.00) for the seventeen (17) structure owners who were affected by the infrastructure road widening projects of the City Government at Blocks 32 and 39, Barangay Addition Hills.

RESOLVED, FINALLY, that copy of this Resolution be furnished to the Honorable City Mayor Benjamin S. Abalos at the Office of the City Mayor, Welfareville Commission, Mandaluyong Housing and Development Department, City Treasurer's Department and City Accounting Department for their immediate information.


ENACTED on this 4th day of March 2024, in the City of Mandaluyong.


I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE
WAS ENACTED BY THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD
OF MANDALUYONG IN A REGULAR SESSION HELD ON
THE DATE AND PLACE FIRST ABOVE GIVEN.


MA. TERESA S. MIRANDA
Sanggunian Secretary

ATTESTED BY:

APPROVED BY:


CARMELITA A. ABALOS
City Vice Mayor
& Presiding Officer


BENJAMIN S. ABALOS
City Mayor

Date: MAR 14 2024