



Republic of the Philippines  
**SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD**  
City Government of Pasig

Resolution No. 19-11  
Series of 2022

**A RESOLUTION HIGHLY ENCOURAGING THE PRESENCE OF A SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER DURING THE FLAG RAISING CEREMONY BEING HELD AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH WORK WEEK AT THE PASIG CITY HALL.**

Authored By: **Councilor Corazon M. Raymundo**  
Co-Authored By: **Councilor Mark Gil M. Delos Santos**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 8491, otherwise known as the "Flag and Heraldic Code of the Philippines" and the Civil Service Commission (CSC) MC No. 19, Series of 2012, require all government offices and educational institutions to observe the flag raising ceremony every Monday morning and the City Government of Pasig has been fully compliant with this provision even during the period of pandemic;

**WHEREAS**, the City Government fully subscribes to the Magna Carta for disabled persons (RA 7277) particularly in the principle that persons with disability should have the same rights as other people to live freely, *participate in activities for development and citizenship*, and take their proper place in society and interprets this principle in its inclusive governance;

**WHEREAS**, the recent practice of putting the city's flag ceremonies on live intends to include as many Pasigueños as possible to view and participate in the conduct of this activity that enhances the spirit of citizenship and promotes inclusivity;

**WHEREAS**, the PWDs are among those who are deprived in participating in these activities and the situation among the deaf among them can be significantly resolved with the presence of sign language interpreters during the conduct of flag ceremonies

**WHEREAS**, the city council finds this proposal to be pro-people, biased for the development of the most vulnerable and highly meritorious;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, on motion duly seconded, this Sangguniang Panlungsod resolves, to highly encourage the presence of a sign language interpreter during the Flag raising ceremony at the beginning of each work week at the Pasig City Hall.

**RESOLVED, FURTHER**, that the Cultural Affairs and Tourism Office (CATO) and the Special Children Education Institute of Pasig City shall be held responsible for the implementation and together with the Pasig Information Office will exercise due diligence in promoting this resolution to a larger audience and improving higher standards of quality in all aspects of the practice.

**APPROVED**, this 4th day of **August 2022** at Pasig City.

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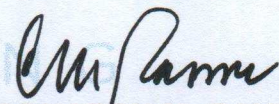
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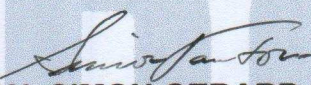
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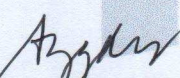
  
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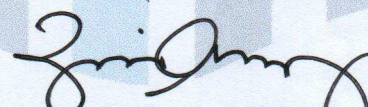
  
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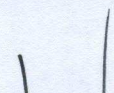
  
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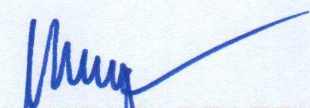
  
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COMMITTEE on EDUCATION

**COMMITTEE REPORT 2022-01**  
August 4, 2022

This report covers the Committee Hearing held on August 2, 2022 at 10:00 – 11:30 am  
at the Gallery of the Session Hall

**Present were:**

Sanggunian: Hon. Corazon M. Raymundo – Chairperson  
Hon. Paul Roman C. Santiago – Vice Chairperson  
Hon. Mark Gil M. Delos Santos – Majority Floor Leader-Ex-Officio  
Member  
Hon. Maria Luisa M. De Leon – Minority Floor Leader – Ex-Officio  
Member  
Hon. Syvel Asilo-Gupilan – Member  
Hon. Roderick Mario U. Gonzales – Member  
Hon. Simon Gerard R. Tantoco – Member  
Hon. Quin Cruz

**Resource Persons**

Dr. Liza Alvarez – Representative SDO, DepEd Pasig  
Dr. Louie B. Dasas – Project Lead Person, UST  
Dr. John Christian Valeroso – Teacher Education Chair, UST  
Mr. Rechie Tugawin – Representative, Office of the City Mayor  
Mr. Christian Echeche – OIC, Cultural Affairs and Tourism Office  
Ms. Josephine C. Robledo – OIC, Special Children Education  
Institute  
Mr. Jobert Achay – SPED Teacher

**Background**

The hearing was conducted in order to present, discuss/comment, generate agreements on amendments (if any) on two resolutions named in paragraphs A and B below. These resolutions were approved on first reading and referred to this committee for appropriate action during the July 28, 2022 regular session.

**Discussion and Recommendation of Each of the Two Resolutions**

Under the title of each resolution is the presentation of relevant comments and recommendations to wit:

**A. A resolution requiring the presence of a Sign Language interpreter during the flag ceremony being held every Monday morning at the Pasig City Hall.**





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### **Discussion**

The meeting acknowledged the importance of the resolution thus the discussion revolved around issues of (1) merit, (2) feasibility, (3) accuracy of time attribution, (4) availability of qualified sign language interpreters currently and in the near future, (5) how to make the proposal wider in scope and reach more audience and stakeholders even beyond the present deaf persons, and (6) technical requirements to improve the quality of viewing and reach of the proposed activity.

### **Recommendations**

After a thorough discussion of the above items, the following amendments were proposed on the original version of the resolution:

**Title:** A Resolution **Highly Encouraging** Requiring the Presence of a Sign Language Interpreter During the Flag **Raising** Ceremony Being Held Every Monday Morning **at the Beginning of Each Work Week** at the Pasig City Hall.

*(Words in red font are the recommended changes and the struck through words are recommended to be deleted)*

### **Body of the resolution**

All WHEREASES are to be retained without amendment

The following paragraphs for amendment with changes indicated in red font.

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**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that the Cultural Affairs and Tourism Office (CATO) and the Special Children Education Institute of Pasig City shall be held responsible for the implementation **and together with the Pasig Information Office will exercise due diligence in promoting this resolution to a larger audience and improving higher standards of quality in all aspects of the practice.**

**B. A Resolution Authorizing the City Government of Pasig Through the Honorable City Mayor Victor Ma. Regis N. Sotto to Enter and Sign a Memorandum of Agreement with the Department of Education Schools Division Office Pasig City and Pontifical and Royal University of Santo Tomas College of Education for the Scholarship Grant of the City Government of Pasig to Selected Secondary Junior and Senior High School Science Teachers within the City of Pasig, and For Other Purposes.**

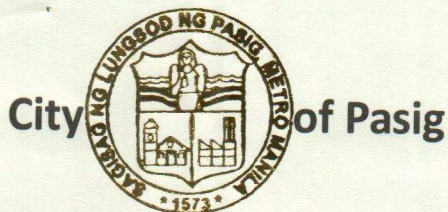
### **Discussion**

The proposed program of scholarship was explained thoroughly by Mr. Rechie Tugawin and amplified by Dr. Liza Alvarez who is the main proponent from SDO

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and served as the principal negotiator with UST officials for the different items in the Terms of Reference of the proposed Memorandum of Agreement.

The Question and Answer portion of the discussion revolved around specific components of the certificate program as well as competencies, strategies, pedagogy, content and platform of delivery. All these were patiently and satisfactorily responded to by the resource persons from UST. In addition there were out of the usual components of a curriculum in an academic setting like encouraging the conduct of research for publication purposes, being part of Group Chat created for the class up to two years or even after the 6-months program

In summary, the committee members were convinced that the scholarship program as proposed will be beneficial to the 153 proposed recipient science teachers, if implemented as designed.

### **Recommendations**

There is a slight recommendation in the title as follows: Delete secondary because it duplicates High School; Add Public; for public teachers only.

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The Committee is endorsing the resolution FOR APPROVAL,

### **Recommending Approval:**

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Chairperson

**Hon. PAUL ROMAN C. SANTIAGO**  
Vice Chairperson

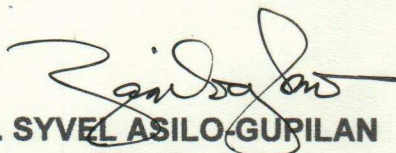
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
  
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