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**RESOLUTION NO. 274
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RESOLUTION DECLARING RENOWNED FASHION DESIGNER MARLON C. TUAZON, AS AN ADOPTED SON OF THE CITY OF MANILA

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and

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Majority Floor Leader



WHEREAS, Marlon C. Tuazon, is a renowned fashion designer based in Angeles, Pampanga and best known for his atelier MCT Couture;

WHEREAS, having had a career in the fashion industry for almost 30 years, he studied fashion design at Cora Doloroso Career Centre and clothing design at Golden Hands;

WHEREAS, in the mid-1990s, he was under the apprenticeship at La Casal by Rosette Ramos, one of the pioneer one-stop wedding shops of Angeles City;

WHEREAS, in 2018, he was hailed the first and double-gold winner in the Balintawak (short terno) and formal terno categories at the *TernoCon 2018* organized, by Bench with the Cultural Center of the Philippines (CCP), with the mission to promote and educate the younger generation about Filipino culture;

WHEREAS, in addition to Beatrice Luigi Gomez, Ariella Arida, and Liza Soberano, he has also dressed Sarah Geronimo, Bea Alonzo, Kim Chiu, Regine Velasquez, and Zsa Zsa Padilla. His wish list includes Lea Salonga, Dawn Zulueta, Lucy Torres, and ex-classmate Nanette Medved, who were among his teen idols;

WHEREAS, Rampa Manila, the City of Manila's first fashion show, will be held on 20 June 2023, which aims to showcase the best of Philippine style. The runway show is a component of the festivities honoring the 452nd Founding Anniversary of Manila City. The mission of the city government is to highlight Manila's rich culture and history through the medium of fashion. The exhibition will feature some of his creations as well as four other renowned fashion designers who have drawn inspiration from the rich heritage of the city and the country. The exhibition will feature a range of fashions, including contemporary and traditional Filipino attire;

WHEREAS, Marlon C. Tuazon is one of the five remarkable fashion designers whose works will be featured at *Rampa Manila*, the first ever fashion show hosted by the city government of Manila, under the tutelage of the Honorable Mayor, Maria Sheilah H. "Honey" Lacuna-Pangan, MD, FPDS, as part of the 452nd Founding Anniversary of the City of Manila: NOW, THEREFORE, be it

RESOLVED, by the City Council of Manila to declare, as it hereby declares renowned fashion designer Marlon C. Tuazon, as an adopted son of the City of Manila.

PRESIDED BY:


JOHANNA MAUREEN C. NIETO-RODRIGUEZ
Acting Presiding Officer
City Council, Manila

This Resolution was adopted by the City Council of Manila at its regular session on June 20, 2023.

ATTESTED:


LUCH R. GEMPIS, JR.
City Government Department Head III
Secretary to the City Council