

Republic of the Philippines CITY COUNCIL City of Manila

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RESOLUTION NO. 367 Series of 2023

RESOLUTION COMMENDING HONORABLE BIEVENIDO "BENNY" M. ABANTE, JR., BEING ONE OF THE MOST DISTINGUISHED LEGISLATOR OF MANILA AWARDED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MANILA DURING THEIR 122ND FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY HELD AT AYUNTAMIENTO DE MANILA ON 31 JULY 2023

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WHEREAS, the City Council of Manila held its 122nd Founding Anniversary on the 31st of July at the Ayuntamiento de Manila, Andres Soriano Avenue corner Cabildo Street, Intramuros, Manila wherein the history of the City Council was celebrated along with its past and present members, while simultaneously launching the future-ready vision of the City Council through the newly developed Manila City Council website;

WHEREAS, the City Council of Manila awarded the different legislators that graced the Manila City Hall Session Hall, among whom is Legislative District VI Representative Hon. Bienvenido "Benny" Abante, Jr., as one of the Distinguished Legislator of Manila Award:

WHEREAS, Congressman Hon. Benny Abante, Jr., has been a public servant for several years wherein he was a member of the City Council from 1992 to 1995, became a Congressman from 2004 to 2010;

WHEREAS, he ran again in 2019 and became a Congressman representing the Sixth District wherein he held the position of Minority Floor Leader at the House of Representative from 2019 to 2020 and Deputy House Speaker from 2020 to date;

WHEREAS, Hon. Bienvenido "Benny" Abante, Jr., is a seasoned legislator, currently serving his third term principally authoring 99 House Bill and co-authoring 36 House Bills;

WHEREAS, Hon. Bienvenido "Benny" M. Abante, Jr., has displayed exemplary dedication, integrity and commitment to public service throughout his career have earned him recognition and admiration worthy of emulation and role model to future generations: NOW, THEREFORE, be it

RESOLVED, by the City Council of Manila to commend, as it hereby commends Hon. Bienvenido "Benny" Abante, Jr., for being one of the most distinguished legislator of Manila awarded by the City Council of Manila during their 122nd Founding Anniversary held at Ayuntamiento de Manila on 31 July 2023.

PRESIDED BY:

Vice-Mayor and Presiding Officer
City Council, Manila

This Resolution was adopted by the City Council of Manila at its regular session on August 10, 2023.

ATTESTED:

City Government Department Head III

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