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RESOLUTION CELEBRATING THE 2024 NATIONAL WOMEN'S MONTH IN THE CITY OF MANILA WITH A THEME OF "LIPUNANG PATAS SA BAGONG PILIPINAS: KAKAYAHAN NG KABABAIHAN, PATUTUNAYAN"

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WHEREAS, March is known as the National Women's Month which honors the accomplishments and challenges faced by women as well as their right to gender equality while also promoting their contributions to culture, politics and society across numerous sectors in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, Article II, Section 14 of the 1987 Constitution, recognizes the inherent and essential role of women in nation-building. As such, it is the declared policy of the state to protect and promote the rights of women by ensuring equality before the law;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9710 otherwise known as the "Magna Carta of Women", endeavored the abolition of unequal structures, apprehensions and practices by introducing mechanisms, policies and programs in recognition of the position of Filipina women in society;

WHEREAS, as a token for women's rights, City Ordinance No. 7903 was enacted declaring the second week of March of every year as "Linggo ng Kababaihan";

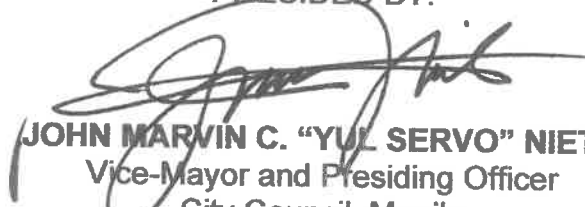
WHEREAS, this Sanggunian encourages all the offices in the City Government of Manila to conduct programs especially intended to emphasize the role of women in nation-building which shall include seminars, symposia, essay-writing contests, selection of outstanding women in various fields and welfare projects for unemployed women;

WHEREAS, the Philippine Commission on Women (PCW) formerly known as the National Commission on the Role of Filipino Women (NCRFW), is the primary policy-making and coordinating body on women and gender equality concerns. It serves as a catalyst for gender mainstreaming, the authority on women's concerns and advocates for women's empowerment, gender equity and gender equality: NOW, THEREFORE, be it

RESOLVED, by the City Council of Manila to celebrate, as it hereby celebrates the 2024 celebration of National Women's Month in the City of Manila with a theme "*Lipunang Patas sa Bagong Pilipinas: Kakayahan ng Kababaihan, Patutunayan*"; and be it FURTHER

RESOLVED, that copies of this Resolution be furnished to the Manila Department of Social Welfare (MDSW) Director Ma. Asuncion G. Fugoso and to the Philippine Commission on Women (PCW) Executive Director Atty. Kristine Rosary E. Yuson-Chavez.

PRESIDED BY:


JOHN MARVIN C. "YUL SERVO" NIETO
Vice-Mayor and Presiding Officer
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This Resolution was adopted by the City Council of Manila at its regular session on March 5, 2024.

ATTESTED:


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