

## Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN Tuguegarao City



## TENTH CITY COUNCIL

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 7th REGULAR SESSION OF THE TENTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN HELD ON AUGUST 12, 2025 (TUESDAY), 9:00 A.M., AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

#### PRESENT:

City Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer
Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
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Ex Officio Member

## ABSENT:

Hon. Mark Angelo B. Dayag	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (on Official Business)
Hon. Cerene Pearl T. Quilang	Ex Officio Member (on Official Time)

# CITY RESOLUTION NO. 63-10-2025

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TUGUEGARAO CITY GOVERNMENT AND CAGAYAN STATE UNIVERSITY (CSU) RELATIVE TO VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN (VAWC) CASES IN THE CITY AND THE NECESSARY INTERVENTIONS AND GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR, HON. MAILA ROSARIO S. TING-QUE, TO SIGN FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE TUGUEGARAO CITY GOVERNMENT THE SAID MOA

WHEREAS, Section 455(b)(1)(vi) of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, grants the Local Chief Executive the power to enter into contracts for and on behalf of the local government unit prior authorization by the Sangguniang Panlungsod;

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9262, otherwise known as the "Anti-Violence Against Women and their Children Act of 2004," mandates the protection of women and children from violence, including intimate partner violence (IPV), and encourages multi-sectoral collaboration to prevent abuse and support survivors;

WHEREAS, the Eighth City Council in its 51<sup>st</sup> Regular Session held on July 28, 2020 approved City Ordinance No. 049-08-2020 titled "An Ordinance Establishing the City of Tuguegarao's Response Mechanism and Protocol in handling Gender-Based Violence (GBV) and Violence Against Women and their Children (VAWC) Cases;"

WHEREAS, the Tuguegarao City Government recognizes the importance of collaboration with different line agencies/stakeholders especially the academe;

WHEREAS, Cagayan State University (CSU) is a gender responsive University which envisions the attainment of gender equality, and empowered men and women in delivering world class education that

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promotes sustainable development, and socially responsible environment that is free from all forms of injustice;

WHEREAS, the research titled "Breaking Cycles of Abuse: Empowering Women Through a Primary Support Program and Advocacy Intervention in Intimate Partner Violence" conducted in 2023 and completed in May 2024 aimed to analyze IPV cases filed with the Philippine National Police-Tuguegarao Component City Police Station (PNP-TCCPS) from 2016-2024;

WHEREAS, the said research was the result of the concerted efforts of CHONA P. AGUSTIN-Lead Researcher, with members MARYGRACE T. DELELIS, CATHERINE F. GIZON, JULIA T. CARDONA, who are all faculty of Cagayan State University;

WHEREAS, the Tuguegarao City Government acknowledges the result of the research study conducted by CSU, hence, the need to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) for the realization of the research program and activities for Intimate Partners Violence (IPV) Cases;

**WHEREAS,** it is necessary for CSU to enter into a MOA with the Tuguegarao City Government to make the MOA legally binding;

**WHEREAS**, the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, indorsed to the Tenth City Council the above-stated MOA and requested for an authority to sign for and on behalf of the Tuguegarao City Government the said MOA;

WHEREAS, after a deliberation in a committee meeting held for the said purpose, the Committee on Women, Children, Family and Gender Relations found the request to be in order and beneficial to the concerned sector;

WHEREAS, after the approval of the concomitant committee report, the Tenth City Council during its 7<sup>th</sup> Regular Session held on August 12, 2025 deemed it proper and necessary to approve the herein resolution:

NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVE, as it is hereby RESOLVED, to approve the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the Tuguegarao City Government and Cagayan State University (CSU) relative to the Violence Against Women and Their Children (VAWC) Cases in the City and the Necessary Interventions and to grant authority to the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, to sign for and on behalf of the Tuguegarao City Government the said MOA.

On motion of Hon. Te, duly seconded and without any objection, CITY RESOLUTION NO. 63-10-2025 was APPROVED.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

ELI JOSEPHIL. EGIPTO, Ph.I. Secretary to the Sanggunian

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HON. ROSAURO RODRIGO G. RESUELLO, CPA,

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Date: AUGUST 13, 10%

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