



Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN
Tuguegarao City
NINTH CITY COUNCIL



EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 134th REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINTH CITY
COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN HELD ON APRIL 22, 2025
(TUESDAY), 9:00 A.M., AT THE SANGGUNIAN PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

PRESENT:

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II	City Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer
Hon. Maria Rosario B. Soriano	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan	-do-
Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Gilbert S. Labang	-do-
Hon. Jude T. Bayona	-do-
Hon. Karina S. Gauani-Viernes	-do-
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay	-do-
Hon. Grace B. Arago	-do-
Hon. Tirso V. Mangada	-do-
Hon. Marc Aldous C. Baccay	-do-
Hon. Restituto C. Ramirez	Ex Officio Member
Hon. Cerene Pearl T. Quilang	-do-

ABSENT:

Hon. Mark Angelo B. Dayag	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Ronaldo S. Ortiz	-do-

CITY RESOLUTION NO. 215-09-2025

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING AND APPROVING THE TUGUEGARAO CITY URBAN
BIODIVERSITY MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR CY 2025-2029**

WHEREAS, Article II, Section 16 of the Constitution provides that the State shall protect and advance the right of the people to a balanced and healthful ecology in accord with the rhythm and harmony of nature;

WHEREAS, pursuant to this Constitutional mandate, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) issued DENR Administrative Order No. 2016-12 Adopting the Philippine Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (PBSAP) 2015-2028;

WHEREAS, the Biodiversity Management Bureau was authorized to coordinate the implementation and mainstreaming of the Philippine Biodiversity Strategy and Action Plan (PBSAP) with the plans and programs of concerned national government agencies and local government units;

WHEREAS, the Tuguegarao City Government recognizes the vital importance of urban biodiversity in maintaining ecological balance, improving the quality of life for its residents, and enhancing city resilience against climate change and environmental degradation;

WHEREAS, the development of a comprehensive Urban Biodiversity Management Plan aligns with national and international commitments to biodiversity conservation, including the Convention on Biological Diversity and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals;

WHEREAS, the Tuguegarao City Urban Biodiversity Management Plan for CY 2025-2029 outlines strategic goals, objectives, and actions aimed at fostering urban biodiversity, enhancing ecosystem services, and promoting public awareness and education on biodiversity issues.

NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVE, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to adopt and approve the Tuguegarao City Urban Biodiversity Management Plan for CY 2025-2029.

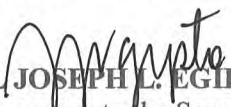
RESOLVED FURTHER, that the adoption and approval of this resolution is subject to the incorporation of the funding sources by the City Planning and Development Office (CPDO) and the identification of specific activities for the implementation and monitoring of the different programs, projects and activities by the City Environment and Natural Resources Office of the Tuguegarao City Government and the PENRO Cagayan Sub-Office.

RESOLVED FINALLY, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the pertinent agencies or departments concerned for information and appropriate action.

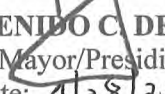
On motion of Hon. Soriano and without any objection, **CITY RESOLUTION NO. 215-09-2025** was **APPROVED**.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:


JOEL JOSEPH L. EGIPTO, Ph.D.
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:


HON. BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer
Date: 4/28/25

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