



Republic of the Philippines  
 PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN  
 Tuguegarao City



**NINTH CITY COUNCIL**

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 90<sup>th</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN HELD ON MAY 06, 2024, (MONDAY), 09:00 A.M., AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Bienvenido C. De Guzman II	City Vice Mayor, Presiding Officer
Hon. Mark Angelo B. Dayag	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Maria Rosario B. Soriano	-do-
Hon. Ronaldo S. Ortiz	-do-
Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan	-do-
Hon. Gilbert S. Labang	-do-
Hon. Jude T. Bayona	-do-
Hon. Karina S. Gauani-Viernes	-do-
Hon. Arnel T. Arugay	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing)
Hon. Grace B. Arago	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member
Hon. Tirso V. Mangada	-do-

**ABSENT:**

Hon. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (on Official Business)
Hon. Marc Aldous C. Baccay	Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (on Official Leave)
Hon. Restituto C. Ramirez	Ex Officio Member (on Official Business)
Hon. Cerene Pearl T. Quilang	-do-

**CITY RESOLUTION NO. 259-09-2024**

**RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MAYOR, HON. MAILA ROSARIO S. TING-QUE, TO SIGN FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE TUGUEGARAO CITY GOVERNMENT THE LETTER OF CONFORMITY AND THE SERVICE CONTRACT AGREEMENT INDICATING ITS COMMITMENT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PUBLIC UTILITY VEHICLE SERVICE CONTRACTING (PUVSC) PROGRAM-PHASE UNDER THE GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT 2023**

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the City Mayor received a letter of invitation from the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) to participate in the Public Utility Vehicle Service Contracting (PUVSC) Program under Republic Act No. 11645 or the General Appropriations Act 2023;

**WHEREAS**, the PUVSC generally aims to improve the efficiency, safety and reliability of public transportation systems by engaging the support and collaboration of different local government units (LGUs). By partnering with them, the national government can effectively address the transportation needs of communities and ensure the provision of quality services to the commuters;

**WHEREAS**, the Regional Director of LTFRB R02, Atty. Richard G. Dayag, stated during the committee meeting that the Service Contracting Program (SCP) is a government initiative that provides cash subsidies through payouts for contracting public transport services to affected public utility vehicle (PUV) drivers pursuant to the General Appropriations Act (GAA) of 2023. It is a continuing program that started during the Covid-19 Pandemic in 2020 pursuant to RA 11494 of the Bayanihan to Recover as One Act that provides temporary livelihood to displaced workers in the transportation sector and at the same time raise the level of service of the modes of public transport;

**WHEREAS**, the LTFRB firmly believes that the Tuguegarao City Government plays a crucial role in advancing this initiative and contributing to the overall success of the PUVSC. Its involvement will not only benefit the commuters within its jurisdiction but also foster sustainable growth and development throughout the region;

**WHEREAS**, there is a need for the passage of a resolution granting authority to the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, to sign for and on behalf of the Tuguegarao City Government the Letter of Conformity and the Service Contract Agreement indicating its commitment to participate in the Public Utility Vehicle Service Contracting (PUVSC) Program-Phase 4 under the General Appropriations Act (GAA 2023);

**WHEREAS**, upon the evaluation of the subject referred, the joint Committee on Rules, Laws and Ethics and Committee on Transportation recommend for the approval of the said Letter of Conformity and the Service Contract Agreement;

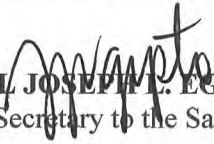
**WHEREAS**, the joint committees further recommend for the passage of a resolution granting authority to the City Mayor to sign for and on behalf of the Tuguegarao City Government the said Letter of Conformity and the Service Contract Agreement indicating its commitment to participate in the Public Utility Vehicle Service Contracting (PUVSC) Program-Phase 4 under the General Appropriations Act (GAA 2023);

**NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVE**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, 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 Letter of Conformity and the Service Contract Agreement indicating its commitment to participate in the Public Utility Vehicle Service Contracting (PUVSC) Program-Phase 4 under the General Appropriations Act (GAA 2023).


On joint motion and with the abstention of Hon. Ortiz, **CITY RESOLUTION NO. 259-09-2024** was **APPROVED** under suspended rules.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

  
**JOEL JOSEPH M. EGIPTO, Ph.D.**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED:

  
**HON. BIENVENIDO C. DE GUZMAN II**  
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer  
Date: 5/7/2024

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