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A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY MAYOR TO ALLOW THE USE OF THE SIDEWALK OF THE TUGUEGARAO CITY COMMERCIAL CENTER FOR THE CONDUCT OF NIGHT MARKET FROM FEBRUARY 1 TO MARCH 30, 2024

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WHEREAS, Section 17 of Republic Act No. 7160 or the Local Government Code provides that local government units shall exercise such other powers and discharge such other functions and responsibilities as are necessary, appropriate, or incidental to efficient and effective provision of the basic services and facilities such as a public market;

WHEREAS, under Section 7, Chapter II of City Ordinance No. 01-2005 otherwise known as "The Tuguegarao City Public Market Code of 2005", the City Mayor shall exercise direct and immediate supervision, administration and control over the public market and the personnel thereof, including those duties concerning the maintenance, upkeep, peace and order of the market premises;

WHEREAS, under the Market Code, the Tuguegarao City Public (Central) Market, now known as the "Tuguegarao City Commercial Center", is considered a duly authorized public market;

WHEREAS, the City recognizes the importance of promoting economic activities that benefit local businesses and artisans;

WHEREAS, night markets have proven to be successful in various cities, fostering community engagement and contributing to local economic growth;

WHEREAS, the night market aims to alleviate the economic challenges faced by ambulant vendors who continue to grapple with the lingering effects of the COVID-19 pandemic.

WHEREAS, the establishment of a night market is essential to afford ambulant vendors the chance to enhance their earnings by showcasing and selling their goods;

WHEREAS, the proposed Night Market is scheduled to take place on the sidewalk of the Tuguegarao City Commercial Center, from February 1 to March 30, 2024;

WHEREAS, in Committee Report No. 282-2023, adopted and approved during the Special Session of the 9th City Council dated December 14, 2023, which involved the sidewalk of the Tuguegarao City Commercial Center, it is within the ambit of the City Mayor's prerogative to approve matters regarding the public market since the Local Chief Executive has direct control and supervision of the operation thereof under the Market Code;

WHEREAS, the City Mayor is respectfully requested to allow the use of the sidewalk of the Tuguegarao City Commercial Center for the conduct of Night Market for ambulant vendors from February 1, 2024 to March 30, 2024;

NOW THEREFORE, RESOLVED, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to request the City Mayor to allow the use of the sidewalk of the Tuguegarao City Commercial Center for the conduct of Night Market for ambulant vendors from February 1, 2024 to March 30, 2024.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to the Office of the City Mayor for appropriate action and dissemination.