



### Republic of the Philippines Province of Cagayan CITY OF TUGUEGARAO

# OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE SANGGUNIAN





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March 22, 2024

# DR. ROSALINDA P. CALLANG

Secretary to the Sanggunian Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Cagayan Capitol Hills, Tuguegarao City

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### Madam:

Pursuant to Section 55 of the Local Government Code, we are now submitting for review and action the attached legislative measure enacted by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Tuguegarao City during its 83rd Regular Session on March 19, 2024, to wit:

1.) CITY ORDINANCE NO. 10-09-2024 - ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE PERIOD OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EXPERIMENTAL TRAFFIC SCHEME ALONG CAGAYAN-APAYAO ROAD (BUNTUN AREA INTERSECTION) UNTIL APRIL 30, 2024

Thank you

Your Truly,

JOEL JOSEPHL. EGIPTO Secretary to the Sanggunian







# Republic of the Philippines PROVINCE OF CAGAYAN Tuguegarao City

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### NINTH CITY COUNCIL

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 83rd REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINTH CITY COUNCIL OF TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN HELD ON MARCH 19, 2024, (TUESDAY), 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. Mary Marjorie P. Martin-Chan -do-Hon. Imogen Claire M. Callangan -do-Hon. Gilbert S. Labang -do-Hon, Jude T. Bayona -do-Hon. Karina S. Gauani-Viernes Sangguniang Panlungsod Member (via Teleconferencing) Hon. Arnel T. Arugay Sangguniang Panlungsod Member 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-

### CITY ORDINANCE NO. 10-09-2024

AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE PERIOD OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EXPERIMENTAL TRAFFIC SCHEME ALONG CAGAYAN-APAYAO ROAD (BUNTUN AREA INTERSECTION) UNTIL APRIL 30, 2024

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160 or the Local Government Code of 1991 provides that "Every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare";

WHEREAS, the Ninth City Council in its 75<sup>th</sup> Regular Session held on January 23, 2024 passed City Ordinance No. 01-09-2024 titled "ORDINANCE IMPLEMENTING AN EXPERIMENTAL TRAFFIC SCHEME ALONG CAGAYAN-APAYAO ROAD (BUNTUN AREA INTERSECTION) FOR THE PERIOD STARTING FEBRUARY 1, 2024 TO FEBRUARY 29, 2024;"

WHEREAS, the City Mayor, Hon. Maila Rosario S. Ting-Que, has indorsed to the Ninth City Council the letter-request from the Head of Public Safety and Security Unit/Tuguegarao City Traffic Management Group (PSSU/TMG), Mr. Arthur T. Blaquera, for the continuous implementation of the Traffic Scheme along Buntun Crossing Intersection;

WHEREAS, the experimental traffic scheme has shown significant congestion reduction, more effective traffic flow, and improved movement, safety and accessibility to both road users and pedestrians;

WHEREAS, the City acknowledges the need for an experimental traffic scheme to address trafficrelated issues, with a commitment to exploring effective solutions that prioritize the safety and convenience of the community.

**NOW**, **THEREFORE**, be it **ORDAINED** by the Ninth City Council of Tuguegarao in session assembled, to enact:

SECTION 1. TITLE. This ordinance shall be known as the AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE PERIOD OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE EXPERIMENTAL TRAFFIC SCHEME ALONG CAGAYAN-APAYAO ROAD (BUNTUN AREA INTERSECTION) UNTIL APRIL 30, 2024.

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**SECTION 2. PURPOSE.** The purpose of this ordinance is to extend the implementation of the experimental traffic scheme at the Cagayan-Apayao Road (Buntun Area Intersection) to enhance traffic flow, ensure public safety and assess the feasibility of traffic control measures.

**SECTION 3. TRAFFIC SCHEME PERIOD**. The experimental traffic scheme shall be enforced until April 30, 2024.

**SECTION 4. RESTRICTED TURNS.** During the period of the Experimental Traffic Scheme as specified in Section 3 hereof, the following shall be declared as No Left Turn:

- a. From Enrile/Solana, Cagayan going to Pallua Sur.
- b. From Centro Tuguegarao going to Cataggaman Pardo.

**SECTION 5. ENFORCEMENT.** The City Mayor, through the Tuguegarao City Traffic Management and Public Safety and Security Unit (PSSU), with the Tuguegarao City Component Police Station and concerned barangay officials, shall be responsible for the strict implementation of the experimental traffic scheme.

**SECTION 6. ASSESSMENT AND FEEDBACK.** The TMG/PSSU shall conduct a comprehensive assessment of the experimental traffic scheme's impact on traffic flow, safety and public convenience which will be the basis in making the necessary adjustments to the traffic scheme or decide on its continuation, modification or termination.

**SECTION 7. PUBLIC AWARENESS.** The TMG/PSSU shall conduct an extensive information campaign to inform the public about the experimental traffic scheme. This shall include the posting of informative signs including "NO LEFT TURN" signages, media announcements and online posts through the Tuguegarao City Information Office and other social media sites.

**SECTION 8. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE.** Should any section or provision of this City Ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid, other provisions which are not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

**SECTION 9. REPEALING CLAUSE.** Ordinances and other local legislations inconsistent with this Ordinance or parts thereof are hereby modified or repealed accordingly.

SECTION 10. EFFECTIVITY. This ordinance shall take effect until April 30, 2024.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY TO THE CORRECTNESS OF THE FOREGOING:

ATTESTED:

HON. BIENVENIDO O DE GUZMAN II

City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

Date: 03 -4 -2024

APPROVED:

HON. MAILA ROSARIO S. TING-QUE

City Mayor

Date: 03-21-2024

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