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MONCADA, TARLAC

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 32nd REGULAR SESSION OF THE 11th SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF MONCADA, TARLAC FOR CY 2023 HELD ON THE 25th DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2023 AT THE SB SESSION HALL, NEW SB-ABC-SK BUILDING.

PRESENT:

HON. RAMON BENITO M. AQUINO	..VICE MAYOR / PRESIDING OFFICER
HON. JANIUS M. YASAY	..MEMBER
HON. ALBERTO C. MARZAN, JR., MD	..MEMBER
HON. THELMAFLOR A. ESPEJO	..MEMBER
HON. CELESTE A. AYSON	..MEMBER
HON. GEORGE MICHAEL P. AGUILAR	..MEMBER
HON. CONSTANTE NESTOR A. FAVIS	..MEMBER
HON. DEAN MICHAEL V. DUQUE	..MEMBER
HON. GEORGE R. CUCHAPIN, MD	..LnB PRESIDENT

ABSENT:

HON. RODOLFO C. ESPEJO, JR.	..MEMBER (OFFICIAL LEAVE)
HON. EZEKIEL C. RIVERA	..SKF PRESIDENT (OFFICIAL LEAVE)

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 22
Series of 2023

GRANTING RECOGNITION AND INCENTIVE TO COLLEGE HONOR GRADUATES IN MONCADA

Authored by: Coun. George Michael P. Aguilar
Sponsored by: Coun. Dean Michael V. Duque

WHEREAS, education plays a vital role in the development of individuals and society as a whole, and the achievements of our youth in the pursuit of higher education deserve commendation and support;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Moncada recognizes the importance of nurturing and celebrating academic excellence, as it contributes to the advancement of the community and the nation;

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Sangguniang Bayan to establish a mechanism that acknowledges the efforts and achievements of college honor graduates and encourages others to excel academically;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion by Coun. Dean Michael V. Duque, duly seconded by Coun. George Michael P. Aguilar;

BE IT ENACTED by the Sangguniang Bayan of Moncada, Tarlac, in session assembled, that:





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SECTION 1. Title

This Ordinance shall be known as the **"Moncada College Honor Graduates Recognition and Incentives Ordinance."**

SECTION 2. Purpose

The purpose of this ordinance is to grant recognition and incentives to college honor graduates residing in Moncada, as a means of acknowledging their academic achievements and motivating others to strive for excellence.

SECTION 3. Definitions

For the purpose of this ordinance, the following terms are hereby defined:

- (a) "College Honor Graduate" refers to a resident of Moncada who has successfully completed a degree program in a recognized college or university and has graduated with honors, as certified by the educational institution.
- (b) "Summa Cum Laude" refers to a graduate who achieved the highest academic distinction based on the institution's criteria.
- (c) "Magna Cum Laude" refers to a graduate who achieved the second-highest academic distinction based on the institution's criteria.
- (d) "Cum Laude" refers to a graduate who achieved the third-highest academic distinction based on the institution's criteria.

SECTION 4. Recognition and Incentives

College honor graduates residing in Moncada, as certified by their respective institutions, shall be granted the following recognition and incentives:

- (a) Summa Cum Laude: A cash incentive of five thousand pesos (P 5,000.00) and a certificate of recognition from the Municipality of Moncada.
- (b) Magna Cum Laude: A cash incentive of three thousand pesos (P 3,000.00) and a certificate of recognition from the Municipality of Moncada.
- (c) Cum Laude: A cash incentive of two thousand pesos (P 2,000.00) and a certificate of recognition from the Municipality of Moncada.

SECTION 5. Funding

The funds necessary to implement the provisions of this ordinance shall be sourced from the Annual Budget of the Municipal Government of Moncada.

SECTION 6. Implementation

The Office of the Mayor, in coordination with the Local School Board, shall promulgate the necessary guidelines and procedures for the implementation of this ordinance.

SECTION 7. Effectivity

This ordinance shall take effect upon its approval.





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ENACTED, this 25th day of September, 2023 at Moncada, Tarlac.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance which was enacted on Third and Final Reading by the 11th Sangguniang Bayan of Moncada during its Regular Session held on the aforementioned date and place.

VICTOR SANDINO S. MOLINA
Secretary, Sangguniang Bayan

**ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED
TO BE DULY ENACTED:**

RAMON BENITO M. AQUINO
Vice Mayor & Presiding Officer

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR, THIS 02 DAY OF OCT., 2023.

ESTELITA M. AQUINO
Municipal Mayor

