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EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 110TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE 9TH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF THE CITY OF KABANKALAN, PROVINCE OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL HELD ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 2024 AT THE SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD SESSION HALL

Present:

HON. MIGUEL M. ZAYCO	- Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer
HON. ROGER M. REGALIA	- Member
HON. JEANNA C. GENIZERA	- Member
HON. JOESTARR B. BANDOJO	- Member
HON. ADOLFO T. MANGAO JR.	- Member
HON. MACARIO Z. ZAFRA, III	- Member
HON. REY G. CORDERO	- Member
HON. JOSE M. DUMAGUETE	- Member
HON. MARIE VIC A. RAMOS	- Member
HON. JOAN D. CAGAPE	- Member
HON. RICO M. REGALIA	- Member (Ex-Officio, LB Pres)
HON. ERNIE J. LIBONA	- Member (Ex-Officio, SK Fed. Pres.)
HON. JENNELYN M. LARGADO	- Member (IPMR)

Absent:

HON. JERZY M. GUANZON	- Member

R E S O L U T I O N

Number 2024-453

A RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE LAND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISING AND REGULATORY BOARD (LTFRB) TO DEFER THE AWARDING AND SELECTION PROCESS FOR THE PUBLIC UTILITY JEEPNEY (PUJ) ROUTES IN BARANGAY BINICUIL AND DAAN BANUA AND TO GRANT FIRST PRIORITY TO THE AFFECTED TRICYCLE DRIVERS ASSOCIATIONS UPON COMPLETION OF THEIR COOPERATIVE FORMATION, PURSUANT TO THE LEGAL FRAMEWORK OF THE LOCAL PUBLIC TRANSPORT ROUTE PLAN (LPTRP)

WHEREAS, the Local Government Code of 1991 mandates the Sangguniang Panlungsod to protect and promote the welfare of its constituents, ensuring that economic opportunities and livelihoods are preserved and enhanced within the local community;

WHEREAS, City Ordinance No. 2023-007 adopts the Local Public Transport Route Plan (LPTRP) for the City of Kabankalan for 2020-2024, which outlines the restructuring and modernization of public transportation routes within the city, including those in Barangay Binicuil and Daan Banua;

WHEREAS, the LPTRP, as articulated in the Joint Memorandum Circular No. 001 series of 2017 of the Department of Transportation (DOTr) and the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), emphasizes the importance of involving local stakeholders in the planning and implementation of public transport routes, thereby recognizing the priority of affected local drivers and operators;

WHEREAS, the Tricycle Drivers Associations in Barangay Binicuil and Daan Banua, whose members have long served these areas, are directly affected by the route rationalization under the LPTRP and are currently in the process of forming a cooperative to qualify for priority consideration and access government financing programs;

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WHEREAS, the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) has the authority to evaluate and approve public transport routes and modes under the Omnibus Franchising Guidelines (OFG) and relevant LTFRB Memorandum Circulars, and can defer or adjust the selection process to prioritize local stakeholders who are directly impacted by the implementation of the LPTRP;

WHEREAS, a Stakeholders Consultation Meeting was held on August 16, 2024, at the Sangguniang Panlungsod Session Hall in Kabankalan, by LTFRB Region VI, during which the need to delay the selection process was discussed to allow the Tricycle Drivers Associations in Barangay Binicuil and Daan Banua sufficient time to complete the formation of their cooperative and thereby secure their livelihood and access to financial support;

NOW THEREFORE, the *Sangguniang Panlungsod*, upon motion made by SP Member *Rey G. Cordero* and duly seconded by SP Members *Roger M. Regalia, Jeanna C. Genizera, Joestarr B. Bandojo, Adolfo T. Mangao Jr., Macario Z. Zafra III, Jose M. Dumaguete, Marie Vic A. Ramos, Joan D. Cagape, Rico M. Regalia, Ernie J. Libona, and Jennelyn M. Largado;*

RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved:

To respectfully request the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) to defer the awarding and selection process for the Public Utility Jeepney (PUJ) routes in Barangay Binicuil and Daan Banua until such time as the Tricycle Drivers Associations in these areas have completed the formation of their cooperative and can be granted first priority in the selection process, in accordance with the legal framework set forth in the Local Public Transport Route Plan (LPTRP) and relevant LTFRB guidelines;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that in recognition of their long-standing service and the direct impact of the LPTRP on their livelihoods, the Tricycle Drivers Associations in Barangay Binicuil and Daan Banua be given first priority in the selection process once they have formed their cooperative and met all necessary requirements;

RESOLVED FINALLY, that duly certified copies of this resolution be furnished to the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) Regional Office VI, the Office of the City Mayor, the Tricycle Drivers Associations of Barangay Binicuil and Daan Banua, and other concerned offices for their information and appropriate action.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

ADOPTED this 22nd Day of August, 2024.

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I hereby certify to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution:

MIGUEL M. ZAYCO
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:

JEREMY PAUL L. ARBOLARIO
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

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