

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 22<sup>ND</sup> REGULAR SESSION OF THE 14<sup>TH</sup> SANGGUNIANG PANLALAWIGAN OF THE PROVINCE OF AURORA HELD AT THE SP SESSION HALL, PROVINCIAL CAPITOL, BALER, AURORA ON FEBRUARY 4, 2020

PRESENT:

HON. MARIANO C. TANGSON,	Acting Vice Governor & Temporary Presiding Officer
HON. ISIDRO P. GALBAN,	Regular Member, 1 <sup>st</sup> District
HON. JESUS V. PALMERO,	Regular Member, 1 <sup>st</sup> District
HON. PHILIP BUTCH M. BAUTISTA,	Regular Member, 1 <sup>st</sup> District
HON. JENNIFER A. ARAÑA,	Regular Member, 2 <sup>nd</sup> District
HON. LORDAN B. ROXAS,	Regular Member, 2 <sup>nd</sup> District
HON. NICASIO M. SALAMERA,	Regular Member, 2 <sup>nd</sup> District
HON. RAFAEL M. DE MAYO,	Ex-Officio Member, LnB President
HON. ONASIS Q. RONQUILLO,	Ex-Officio Member, PCL President

ABSENT:

HON. EUGENE B. CALUGTONG	Regular Member, 2 <sup>nd</sup> District, (On O.B.)
HON. JOVENE MIKE B. ALPUERTO,	Ex-Officio Member, SKF President, (On O.B.)
HON. MARY JANE B. DONATO	Ex-Officio Member, IPM Rep., (On Leave)

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 48**

Series 2020

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING INVALID AND INCONSISTENT WITH LAW THE MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE NO. 003-2019 OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN LUIS, AURORA ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE ENSURING THE SAFETY AND PROTECTION OF CHILDREN BY MANDATING ADDITIONAL ROAD-SAFETY MEASURES WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN LUIS, AURORA, AND IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF"**

**WHEREAS**, the SP Committee on Social Welfare, Women, and Family and the SP Committee on Laws, Ordinances, and Legal Matters to whom was referred the Municipal Ordinance No. 8-2019 of the Municipality of Maria Aurora, Aurora has considered the same in a committee hearing held for the purpose:

**WHEREAS**, the definition of "children" in Section 3 of the ordinance is inconsistent with existing laws;

**WHEREAS**, the body affirmed and concurred with the following recommendations submitted by the abovementioned committees:

1. The short title in Section 1 is too broad than the main title of the ordinance as well as the WHEREAS statements which refer particularly to children. Thus to harmonize them it is suggested that the short title should read as "Road Safety and Protection of Children Ordinance of the Municipality of San Luis;"
2. Similarly, Section 2, entitled "Purpose," can be rewritten to focus on the children instead of the general public;
3. Majority of the provisions of this ordinance are mostly for the general public, with only Section 3 and Section 4c focusing on children. The ordinance should be modified in order to reflect the objective of the

ordinance, that is, to provide for the road safety and protection needs of children;

4. In Section 2, the phrase "taken on by" can be replaced with "imposed upon" and the word "steering" can be added before "wheels;"
5. The title of Section 3 can be changed to "Definition of Terms." In addition, the other significant terms used in the ordinance can be included and defined in the section for its particular use or purpose in the ordinance;
6. In Section 4 a.1, "crossing lanes" can be replaced with "pedestrian lanes" and the phrase "or areas duly designated and marked as pedestrian crossing" can be omitted;
7. In Section 4 b, the word "signs" can be replaced with "signboards."
8. Section 5 can be omitted entirely as it is redundant with existing laws;
9. Section 7 and 8 can be merged to a single section entitled "Penalty Clause;"

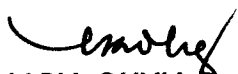
**NOW THEREFORE**, on motion of Hon. Jennifer A. Araña, seconded by Hon. Nicasio M. Salamera, Hon. Rafael M. De Mayo, Hon. Philip Butch M. Bautista, Hon. Onasis Q. Ronquillo, and Hon. Isidro P. Galban,

**BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, to declare invalid and inconsistent with law the Municipal Ordinance No. 003-2019 of the Municipality of San Luis, Aurora entitled "AN ORDINANCE ENSURING THE SAFETY AND PROTECTION OF CHILDREN BY MANDATING ADDITIONAL ROAD- SAFETY MEASURES WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN LUIS, AURORA, AND IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF."

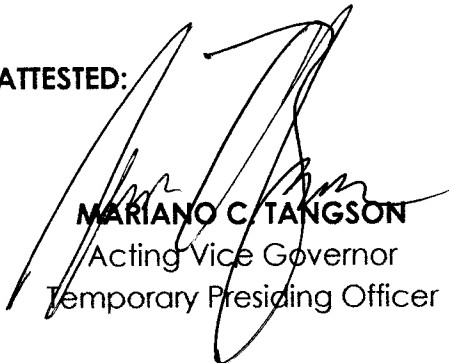
**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that this resolution be transmitted to the Municipality of San Luis, Aurora, through the Offices of the Municipal Mayor and the Sangguniang Bayan for information and appropriate action.

**APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY.**

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.

  
**MARIA OLIVIA B. MAZA**  
Secretary to the Sanggunian

**ATTESTED:**

  
**MARIANO C. TANGSON**  
Acting Vice Governor  
Temporary Presiding Officer