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Province of Isabela
CITY OF CAUAYAN

Office of the Sangguniang Panlungsod

Resolution approved by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Cauayan, Isabela, in its Regular Session held on June 16, 2021 at the SP Session Hall.

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RESOLUTION NO. 2021 – 074

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE HON. BERNARD FAUSTINO M. DY, CITY MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT (JVA) WITH QPAX TRAFFIC SYSTEM, INC., REPRESENTED BY ITS CHAIRMAN AND PRESIDENT, MR. MANOLO STEVEN M. ONA, FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NO CONTACT APPREHENSION PROGRAM IN THE CITY OF CAUAYAN, ISABELA.

(Sponsor: HON. PAUL VINCENT R. MAURICIO)

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2018, the City enacted Ordinance No. 2018-164 otherwise known as the "Cauayan City PPP Code";

WHEREAS, on October 24, 2019, the City enacted Ordinance No. 2019 – 234 otherwise known as the "Cauayan City Revised Traffic Management Code";

WHEREAS, vehicular accidents along Cauayan City's main thoroughfares have increased within in number due to the volume of vehicles that ply such thoroughfares;

WHEREAS, the number of traffic enforcers employed by the City to monitor traffic within Cauayan City has not increased proportionately to the volume of vehicles that passes through it;

WHEREAS, based from the Roadmap for Transport Infrastructure Development for Greater Capital Region (2017), a study by the Japan International Cooperation Agency ("JICA"), the Philippines is losing ₱ 3.5 Billion per day due to traffic congestion, and is projected to lose ₱ 5.5 Billion per day by 2035 in no interventions are made in Metro Manila;

WHEREAS, in order to help address the prevailing traffic condition, the City desires to adapt and institute new measures/technologies such as but not limited to, No Contact Apprehension Systems, that will help alleviate traffic congestion, reduce and incidence of vehicular collisions, promote pedestrians/motorist safety and improve the general traffic conditions within Cauayan City;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 35 of Republic Act ("RA") No. 7160 otherwise known as the Local Government Code ("LGC"), Cauayan City is authorized to enter into a joint ventures and such other cooperative arrangements with people's and non-governmental organizations to engage in the delivery of certain basic services, capability-building and livelihood projects, and to develop local enterprises designed to improve productivity and income, diversify agriculture, spur rural industrialization, promote ecological balance and enhance the economic and social well-being of the people;

WHEREAS, Section 458(5) (vi) of the LGC identifies the regulation of traffic on all streets and bridges as among the basic services that Cauayan City is mandated to provide;

WHEREAS, Cauayan City has been cited as the fastest-growing district in the Philippines as of End-September 2019, which translates to higher pedestrian and vehicle traffic;

WHEREAS, the implementation of the proposed No Contact Apprehension Program ("NCAP") can help manage the increase in traffic and ensure road safety amidst the fast-paced development of Cauayan City;

WHEREAS, QPAX has knowledge of and license for certain specialized equipment, applications and Notice of Violation processes related to No Contact Apprehension cameras;

WHEREAS, due to the significant economic and social benefits that the NCAP brings QPAX proposed to the City that its implementation be done through a Joint Venture by the contract;

WHEREAS, after undergoing the process provided by the Cauayan City PPP Code, QPAX is, thus, awarded as the partner of the City in the implementation of the No Contact Apprehension Policy.

WHEREFORE

UPON MOTION of Hon. Paul Vincent R. Mauricio, Chairman, Committee on Laws and Good Governance, duly seconded by Hon. Telesforo R. Mallillin and Hon. Faustino M. Gapasin, Jr., it was –

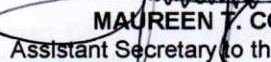
RESOLVED, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to authorize the Hon. Bernard Faustino M. Dy, City Mayor, to enter into a Joint Venture Agreement (JVA) with Qpax Traffic System, Inc., represented by its Chairman and President, Mr. Manolo Steven M. Ona, for the implementation of the No Contact Apprehension Program in the City of Cauayan, Isabela.

RESOLVED FURTHER, to grant authority to the City Mayor to sign the documents that may be entered into in connection with the foregoing, for and on behalf of the City Government.


RESOLVED, FINALLY, to furnish copy of this resolution to Hon. Bernard Faustino M. Dy, City Mayor; Atty. Emmanuel D. Marquez, City Legal Officer; Atty. Reina Consorcia M. Santos, City Information Officer and Mr. Manolo Steven M. Ona, Chairman and President, Qpax Traffic System, Inc., Suite 304, State Condominium One, 186 Salcedo St., Legaspi Village, Makati City, for their information and appropriate action.


ADOPTED and APPROVED: June 16, 2021.


CERTIFIED CORRECT:


MAUREEN T. CORPUZ
Assistant Secretary to the Sanggunian



HON. CYNTHIA Q. UY-BALAYAN
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City Councilor/SKF President

ATTESTED:


HON. LEONCIO A. DALIN, JR.
City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

July 21, 2021
(Date)