

**Republic of the Philippines
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Quezon City**



**EIGHTEENTH CONGRESS
First Regular Session**

House Resolution No. 712

**Introduced by Representative
FLORIDA P. ROBES**

**RESOLUTION
EXPRESSING FULL SUPPORT OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO
THE BID OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE DEL MONTE IN BULACAN
TO BECOME A "UNESCO CREATIVE CITY" AND
BE INCLUDED IN THE UNESCO CREATIVE CITIES NETWORK (UCCN)
TO GIVE HONOR AND PRIDE TO THE COUNTRY**

WHEREAS, on 10 February 2020, the City of San Jose Del Monte in Bulacan unveiled The Rising HeARt Marker and Love Lock repository along Barangka Road in Barangay Paradise 3 in San Jose Del Monte City;

WHEREAS, the Rising HeARt Marker with its accompanying Love Lock repository symbolizes the city's constant aspiration to uphold love and compassion at all times despite the chaos and confusion that sometimes engulf the nation;

WHEREAS, through the use of multi-media, the Rising HeART Marker and the Love Lock repository will encourage people to pledge their love and commitment through a lock not only towards their partners, friends and loved ones but also their country and advocacies;

WHEREAS, the Rising HeART marker and the Love Lock repository will become a bastion of love and compassion for people in San Jose Del Monte City and elsewhere that will inspire generations to make peace, love and respect towards one another as their guiding principles;

WHEREAS, the City of San Jose Del Monte has lined up a series of projects in the next three years to showcase the city's creativity to express its goals, ideals and aspirations through arts, photography, video, audio and other interactive media;

WHEREAS, the City of Baguio and City of Cebu are the only cities in the Philippines that were designated as UNESCO Creative City in Craft and Folk Arts and Design, respectively, and included in the list of UNESCO Creative Cities Network (UCCN);

WHEREAS, the inclusion of San Jose Del Monte City in the UCCN, if successful, will prove once again the outstanding creativity of the Filipinos in bringing about success and victory in the midst of challenges and adversities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to express the full support of the House of Representatives to the bid of the City of San Jose Del Monte in Bulacan to become a "UNESCO Creative City" and be included in the UNESCO Creative Cities Network (UCCN) in order to give pride and honor to the country.

Adopted.


FLORIDA P. ROBES