



Office of the City Council

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 25TH REGULAR SESSION IN THE YEAR 2018 OF THE 5TH SANGGUNIANG PANLUNGSOD OF THE CITY OF MEYCAUAYAN, BULACAN HELD AT THE SESSION HALL OF BARANGAY CAMALIG ON AUGUST 10, 2018.

PRESENT:

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| Rafael S. Manzano, Jr., | City Vice Mayor
(Presiding Officer) |
| Josefina O. Violago, | City Councilor |
| Raoul M. Atadero, | City Councilor |
| Elmer E. Pagulo, | City Councilor |
| Catherine C. Abacan, | City Councilor |
| Jerimeco S. Dulalia, | City Councilor |
| Anna Kathrina M. Hernandez, | City Councilor |
| Tomas N. Rosales, | City Councilor |
| Mario T. Berbozo, | City Councilor |
| Salvador D. Violago, Sr., | President, LNB |
| Crisanto Niño D. Caparas, | President, SK Federation |

ABSENT:

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| David Michael DS. Ramirez, | City Councilor |
| Arnaldo R. Velasco, | City Councilor |

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CITY ORDINANCE NO. 2018-017

AN ORDINANCE IMPLEMENTING THE TRUCK REGULATION WITHIN THE CITY OF MEYCAUAYAN, IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it ORDAINED, as it is hereby ORDAINED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of Meycauayan that:

SECTION 1. TITLE. This Ordinance shall be known as "THE TRUCK BAN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MEYCAUAYAN".

SECTION 2. POLICY STATEMENT. - There is hereby established a Truck Ban Ordinance of the City of Meycauayan guided by Section 16 of the Local Government Code of 1991 which states that:

"Section 16. General Welfare. - Every local government unit shall exercise the powers expressly granted, those necessarily implied therefrom, as well as powers necessary, appropriate, or incidental for its efficient and effective governance, and those which are essential to the promotion of the general welfare. Within their respective territorial jurisdictions, local government units shall ensure and support, among other things, the preservation and enrichment of culture, promote health and safety, enhance the right of the people to a balanced ecology, encourage and support the development of appropriate and

self-reliant scientific and technological capabilities, improve public morals, enhance economic prosperity and social justice, promote full employment among their residents, maintain peace and order, and preserve the comfort and convenience of their inhabitants."

SECTION 3. DEFINITION OF TERMS. - As used in this ordinance, the following shall be construed to mean as follows:

3.1 Cargo Trucks - are motor vehicles, principally intended for carrying cargoes to include other vehicles such as lorries, vans, tankers, prime movers or other delivery vehicles, whether loaded or empty, having 6 wheels and above and with a gross capacity weight of more than FOUR THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED KILOGRAMS (4,500 kg.), the payload area of which are either enclosed or open.

3.2 Light Trucks - are motor vehicles with a gross capacity weight of FOUR THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED KILOGRAMS (4,500 kg.) or below, the payload area of which are either enclosed or open.

3.3 Truck Regulation (Truck Ban) - means the regulation, control, disallowance or prohibition of motor vehicle particularly Cargo trucks and Light trucks from plying or traversing the roads within the City of Meycauayan at the time and day prescribed in this ordinance.

SECTION 4. COVERAGE. This Ordinance shall apply to all cargo trucks and light trucks which are hereby restricted or prohibited from driving, passing thru, or traversing the specific roads, streets, or places enumerated below from 6:00AM UNTIL 9:00AM and 5:00PM UNTIL 7:00PM, from Mondays to Fridays except HOLIDAYS (LEGAL and NON-WORKING Holidays):

- a. From MacArthur Highway to the stretch of Malhacan-Iba-Camalig-Bahay Pare Road, Boundary of Caloocan City and VICE VERSA;
- b. From Pandayan Exit to the stretch of Penguin Street of Barangay Pandayan and St. Francis West Service Road towards Malhacan Road and VICE VERSA;
- c. From MacArthur Highway to the stretch of L.Sullera-Albatross Street of Barangay Pandayan towards St. Francis West Service Road and VICE VERSA;
- d. From Malhacan Road to the stretch of Malhacan-Liblong Road (Sampaloc Street of Barangay Liblong) and VICE VERSA; and
- e. From the Boundary of Municipality of Marilao to the stretch of Pantok Road towards Camalig Road and VICE VERSA.

SECTION 5. EXEMPTIONS. - The following vehicles shall be exempt from the coverage of this Ordinance:

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c. Vehicles being utilized by the local government for its projects.

SECTION 6. FINES AND PENALTIES. - The owners of the trucks who violates any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be penalized as follows:

- a. **FIRST OFFENSE** - FIVE THOUSAND PESOS (Php 5,000.00) Fine;
- b. **SECOND OFFENSE** - FIVE THOUSAND PESOS (Php 5,000.00) Fine. In addition the subject cargo truck/light truck shall be impounded at the Meycauayan Impounding Area beside the City Common Terminal located at Barangay Malhacan, City of Meycauayan, Bulacan for a period of ONE (1) Month.

All fines and penalties are to be paid at the City Treasurer's Office only. The following penalties shall be without prejudice to the imposition of any other penalties for violations that may have been committed simultaneous thereto.

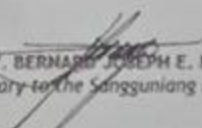
SECTION 7. REPEALING CLAUSE. - All Ordinances or any part thereof, which are contrary to or inconsistent with the provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

SECTION 8. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. - If for any reason, any section or provision of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid, the other provisions not declared and not affected by such declaration shall remain in full force and effect.


SECTION 9. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. - This ordinance shall take effect the day after either its posting at the prominent places in the city hall for a period of three (3) consecutive weeks or its publication in a newspaper of general circulation, whichever comes later.

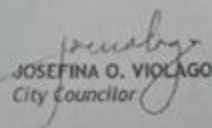
Approved unanimously.


I hereby certify to the correctness of the above-mentioned City Ordinance.


ATTY. BERNARD JOSEPH E. DOMINGO
Secretary to the Sangguniang Panlungsod

ATTESTED BY:


RAFAEL S. MANZANO, JR.
City Vice Mayor
(Presiding Officer)


JOSEFINA O. VIOLAGO
City Councilor


RAOUL M. ATADERO
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