



# OFFICE OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN Sta. Cruz, Laguna



EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF SANTA CRUZ, LAGUNA HELD ON MARCH 04, 2024, MONDAY, 09:35 IN THE MORNING, AT THE BATASANG BAYAN, ESCOLAPIA BUILDING, SANTA CRUZ, LAGUNA.

**PRESENT:**

Honorable LAARNI A. MALIBIRAN	.....	VICE MAYOR
Honorable Ambiel John C. Panganiban	.....	Presiding Officer
Honorable Lea A. Almarvez	.....	Councilor
Honorable Norman T. Tolentino	.....	Councilor
Honorable Esmeraldo C. De Las Armas, Jr.	.....	Councilor
Honorable Rizaldy N. Kalaw	.....	Councilor
Honorable Lucena R. Odejar	.....	Councilor
Honorable Alan T. Pamatmat	.....	Councilor
Honorable Laura P. Obligacion	.....	Councilor - ABC Federation President
Honorable Mark Anthony M. Juangco	.....	Councilor - SK Federation President

**ABSENT:**

Honorable Mark Anthony P. Joven	.....	Councilor – legal reason
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**RESOLUTION NO. 223-S2024**

**A RESOLUTION GRANTING AN AUTHORITY TO HON. EDGAR S. SAN LUIS ON BEHALF OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF SANTA CRUZ TO SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (DOH) / CENTER FOR HEALTH DEVELOPMENT – CALABARZON CHD-IV-A) FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11712 OTHERWISE KNOWN AS “PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY BENEFITS AND ALLOWANCE FOR HEALTH CARE WORKERS ACT” WHICH PROVIDES FOR THE PAYMENT OF HEALTH EMERGENCY ALLOWANCE BENEFITS TO QUALIFIED HEALTH CARE WORKERS AND NON-HEALTH CARE WORKERS.**

**WHEREAS,** Republic Act (RA) No. 11712 known as the Public Health Emergency Benefits and Allowances for Health Care Workers Act and its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) provides for the payment of Health Emergency Allowance (HEA), Sickness and Death Compensation and other Benefits for public and private Health Care Workers (HCWs) and Non – HCWs during the COVID-19 pandemic and other future health emergencies with retroactive application starting July 1, 2021;

**WHEREAS,** upon presentation to the august body, the Honorable Members found it beneficial for the health care workers and non-health care workers to avail such benefits.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** on motion of Hon. Esmeraldo C. De Las Armas, Jr. (Chairman of Committee on Health, Nutrition and Sanitation), duly seconded by all the members of the Sangguniang Bayan, it was

**RESOLVED:** To grant an Authority to Hon. Edgar S. San Luis on behalf of the Municipality of Santa Cruz to sign a Memorandum of Agreement with the Department of Health (DOH) / Center for Health Development – Calabarzon CHD-IV-A) for the Implementation of Republic Act No. 11712 otherwise known as “Public Health Emergency Benefits and Allowance for Health Care Workers Act” which provides for the Payment of Health Emergency Allowance Benefits to Qualified Health Care Workers and Non-Health Care Workers.

**ORDERED:** Let copies of this resolution be furnished the Hon. Mayor Edgar S, San Luis, the Municipal Treasurer, the Municipal Budget Officer, the Municipal Accountant, the Municipal Health Officer, the Department of Health - Calabarzon and all other concerned offices, for their information and appropriate action

**APPROVED. March 04, 2024**

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** to the correctness of the above-quoted resolution.

*Maria Luisa F. Jolo*  
**MARIA LUISA F. JOLO**  
Acting Secretary to the Sangguniang Bayan

**ATTESTED :**

*Laarni A. Malibiran*  
**HON. LAARNI A. MALIBIRAN**  
Municipal Vice Mayor  
Presiding Officer