ORDINANCE NO. 2020-073

AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE DEADLINE FOR THE PAYMENT OF 2ND QUARTER BUSINESS TAXES, FEES AND CHARGES FROM APRIL 20, 2020 TO JULY 20, 2020 WITHOUT SURCHARGE AND INTEREST.

Sponsored by:
Hon. Coun. Atty. Raul R. Corro
Hon. Coun. Alexson V. Diaz
Hon. Coun. Paty Kat C. Boncayao
Hon. Coun. Louisito A. Arciaga
Hon. Coun. Allan Rey A. Camilon
Hon. Coun. Ting Nieves
Hon. Coun. Ivey Rhia A. Tadefa
Hon. Coun. Francis Ian T. Bagatsing
Hon. Coun. Mark Lester M. Baes
Hon. Coun. Engr. Arlene D. Hilapo
Hon. Coun. Cornelio M. Martinez

WHEREAS, Section 167, of Republic Act 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that the Sanggunian concerned may, for a justifiable reason or cause, extend the time of payment of such taxes, fees, or charges without penalties, surcharge and interests but only for a period not exceeding six (6) months;

WHEREAS, in the light of the Proclamation No. 929, declaring a state of calamity throughout the Philippines due to Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19);

WHEREAS, Proclamation No. 922, Series of 2020 was issued declaring a State of Public Health Emergency throughout the Philippines due to COVID 19, enjoining all government agencies and Local Government Units (LGUs) to render full assistance and cooperation;

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 2020-253 declares that the City of Muntinlupa in a State of Calamity pursuant to Section 458 of the Local Government Code;

WHEREAS, considering the large number of taxpayers who will converge to the Business Permits and Licensing Office (BPLO) of Muntinlupa City Hall, however public health is paramount importance, there is an imperative need to extend the deadline for the payment of business taxes, fees and charges for the 2nd Quarter of 2020;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, AS IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED, by the 9th Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa in session assembled that:

SECTION 1. Coverage -- All 2nd Quarter Business, Taxes, fees and Charges due and payable the City Government of Muntinlupa for the 2nd Quarter which is due to be paid on or before April 20, 2020 can be paid not later than July 20, 2020 without penalties, surcharge and interest.

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SECTION 2. Penalties, Surcharges and Interests. All business taxes due for the said period shall however be subject to the penalties and interest prescribed by Muntinlupa Revenue Code, if not paid on or before July 25, 2020.

SECTION 3. Repealing Clause. Any provision of Ordinances, Executive Orders, Issuances or Rules and Regulations inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance is hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 4. Effectivity. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon approval.

ENACTED, by the 9th Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa this 20th day of March, 2020, on its 4th Special Session.

CONCURRED:

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Member

COUN. LOUISITO A. ARCIAGA  
Member

COUN. ALLAN REY A. CAMILON  
Member

COUN. STEPHANIE G. TEVES  
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DISTRICT 2:

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President
Sectoral Representative
Federation of Sangguniang Kabataan

I HEREBY CERTIFY, as to the correctness of the foregoing Ordinance.

CECILIA Q. LAZARTE
Secretary to the Sangguniang

ATTESTED:

ARTEMIO A. SIMUNDAC
City Vice-Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

ATTY. JAIME P. FRESNEDI
City Mayor

Date: 24 MAR 2020

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