

REPUBLIKA NG PILIPINAS PAMAHALAANG LUNGSOD NG MUNTINLUPA KALAKHANG MAYNILA

RESOLUTION NO. 20-216

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE COMMISSION ON ELECTIONS TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF COUNCILORS PER DISTRICT FROM THE EXISTING SIX (6) COUNCILORS TO EIGHT (8) COUNCILORS IN THE CITY OF MUNTINLUPA, EFFECTIVE IN THE LOCAL ELECTIONS OF MAY 2001.

Sponsored by:

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Hon. Coun. Artemio A. Simundac

Hon. Coun. Allan Rey A. Camilon

WHEREAS, Muntinlupa became a highly urbanized city on March 1, 1995 by virtue of Republic Act 7926 which was signed into law by then President Fidel V. Ramos;

WHEREAS, the conversion of Muntinlupa into a highly urbanized city was brought about by, among others, the increase in population which stood at close to 400,000 inhabitants as of 1995 as certified to by the latest census conducted by the National Statistics Office;

WHEREAS, after five years as a highly urbanized city, Muntinlupa's population further increased, registering about a seven percent (7%) annual growth which is one of the highest in the country;

WHEREAS, due to the increase in population and the growing constituency in our city, it is imperative that representation in the City Council be increased in proportion to the increase in population;

WHEREAS, the increase in representation in the City Council will widen the delivery of services to our people and thus further strengthen the system of democracy in the country;

WHEREAS, as a highly urbanized city, it is recommended that the number of councilors be increased from the existing six councilors to eight councilors per district;

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WHEREAS, the Commission on Elections, prior to the May 1992 local elections, passed a resolution dividing Muntinlupa into two districts and provided for a total of six councilors per district or a total of twelve councilors, thus increasing the number of councilors to two since under the previous one-district status, Muntinlupa had only a total of ten councilors;

NOW, THERFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a resolution requesting the Commission on Elections to increase the number of councilors per district from the existing six (6) councilors to eight (8) councilors in the City of Muntinlupa be approved.

RESOLVE, FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution be immediately furnished the Commission on Elections national office, all the Commissioners of the COMELEC, and the Department of Interior and Local Government.

APPROVED, by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of Muntinlupa this 03rd day of May 2000 on its 81st Regular Session.

CONCURRED:

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Sectoral Representative President Federation of Sangguniang Kabataan

ABSENT:

ALDRIN L. SAN PEDRO

Councilor

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ARTEMIO A. SIMUNDAC

Sectoral Representative President Association of Barangay Affairs

I HEREBY CERTIFY as to the correctness of the foregoing Resolution.

CECILIAC. LAZARTE Sanggunian Secretary

ATTESTED:

VICÈNTE Y. CHUA

City Vice Mayor/Presiding Officer

APPROVED:

City Mayor

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