

**[QUEZON CITY ORDINANCE NO. SP-2369, S-2014,
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**19th City Council
46th Regular Session**

**AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING MAJOR BUSINESS
ESTABLISHMENTS WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF
QUEZON CITY TO PROVIDE PARKING SPACE FOR BICYCLES, AND
PROVIDING PENALTIES, FOR VIOLATION**

Introduced by Councilor ALLAN BENEDICT REYES

Co-Introduced by Councilors Anthony Peter D. Crisologo, Alexis R. Herrera, Roderick M. Paulate, Ranulfo Z. Ludovica, Ramon P. Medalla, Estrella C. Valmocina, Franz S. Pumaren, Eufemio C. Lagumbay, Jose Mario Don S. De Leon, Jaime F. Borres, Jesus Manual C. Suntey, Raquel S. Malañgen, Jessica Castelo Daza, Bayani V. Hipol, Jose A. Visaya, Julianne Alyson Rae V. Medalia, Godofredo T. Lilian % Candy A. Medina, Rogelio "Roger" P. Juan, Melencio "Bobby" T. Casteto, Jr., Donato C. Matias and Ricardo B. Corpuz.

WHEREAS, Section 16 of Republic Act No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code of 1991, provides that "Every local government unit shall exercise 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;

WHEREAS, there are growing incidents of bicycle theft in several business establishments such as malls, supermarkets, and other similar establishments;

WHEREAS, bicycles have been a staple of everyday life throughout City. They are the most frequently used method of transport for commuting to work, school, shops, and others. They also offer a degree of exercise to keep individuals healthy. Bicycles allow people to travel for leisure into the country, since bicycles are three times as energy efficient as walking and three to four times as fast;