

[MMDA RESOLUTION NO. 13-10, March 22, 2013]

**ADOPTING RULES ON THE USE OF ROADS IN METRO MANILA IN
CONDUCTING FUN RUNS, MOTORCADES, FILMING AND OTHER
SPECIAL EVENTS**

WHEREAS, RA 7924 mandates MMDA to provide Transport and Traffic Management which includes the formulation, coordination and monitoring policies, standards, programs and projects to rationalize the existing transport operations, infrastructure requirements, the use of thoroughfares, and promotions of safe and convenient movement of persons and goods, provisions for the mass transport system and the institution of a system to regulate road users, administration and implementation of all traffic enforcement operations, traffic engineering services and traffic education programs, including the institution of a single ticketing system in Metropolitan Manila;

WHEREAS, the imposition of service and regulatory fees, such as payments for securing certifications, clearances and copies of public documents, are sanctioned by powers and duties that are expressly granted by law under RA 7924, which provides:

“Sec. 6 (d) Functions of the Metro Manila Council. - xxx

- (d) It shall promulgate rules and regulations and set policies and standards for metro-wide application governing the delivery of basic services, prescribe and collect service and regulatory fees and impose and collect fines and penalties.”

WHEREAS, it has been observed that fun runs and other similar events has become common means of private and public sectors in raising funds for charitable institutions and other benevolent organizations;

WHEREAS, these events are mostly conducted along major thoroughfares of Metro Manila which cause traffic chaos all over the metropolis;

WHEREAS, during these events the MMDA utilizes its own resources such as traffic personnel, motorcycles, ambulance vehicles, fuel and other traffic facilities, in assisting said events without cost;

WHEREAS, the Metro Manila Council after due deliberation in session duly assembled, recognizes the need to regulate the use of major thoroughfares in Metro Manila and instead encourage the organizers to use secondary roads to avoid traffic congestion in conducting fun runs, motorcades, filming and other special events;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved as it is hereby resolved, pursuant to Sec. 6 of RA 7924, that the Council hereby promulgates the following rules on the use of roads for fun runs, motorcades, filming and other special events: