

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Resolution No. NECO-2019-04

A RESOLUTION ENJOINING ALL ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE PARTY TO PUSH FOR PEOPLE EMPOWERMENT IN THEIR LOCALITIES AND ADOPTING THE VICE PRESIDENT'S LEGISLATIVE AGENDA AS THE LEGISLATIVE AGENDA OF THE LIBERAL PARTY

WHEREAS, Maria Leonor “Leni” G. Robredo assumed the office of the Liberal Party Chairperson upon her election to the Vice Presidency in 2016;

WHEREAS, the Party advances the liberal ideals of justice, human rights, and participatory and democratic governance;

WHEREAS, Vice President Robredo’s empowerment agenda seeks to promote equality, justice, and further human rights in the country;

WHEREAS, through the empowerment agenda, the Filipino people shall be allowed to effectively participate in the business of governance in the Philippines and in their localities through the creation of local people’s councils and adoption of other measures;

WHEREAS, the empowerment agenda pushes for the passage of several measures in Congress;

WHEREAS, Vice President Robredo, as Party Chairperson, directed our members to push for people empowerment and her empowerment agenda in their own capacities as elected officials;

WHEREAS, there is a need for the passage of the empowerment agenda both nationally and locally in order to further a liberal democratic philosophy, and its ideals in the government and in the Philippines;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the undersigned, after having been duly called and assembled as the National Executive Council, adopt the empowerment agenda as the party's legislative agenda and enjoin all elected members of the Liberal Party of the Philippines to:

1. Promote people empowerment in their respective capacities and localities, particularly through the creation of local peoples' councils, and the enactment of measures that will strengthen civil society engagement in the country and in their respective areas; and
2. Push for the empowerment agenda, which includes working towards the passage of the following bills in Congress:
 - a. FOOD SECURITY
 - b. FREEDOM OF INFORMATION
 - c. PEOPLE EMPOWERMENT
 - d. NATIONAL LAND USE
 - e. ON-SITE, IN-CITY, NEAR-CITY RELOCATION
 - f. PROFESSIONALIZING BARANGAY HEALTH WORKERS
 - g. SEXUAL ORIENTATION, GENDER IDENTITY EQUALITY
 - h. CODE OF CONDUCT FOR EVICTIONS

Adopted this 19th of September 2019 in Quezon City, Philippines.