ORDINANCE NO. 15-01

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT COST RECOVERY MECHANISM OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF SAN CARLOS THROUGH CHARGING OF TIPPING FEE FOR ITS SANITARY LANDFILL SERVICES IN THE CITY'S ECO-CENTER WASTE PROCESSING FACILITY

Introduced by Hons. DEBULGADO, ANTONIO, MASCUÑANA and MANSUETO

Be it ordained by the Sangguniang Panlungsod of the City of San Carlos, Negros Occidental in its regular session assembled, that:

- **SECTION I. TITLE**: This ordinance shall be known as "AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT COST RECOVERY MECHANISM OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF SAN CARLOS THROUGH CHARGING OF TIPPING FEE FOR ITS SANITARY LANDFILL SERVICES IN THE CITY'S ECO-CENTER WASTE PROCESSING FACILITY".
 - **SECTION 2.** *Definition of Terms* For purposes of this Ordinance:
 - a. MATERIAL RECOVERY FACILITY includes a solid waste transfer station or sorting station, drop-off center, a composting facility and a recycling facility
 - b. SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT is the purposeful and systematic control of the generation, storage, collection, transport, separation, processing, recycling, recovery and final disposal of solid wastes
 - c.SEGREGATED NON-BIO MATERIALS refers to sorted in-organic materials (e.g. plastic, tin cans, metals, other residuals)
 - d. TIPPING FEE a certain compensation charge to an entity or institution of equivalent disposed solid wastes measured in terms of weight or by volume into a shared or common disposal facility
 - e. WASTE PROCESSING FACILITY refers to the area within non-biodegradable and biodegradable, toxic and special waste stored or dumped for reprocessing or recycling
 - f. **RESIDUAL WASTE** refers to the remains after a part of something has been removed or extracted; left-over
- **SECTION 3.** Processing, sorting and land filling of residuals at the City's Eco-Center Central MRF & Sanitary Landfill.
 - 3.1The City Environment Management Office through its City's Eco-Center Central MRF & Sanitary Landfill shall process bio & non bio-waste and the land filling of residuals
 - 3.2This ordinance shall authorize the City Government of San Carlos to allow clustering mechanism as embodied by the Republic Act 9003 or the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000 for a common facility to neighboring LGU's who may want to avail the Sanitary Landfill facility of the city.
 - 3.3 Further, this ordinance shall authorize the City Government of San Carlos to impose tipping fee charges to any party or entity who would like to avail the services of the City's Eco-Center sanitary landfill facility for the disposal of their respective residual wastes at a rate of Php 1,000 per cu.m. of residual waste volume.
- **SECTION 4.** Separability Clause If any provision of this Ordinance or the application of such provision to any person or circumstances is declared invalid, the remainder of the Ordinance or the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected by such declaration.
- **SECTION 5.** Repealing Clause All ordinances, executive orders, rules and regulations or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

SECTION 6. *Effectivity* – This Ordinance shall take effect fifteen days (15) after its publication in a local newspaper of general circulation and posting for three (3) consecutive weeks in all conspicuous places in the City Hall or in the local bulletin board.

ENACTED: January 29, 2015, by the affirmative votes of Hons. DEBULGADO, CARMONA, CABILI, ANTONIO, YU, APUHIN, MASCUÑANA, BAGUIORO, MANSUETO, UY and GEOPANO. Negative: None.