



*Estado Libre Asociado de Puerto Rico*  
*Municipio de Barceloneta*  
*Legislatura Municipal*  
*Apartado 670*  
*Barceloneta, PR 00617*

Hon. Néstor L. Vargas Feliciano  
Presidente

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**ORDINANCE NO. 1**

**SERIES: 2024-2025**

**ORDINANCE OF THE MUNICIPAL LEGISLATURE OF BARCELONETA, PUERTO RICO, TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR, HON. WANDA J. SOLER ROSARIO TO REQUEST AND RECEIVE ANY FEDERAL OR STATE FUNDS AVAILABLE FROM ANY FEDERAL AGENCIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025. TO JUSTIFY THE PUBLIC POLICY OF THIS MEASUREMENT AND FOR OTHER AIMS OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BARCELONETA.**

**WHEREAS:** The Municipal Code of Puerto Rico, law 107 of August 14, 2020, as amended, established in its art. 1.008 (i) received and accept donations of goods and services from any public agency of the local State Government, Federal Government, as well as from any natural or private legal person, manage and comply with the conditions and requirements to which such donations are subject to.

**WHEREAS:** The federal regulations stipulate that the First Municipal Executive must receive authorization of the Municipal Legislature to submit any request for federal funds under programs from: Commonwealth of Puerto Rico "GOBIERNO DEL ESTADO LIBRE ASOCIADO DE PUERTO RICO" AND THEIR AGENCIES ("DEPARTAMENTO DE JUSTICIA" VOCA FUNDS, "AUTORIDAD DE CARRETERAS", "DEPARTAMENTO DE LA FAMILIA" CDBG-DR, CSBG., ADFAN, SBG ESG) MUNICIPALITY OF SAN JUAN/ HOPWA, USDA., (RURAL DEVELOPMENT HPG, CF)., HUD., EDA., CDBG., HOME., NEA, USDA CF, NATIONAL PARK SERVICES, FISH AND WILD LIFE, NOA, NATIONAL ENDOWMENTS FOR THE HUMANITIES, NATIONAL ENDOWMENTS FOR THE ARTS, HOPWA., AARP, FEMA., FTA., BJA., COPS, AMERICORPS, NEA, FEMA, HMGP-404, CDBG-DR-MIT and others.

**WHEREAS:** The goal of the Municipality of Barceloneta is to provide services to the citizens of our jurisdiction.

**WHEREAS:** The Municipality of Barceloneta's will submit grant applications thru Grants.gov and any other federal agency to provide the necessary means for community development.

**WHEREAS:** Our city needs to receive federal funds to improve living condition of our citizens, including improving the public infrastructure, developing programs aiming to improve homes of citizens with low or moderate income, and to prevent unemployment, among others. Also, to improve infrastructure, rehabilitate buildings like the collective transportation system, health system, and to strengthen the economic foundations of Barceloneta.

**WHEREAS:** The Municipality of Barceloneta will submit: USDA Rural Development under HPG Grant an application to repair or rehabilitate rental properties and several municipal



buildings. NEA Grants, to promote arts in our town, BJA, DOJ, and COPS to protect and serve our citizens and ensure proper living conditions, ESG FUNDS to prevent homelessness among others.

**THERE FOR: BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MUNICIPAL LEGISLATURE OF BARCELONETA, PUERTO RICO, THE FOLLOWING:**

**SECTION ONE:** Authorize the Mayor of Barceloneta, Puerto Rico, Hon. Wanda J. Soler Rosario to submit grant applications through Grants.gov or any other state or federal agency to continue the development of our Municipality. To submit to the Department of Agriculture (USDA-RURAL DEVELOPMENT) (HPG) and (CF) funds for the rehabilitation of rental properties and rehabilitation of several buildings; ESG to prevent homelessness; SBG, ESG (COMMONWEALTH OF P.R "DEPARTAMENTO DE LA FAMILIA"). To receive federal funds that will aim to prevent unemployment, develop programs that will work to improve the homes of citizens of Barceloneta that have low or moderate income.


**SECTION TWO:** Authorize the Mayor to sign contract with grant funds approved by any federal agency thru Grants.gov, FEMA Emergency Funds and USDA-RURAL DEVELOPMENT (CF) the necessary agreements and documents for the acceptance of the funds assigned under this section.

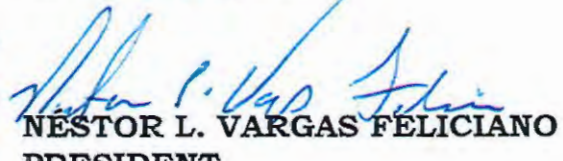
**SECTION THREE:** If any section, item, subparagraph, paragraph, clause, or part of this Ordinance is declared null by a court of competent jurisdiction, the judgment entered in this regard shall not affect, impair, or invalidate the rest of this Ordinance, and its effects shall be limited to the section, item, subparagraph, paragraph clause or part thereof which was declared null.

**SECTION FOUR:** Derogative Clause: If any Ordinance, Resolution or Agreement of them conflicts with this Ordinance, that ordinance, resolution or agreement of them that is in conflict, shall be hereby derogated.

**SECTION FIVE:** This Ordinance shall be into effect once is signed by the Legislature Municipal Board and the Mayor of Barceloneta.


**APPROVED BY THE MUNICIPAL LEGISLATURE OF BARCELONETA, PUERTO RICO, ON JULY 12, 2024**

  
**ANA I. RODRÍGUEZ RAMOS**  
SECRETARY  
MUNICIPAL LEGISLATURE

  
**NÉSTOR L. VARGAS FELICIANO**  
PRESIDENT  
MUNICIPAL LEGISLATURE

**APPROVED BY THE MAYOR  
ON, JULY 12, 2024**



  
**WANDA J. SOLER ROSARIO**  
MAYOR





*Estado Libre Asociado de Puerto Rico*  
*Gobierno Municipal de Barceloneta*  
*Oficina Secretaría Municipal*

**CERTIFICATION**

I, VERÓNICA ARROYO ESTRADA, MUNICIPAL SECRETARY OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF BARCELONETA, PUERTO RICO, I CERTIFY THAT I RECEIVED IN ORIGINAL THE ORDINANCE NO. 01 SERIES: 2024-2025, TO CERTIFY:

**ORDINANCE NO. 01**

**SERIE: 2024-2025**

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APPROVED BY THE MUNICIPAL LEGISLATURE OF BARCELONETA, ON JULY 12, 2024.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR OF BARCELONETA, ON JULY 12, 2024.

SO THAT IT CONSENTS THE OFFICIAL SEAL AND SIGN THE SAME TODAY JULY 18, 2024, IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BARCELONETA.

VERÓNICA ARROYO ESTRADA  
MUNICIPAL SECRETARY

OFFICIAL SEAL



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## CERTIFICACIÓN

Yo, Ana I. Rodríguez Ramos, secretaria de la Legislatura Municipal de Barceloneta, Puerto Rico, por la presente **Certifico** que la que antecede es copia fiel y exacta de la **Ordenanza Núm. 1, Serie: 2024-2025** aprobada por la Legislatura Municipal de Barceloneta, en Sesión Extraordinaria celebrada el **12 de julio de 2024**, titulada:

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Que la referida Ordenanza fue aprobada con los votos afirmativos de los siguientes legisladores:

**Hon. Néstor L. Vargas Feliciano**  
**Hon. Madelyn Moyeno Rivera**  
**Hon. Katherine Q. Kortight Rivera**  
**Hon. Joseline Rivera Rosario**  
**Hon. María I. Miranda Galíndez**  
**Hon. Miguel A. Ramos Flores**  
**Hon. Janet Guzmán Vidot**  
**Hon. Félix F. Vargas Polanco**  
**Hon. Ángel M. Domínguez Mercado**  
**Hon. José L. Amador González**  
**Hon. Eduardo Maldonado Cancel**  
**Hon. Luis F. Cabrera Cancel**  
**Hon. Radamés Medina Concepción**

Ausente excusado: 1

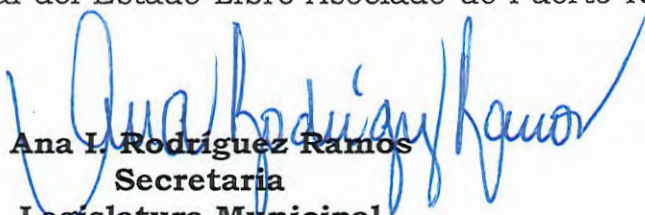
**Hon. Armando Méndez Jiménez**

Abstenido: Ninguno

En Contra: Ninguno

Aprobada por la alcaldesa, **Hon. Wanda J. Soler Rosario**, el **12 de julio de 2024**.

Y para que así conste, firmo la presente **Certificación** y hago estampar el Sello Oficial del Estado Libre Asociado de Puerto Rico, el 12 de julio de 2024.

  
**Ana I. Rodríguez Ramos**  
**Secretaria**  
**Legislatura Municipal**

**Sello Oficial**