



**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL
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KAGAWARAN NG KAPALIGIRAN AT LIKAS YAMAN



29 NOV 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR : **THE REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**
MIMAROPA Region

FROM : **THE DIRECTOR**
Foreign-Assisted and Special Projects Service

SUBJECT : **REQUEST FOR FUNDING OF THE CONDUCT OF CARRYING
CAPACITY STUDIES IN EL NIDO AND CORON, PALAWAN**

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BY:	REC'D 05/11/2023
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This is connection with the above subject which was forwarded to this office by the OIC Director, Financial and Management Service (copy attached) requesting for possible funding for the conduct of Carrying Capacity Studies in El Nido and Coron, Palawan amounting to **Eight Million Pesos (PhP 8,000,000. 00)**.

In this regard, and in order for us to endorse the request for possible funding by our development partners, we would like to request the submission of Project Idea Note using the attached template for your reference.

Should you have further clarification regarding this matter, you may coordinate with Ms. Ma. Alma P. Segui @ mapsegui@denr.gov.ph / ampsegui@yahoo.com.

For your information and consideration.

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cc:

The OIC Director, Policy Planning Service-DENR
The OIC Director, Finance Management Service-DENR



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MEMORANDUM

FOR : **The Director**
Foreign-Assisted and Special Projects Service

FROM : **The OIC Director**
Financial and Management Service

SUBJECT : **CONDUCT OF CARRYING CAPACITY STUDIES IN EL NIDO AND CORON, PALAWAN**

DATE : 05 October 2023

This refers to the memorandum of the OIC, Director for Policy and Planning Service (PPS) dated 15 August 2023, regarding the request of the Regional Executive Director for Region 4B (MIMAROPA) amounting to **Eight Million Pesos (₱8,000,000.00)** for the updating of the carrying capacity study for El Nido and Coron, Palawan.

While we found this request necessary in addressing the deterioration of water quality of the said prime ecotourism areas, please be informed that there is no available fund under the Central Office-Based Fund (COBF) for the purpose.

In view of the above, we are forwarding the abovementioned request for your evaluation and inclusion in the proposal for funding by the development partners of the DENR.


IMELDA R. DELA CRUZ



Project Idea Note – For Concept Notes and Proposals

Project title		
Countries <i>In which country(ies) will the project be delivered?</i>		
Project Outcome <i>State in one clear and succinct sentence the positive change(s) the project aims to achieve</i>		
Investment Size <i>Applicable for all projects within GOP1 - Provide the size in USD</i>	<GGGI to provide answer>	
Project start and end dates		
Budget (Total & Breakdown)		
Context for the Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Given brief explanation of the problem the project is trying to address (1/4 of the section) Explain how the project will address the identified problem (2/4 of the section) Consider the impact of not doing the project, how is this project aligned with the government's priorities? 		
Main Outputs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> List the main project outputs, the deliverables resulting directly from the activities and the respective timelines. Indicate the relationship between specific outputs, if applicable. Full details will be included in the project logframe, as annex to this document. 	(No more than 600 words) -	
Project Beneficiaries		
Government Counterpart(s)	(If applicable) Has the government been consulted and have mandate to deliver project? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Attach an evidence of government support / <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Project Partners	List the project partners (if applicable – fill out Private Sector Due Diligence at the end of the guide)	

	<p><i>Is the project being delivered as part of consortium?</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes – Complete due diligence in line with Private Sector Rules and Consortium Arrangements</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No</p>										
Scaling and Replicating Potential and Project Sustainability after GGGI's Exit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>How do we see this project being scaled up or replicated?</i> • <i>What happens after GGGI's exit?</i> 	<GGGI to provide answer>									
GGGI Expertise/Added Value to the Project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>What is GGGI's niche in this intervention?</i> • <i>How does this project build on our previous & existing work?</i> • <i>Are there any synergies to other GGGI activities?</i> 	<GGGI to provide answer>									
Project Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>How will the project be managed and backstopped?</i> • <i>Specify the delivery mechanism i.e. role and responsibility among team members and partner organizations, what part of the work would be outsourced etc.</i> 										
Project Risk Analysis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Risks related to project management</i> • <i>Linkages to risks associated with ESS</i> 	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Description</th> <th>Risks and assumptions</th> <th>Mitigation measures</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> <tr> <td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Description	Risks and assumptions	Mitigation measures						
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Annex 1 Logframe

Level	Description	Means of verification	Planned completion date	Indicator	Activity leaders

Annex 5 Project Timeline (may add rows/columns, if needed)