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**MEMORANDUM**

**APR 27 2021**

FOR : The Regional Executive Directors  
DENR Regions 3 & MIMAROPA

ATTENTION : Protected Area Superintendents:  
Masinloc Oyon Bay PLS  
Tubbataha Reefs NP

FROM : The Assistant Director  
Officer-In-Charge, Office of the Director

SUBJECT : **PROTECTED AREA TALK (P.A. TALK) EPISODE 6: THE SCIENCE  
WE NEED FOR THE FUTURE WE WANT**

As we continue to strengthen our Communication, Education and Public Awareness Campaign and in line with the 3<sup>rd</sup> year anniversary of the enactment of the Expanded NIPAS Act of 2018, this Bureau, in partnership with the Office of Deputy Speaker Loren Legarda is organizing the 6th episode of the online talk show entitled "PA Talk #Protected Area for a Protected Future". This episode will be held on May 25, 2021 as one of the highlights of the Month of the Ocean with the theme ***"The Science We Need For the Future We Want"*** featuring two of our very important marine protected areas in Zambales and Palawan, namely:

1. Masinloc Oyon Bay Protected Landscape and Seascape
2. Tubbataha Reefs Natural Park

The PA Talk aims to enjoin the public to discover, explore and appreciate the beauty and role of protected areas in the conservation of biodiversity, share unique best practices, stories, initiatives and strategies adopted by the showcased protected areas, and exchange ideas and promote public participation/support in the management of these protected areas, in genera.

In view of the above, may we invite you to serve as resource persons along with the PASus of the featured PAs. As resource persons you will be presenting the unique features of the featured protected areas, the initiatives and innovations in relation to science-based solutions, and the different projects and programs for the protection and conservation of marine PAs. Challenges and issues including the impact of the COVID pandemic to the management of the PAs and the adaptation measures taken by the Protected Area Management Offices may also be highlighted.

In preparation for this episode, may we invite you to the following meetings to discuss the storyline and to level-off on the flow of the talk show.



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Meeting & Date	Resource Persons	Remarks
<b>PA Talk EP6 1st Meeting with the Resource Persons</b>  May 5, 2021 (Wednesday) @ 1:30 - 3:30 PM  Zoom details: Meeting ID: 961 8479 4831 Passcode: PATalk6	DENR REDs of Region 3 & MIMAROPA (should their schedule allow)  PASus of MOBPLS and TRNP	Representative/s from RPAO, CDD and PENRO/CENRO/PAMO can join the Zoom Meeting for technical support
<b>PA Talk EP6 Storytelling</b>  May 12, 2021(Wednesday) @ 1:30 - 3:30 PM  Zoom details: Meeting ID: 950 2548 4260 Passcode: PATalk6		
<b>PA Talk EP6 Dry-Run</b> May 19, 2021 (Wednesday) @ 10:00AM - 12NN  Zoom details Meeting ID: 933 5246 4509 Passcode: PATalk6	DENR REDs of Region 3 & MIMAROPA  PASus of MOBPLS and TRNP  Guest Speakers from partner agencies	
<b>PA Talk Episode 6</b> May 25, 2021 (Tuesday) @ 10:00AM - 12NN		All DENR Offices are requested to share the facebook live stream.

Further, may we request the PASus to provide the Bureau with high-resolution video footages and photos of respective PAs for the preparation of the Audio Visual Presentation (AVP), and a short profile with high resolution photo of the resource persons to be submitted through [npd@bmb.gov.ph](mailto:npd@bmb.gov.ph) on or before May 5, 2021.

Our staff from the National Parks Division will be coordinating with your Office on this matter.

For information and appropriate action.

  
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