



**28th MEETING OF THE TASK FORCE BUILD BACK BETTER (TFBBB)**  
*(previously cited as 1st Meeting of the Typhoon Odette-Affected Regions)*  
**January 26, 2022 | 10:00 AM**  
**Via Zoom Platform**

**SUMMARY OF AGREEMENTS/ACTIONS NEEDED**

*1. Situation Updates in the Typhoon Odette-affected Provinces*

- *Current status of lifelines;*
- *Plans of Actions*

**a. CARAGA**

- DENR CARAGA Regional Executive Director (RED) Nonito Tamayo to visit Siargao Island, inspect the area, and coordinate with Gov. Matugas regarding possible interventions in the area.
- Regional TFBBB (RTFBBB) CARAGA to explore other power sources (i.e. power barges, generator sets etc.) to provide temporary power supply within the blackout areas and to request other electric cooperatives to augment the repair and rehabilitation of power lines.
- RTFBBB CARAGA to coordinate with the Philippine Navy to utilize marine vessels for transport of human power from electric cooperatives.
- Regional Office to deploy additional personnel to help in restoring power lines.
- RED Tamayo to coordinate with PCA counterpart regarding coconut lumber to be used for housing projects (KRA 2).
- Tap the 43 hectares approximately in Brgy. Dapa for temporary relocation area until approval of the other 10 hectares from other areas that are subject for ground validation activity.
- Finalize arrangement with USAID's Philippine Sustainable Interventions for

Biodiversity, Oceans and Landscapes (SIBOL) for financial assistance and help in rehabilitating mangroves.

- Task Force BBB Secretariat to coordinate well with the lead agencies of KRAs relative to the regional TFBBB.
- DENR RED CARAGA to coordinate with DPWH Caraga and come up with the location of the temporary relocation sites and its beneficiaries. DENR to provide space and location of the relocation sites.
- RTFBBB CARAGA to coordinate with the LGUs regarding the construction and turn-over of the relocation center of DPWH.
- MGB Central Office to conduct geohazard assessment in the proposed relocation sites.

**b. Region VI**

- To look for engineering intervention in Sipalay City and Kabankalan City because most of the casualties are recorded in the two cities due to flooding
- To coordinate with Region 7 because of Ilog Hilabangan River Basin headwaters
- Revisit existing policy relative to the donation of confiscated timber products

**c. Region VII**

- Regional Executive Directors to decide on the management of disaster wastes generated
- Submit data of damages and affected families in island municipalities in Bohol.

**d. Region VIII**

- DOE and DENR Region 8 to submit recommendations to fast track the full restoration of electricity in Southern Leyte.
- DENR Region 8 RED Tirso Parian Jr. to revisit Southern Leyte and reassess the

damage and needs on housing, electricity, and communication.

- DENR PENRO (Southern Leyte) Allen Cebuano to coordinate with DPWH District Engineer Manolo Roxas in Southern Leyte on the proposed location of a temporary resettlement site.
- PENRO Allen Cebuano to include Limasawa Island's situationer and proposed relocation site in the report to be submitted to the Secretary through RED Parian Jr.

**e. Region X**

- Region X to continue coordination with KRA heads and their members at the regional level.

**f. MIMAROPA**

- To prioritize National Greening Program sites/areas. Disposal should be properly documented. Coordination with auditors is encouraged.
- DENR MIMAROPA RED Lormelyn Claudio suggested the need for policy at DENR Central Office to lift the suspension of wood recovery permit issued years back, during the occurrence of typhoons. She continued saying this was done during Typhoon Frank in 2008, when she was OIC-RED for DENR Region 6.

*2. Other Matters*

- a. Next meeting will be on Feb 3, 2022, Thursday, 10 am
- b. Priority to report in the next meeting are Caraga, Region 8 (Southern Leyte), Region 7 (Bohol), Cagayan River Basin, Marikina River Basin, and Bicol River Basin.