

## REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

## REGIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL MIMAROPA

Regional Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council MIMAROPA, PEO Compound, Kumintang Ilaya, Batangas City, Philippines

MEMORANDUM No. <u>169</u> s. 2022

FOR

**All MIMAROPA RDRRMC Member Agencies** 

Chairpersons Provincial, City and Municipal DRRM Councils

and Barangay DRRM Committees

SUBJECT

Adoption of the Accreditation, Mobilization, and Protection of

**Community Disaster Volunteers Manual of Operations** 

DATE

13 October 2022

**Reference:** NDRRMC Memorandum No. 159 s 2022 re Adoption of the Accreditation, Mobilization, and Protection of Community Disaster Volunteers Manual of Operations

The Office of Civil Defense having been mandated to administer a comprehensive national civil defense and disaster risk reduction and management program by providing leadership in the continuous development of strategic and systematic approaches as well as measures to reduce the vulnerabilities and risk to hazards and manage the consequences of disasters, shall, among others, prepare the criteria and procedure for enlistment of accredited community disaster volunteers (ACDVs). This also includes the development of manual of operations for the volunteers in consultations with various stakeholders, under section 9 paragraph o of RA 10121.

For this purpose, the OCD has develop the **Accreditation, Mobilization and Protection of Community Disaster Volunteers Manual of Operations** to implement the requirement of the issued NDRRMC Memorandum Circular No. 64 s-2021, which provides the guidelines on the accreditation, mobilization and protection of community disaster volunteers.

All Members of Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (DRRMCs) at the Regional, Provincial, City, Municipal Levels as well as Barangay Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Committees, and other Stakeholders are hereby enjoined to disseminate the use of the ACDV Manual of Operations and ensure adherence to the guidelines on the accreditation, mobilization and protection of community disaster volunteers.

For information and guidance.

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Enclosure: as stated