



MEMORANDUM

FOR : **The Directors**
Legal Affairs Service
Policy and Planning Service
Climate Change Service

The Bureau Director
Environmental Management Bureau

The Administrator
National Mapping and Resource Information Authority

All Regional Executive Directors

FROM : **The Director**
Legislative Liaison Office

SUBJECT : **INVITATION TO COMMITTEE MEETING AND REQUEST FOR POSITION PAPER ON THE SAFE PATHWAYS NETWORK ACT AND PHILIPPINE BICYCLE ACT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION JOINT WITH THE COMMITTEE ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

DATE : 01 August 2023

In reference to the electronic letter received by our Office, the Committee on Transportation joint with the Committee on Sustainable Development Goals of the House of Representatives is inviting the Department to a **face-to-face meeting on 02 August 2023 (Wednesday), 9:00 AM at Speaker Nograles Hall, South Wing Annex House of Representatives**, to discuss the following legislative measures:

A. Initial deliberation on Safe Pathways Network Act

- **HB No. 5010** – “AN ACT PROMOTING SAFE ALTERNATIVE MOBILITY BY ESTABLISHING A NETWORK OF POP-UP BICYCLE LANES AND EMERGENCY PATHWAYS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Gus Tambunting
- **HB No. 5090** – “AN ACT ESTABLISHING SAFE PATHWAYS NETWORK AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Eduardo “Bro. Eddie” Villanueva
- **HB No. 5250** – “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING ACTIVE TRANSPORT BY ESTABLISHING A SAFE PATHWAYS NETWORK OF BICYCLE LANES, WALKWAYS AND SLOW STREETS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Jam Baronda
- **HB No. 5272** – “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING ACTIVE TRANSPORT BY ESTABLISHING A SAFE PATHWAYS NETWORK OF BICYCLE LANES, WALKWAYS AND SLOW STREETS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Arjo Atayde
- **HB No. 5581** – “AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SAFE PATHWAYS NETWORK OF BICYCLE LANES, WALKWAYS AND SLOW STREETS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Charisse Anne Hernandez

- **HB No. 6011** – “AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SAFE PATHWAYS NETWORK OF BICYCLE LANES AND SLOW STREETS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Wilbert Lee
- **HB No. 6545** – “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING ACTIVE TRANSPORT BY ESTABLISHING A SAFE PATHWAYS NETWORK OF BICYCLE LANES, WALKWAYS AND SLOW STREETS” by Reps. Ferdinand Martin Romualdez, Mannix Dalipe, Ferdinand

B. Initial deliberation on Philippine Bicycle Act/Regulating the Use of Bicycles/Establishment of Bicycle Infrastructures

- **HB No. 40** – “AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF BICYCLE AS AN ALTERNATIVE MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF BICYCLE RIDERS, ESTABLISHING REQUISITE INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR” by Rep. Lord Allan Jay Velasco
- **HB No. 574** – “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE USE OF THE BICYCLE AS A REGULAR MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF BICYCLE RIDERS, ESTABLISHING APPROPRIATE INFRASTRUCTURE AND FACILITIES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Reps. France Castro, Arlene Brosas and Raoul Dannel Manuel
- **HB No. 1669** – “AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF BICYCLE AS AN ALTERNATIVE MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF BICYCLE RIDERS, ESTABLISHING REQUISITE INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR” by Rep. Rufus Rodriguez
- **HB No. 1847** – “AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF BICYCLE AS AN ALTERNATIVE MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF BICYCLE RIDERS, ESTABLISHING REQUISITE INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR” by Reps. LRay Villafuerte, Jr., Miguel Luis Villafuerte, Tsuyoshi Anthony Horibata and Nicholas Enciso VIII
- **HB No. 3097** – “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR BICYCLE RIGHTS, CREATION OF LOCAL BIKEWAYS OFFICE (LBO), ESTABLISHING INFRASTRUCTURE IN RELATION THERETO AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Camille Villar
- **HB No. 4427** – “AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF BICYCLE AS AN ALTERNATIVE MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF BICYCLE RIDERS, ESTABLISHING REQUISITE INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR” by Rep. Jose Ma. Zubiri
- **HB No. 4779** – “AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF BICYCLE AS AN ALTERNATIVE MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF BICYCLE RIDERS, ESTABLISHING REQUISITE INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR” by Rep. Marlyn Primicias-Agabas
- **HB No. 4811** – “AN ACT ESTABLISHING INFRASTRUCTURE FOR BICYCLE LANES AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Joseph Gilbert Violago
- **HB No. 5865** – “AN ACT INSTITUTIONALIZING THE USE OF THE BICYCLE AS A REGULAR MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF BICYCLE RIDERS, ESTABLISHING APPROPRIATE INFRASTRUCTURE AND FACILITIES, APPROPRIATE FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Joseph Gilbert Violago
- **HB No. 6252 and HB No. 7470** – “AN ACT REGULATING THE USE OF BICYCLE AS AN ALTERNATIVE MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, DEFINING THE RIGHTS OF BICYCLE RIDERS, ESTABLISHING REQUISITE INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR” by Rep. Rudys Caesar I Fariñas
- **HB No. 7753** – “AN ACT PROVIDING FOR BICYCLE RIGHTS, CREATION OF LOCAL BIKEWAYS OFFICE (LBO), ESTABLISHING INFRASTRUCTURE

IN RELATION THERETO AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Eduardo Rama, Jr.

- **HB No. 8168** – “AN ACT PROMOTING AND RECOGNIZING BICYCLES AS AN ALTERNATIVE MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES” by Rep. Maria Rachel Arenas

In this regard, may we respectfully request **your comments/recommendations on the abovementioned bills**, as requested by the Committee. Kindly send them on or before **02 August 2023, at 5 PM** via email at denrlo@denr.gov.ph. Further, kindly inform us of the name/s of the representative/s from your office who will participate in the meeting so we may include him/her/them as resource person/s.

Attached herewith is the Letter invitation, Agenda, and copy of the House Bills which can be accessed through this link <https://bit.ly/43OA1zw> for your reference.


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