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**REGIONAL GOVERNMENT CENTER
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE**

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Calapan City

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REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL
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Regional Government Center Management Committee
First Quarter Meeting
16 March 2023 Calapan City

MINUTES OF MEETING

ATTENDANCE

Present

Represented by

RGCMC Officers

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| 1. Hon. Marilou F. Morillo | Mayor, Calapan City and RGCMC Chairperson |
| 2. Dir. Agustin C. Mendoza | NEDA MIMAROPA and RDC Vice Chairperson |
| 3. EnP. Sheryll B. Sarabia | NEDA MIMAROPA and RGCMC Secretary |

Local Chief Executives, Regional Directors and National Government Agencies

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| 4. Usec. Mark Cristo R. Gimenez | PMS-ORIC | Mr. Cesar N. Contreras |
| 5. Gov. Humerlito A. Dolor | Governor, Or. Mdo | PA Hubbert Christopher A. Dolor |
| 6. Dir. Gerald A. Pacanan | DPWH MIMAROPA | Engr. Errol R. Villan |
| 7. Dir. Lormelyn E. Claudio | DENR MIMAROPA | Ms. Alma E. Gibe |
| 8. Dir. Karl Caesar R. Rimando | DILG MIMAROPA | ARD Rey S. Maranan |
| 9. Dir. Cheryl C. Ortega | DICT MIMAROPA | Engr. Norly R. Tabo |
| 10. PBGen. Sidney S. Hernia | PNP MIMAROPA | PLTCol. Alex S. Pederio |
| 11. Dir. Manuel L. Betaizar | LTO MIMAROPA | |

Absent

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| 12. Dir. Ricky L. Sanchez | DBM MIMAROPA |
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Guest

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| 1. PCpl. Dayanara Jill E. Cortes | PNP MIMAROPA |
| 2. Cpl. Ronel Delos Reyes | AFP/PGOrm |
| 3. Ms. Johanna Kristia A. Alejo | PMS-ORIC |
| 4. EnP. Lydia Muñeca S. Melgar | PPDO Oriental Mindoro |
| 5. EnP. Joselito R. Bautista | CPDO Calapan City |
| 6. Atty. Earl Ligorio R. Turano II | PLO Oriental Mindoro |
| 7. Engr. Rogelio R. Madarcos | DAR Oriental Mindoro |
| 8. Ms. Ma. Nanette M. Geronimo | PSR-RCDC |
| 9. Ms. Juvelyn V. Gumal-in | PSR-PMUI, Inc. |
| 10. Fr. Edwin A. Gariguez | PSR-Mangyan Mission, Inc. |
| 11. Mr. Junard Acapulco | CGC Calapan |
| 12. Ms. Kamille Arguelles | CGC Calapan |
| 13. Mr. Jethro Moron | CGC Calapan |

Secretariat

14.	Mr. Ryan O. Manrique	NEDA MIMAROPA
15.	Mr. Joel M. Paule	NEDA MIMAROPA
16.	Ms. Beltisezara A. Garcia	NEDA MIMAROPA
17.	Mr. Angelo Paolo Aboboto	NEDA MIMAROPA
18.	Mr. Julius Carlo F. Hilado	NEDA MIMAROPA
19.	Mr. Jakeson D. Alcones	NEDA MIMAROPA
20.	Mr. Loreto H. Castillo, Jr.	NEDA MIMAROPA
21.	Ms. Chieko Elemento	NEDA MIMAROPA
22.	Ms. Kenneth Joy A. Arteza	NEDA MIMAROPA
23.	Mr. Wilfred Anthony P. Dela Cruz	NEDA MIMAROPA
24.	Mr. Dean M. Baja	NEDA MIMAROPA

I. PRELIMINARIES

The meeting started at 03:00 PM, with a prayer and singing of MIMAROPA Hymn.

II. BUSINESS PROPER

A. Declaration of Quorum

EnP. Sheryll B. Sarabia of NEDA MIMAROPA called the roll and declared a quorum. Of the 11 regular members, three were present and seven were represented registering 91 percent attendance.

B. Welcome Remarks and Messages

Regional Government Center Management Committee (RGCMC) Chairperson and Calapan City Mayor Marilou F. Morillo called the meeting to order. She welcomed and thanked all the members and guests for attending the meeting.

Furthermore, she expressed her gratitude to the agencies that signified intent to transfer to MIMAROPA Regional Government Center (RGC), which symbolizes the realization of the said project. She urged all concerned agencies to ensure allocation of funds for the establishment of their respective regional offices in the RGC.

C. Proposed Agenda

On motion duly seconded, the proposed agenda was approved as presented.

D. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting

On motion duly seconded, the minutes of the 4th Quarter RGCMC meeting was approved.

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99 E.Secretary's Report

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101 EnP. Sarabia informed the members of the status of agreements forged
102 during the previous meeting.

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104 On the establishment of Commission on Population and Development
105 (POPCOM) MIMAROPA regional office building in the MIMAROPA RGC,
106 the Committee approved the establishment of POPCOM MIMAROPA
107 regional office building in the MIMAROPA RGC.

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109 POPCOM MIMAROPA and Department of Public Works and Highways
110 (DPWH) Oriental Mindoro District Engineering Office (DEO) will inform
111 the Committee through National Economic and Development Authority
112 (NEDA) MIMAROPA, as RGCMC Secretariat, of the commencement of
113 the construction of POPCOM MIMAROPA office building.

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115 Further, POPCOM MIMAROPA will adhere to the MIMAROPA RGC
116 Detailed Architectural and Engineering Design (DAED) once formulated.

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118 Finally, POPCOM MIMAROPA was instructed to adhere to the
119 MIMAROPA RGC DAED once formulated.

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121 Copy of the resolution was provided to POPCOM MIMAROPA on 07
122 February 2023.

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124 A discussion meeting was conducted on 03 February 2023 with DPWH
125 Oriental Mindoro to discuss the issues concerning the establishment of
126 POPCOM MIMAROPA regional office building.

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128 On 20 February 2023, a groundbreaking ceremony was held at the
129 MIMAROPA RGC in Brgy. Sta. Isabel, Calapan City, which marked the
130 commencement of the construction of POPCOM MIMAROPA regional
131 office building.

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133 On the lot allocation of Professional Regulation Commission (PRC)
134 MIMAROPA in the MIMAROPA RGC, the Committee approved the lot
135 allocation of PRC MIMAROPA in the MIMAROPA RGC.

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137 Further, PRC MIMAROPA will adhere to the MIMAROPA RGC Master
138 Plan and MIMAROPA DAED once formulated.

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140 Copy of the resolution was provided to PRC MIMAROPA on 07 February 2023.

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142 On the resistance among the farmers affected by RGC site development,
143 Mr. Ferdinand M. De Gala of DARPO Oriental Mindoro suggested to seek
144 security assistance from the Philippine National Police (PNP) MIMAROPA
145 while the backfilling and construction of perimeter fence are ongoing.

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147 The Secretariat have not received any request from DPWH Oriental

Mindoro DEO for security assistance from PNP MIMAROPA.

F. Matters for Approval/Review/Endorsement

- Lot allocation of Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) MIMAROPA and Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT) MIMAROPA

RDC Vice Chairperson and NEDA MIMAROPA Regional Director Agustin C. Mendoza presented the request of DENR MIMAROPA and DICT MIMAROPA for a lot allocation in the MIMAROPA RGC.

He informed the Committee that the DENR MIMAROPA submitted to NEDA MIMAROPA as RGCMC Secretariat its agency information and spatial requirements on 22 October 2021.

Further, in a letter dated 31 January 2023, the DENR MIMAROPA signified their interest to avail a lot allocation for the DENR regional office building in the RGC site located at Brgy. Sta. Isabel, Calapan City, Oriental Mindoro.

On the other hand, in a letter dated 09 March 2022, the DICT MIMAROPA requested confirmation of lot allocation for the DICT MIMAROPA regional office building in the RGC site.

Dir. Mendoza emphasized that regional line agencies who are willing to transfer to MIMAROPA RGC still need to signify their intent through official communication addressed to the Committee.

On motion duly seconded, the lot allocation of DENR MIMAROPA and DICT MIMAROPA in the MIMAROPA RGC were approved with an estimated area ranging from 300 to 700 sq.m. per lot cut.

The lot area per regional government office (RGO) will be determined and provided in the MIMAROPA RGC DAED.

Furthermore, the DENR MIMAROPA and DICT MIMAROPA will adhere to the MIMAROPA RGC Master Plan and Architectural Schematics approved by the RDC MIMAROPA and the MIMAROPA RGC DAED once formulated.

G. Matters for Information

- Status update on the construction of perimeter fence and backfilling of MIMAROPA RGC

Engr. Errol R. Villan of DPWH Oriental Mindoro DEO presented the status update on the construction of perimeter fence and backfilling of MIMAROPA RGC.

198 He reported that DPWH Oriental Mindoro DEO was able to construct
199 only the right side of the perimeter fence of the MIMAROPA RGC and
200 was able to backfill a total of 41,745 square meters of the RGC site with
201 the initial fund allocation of Php50million. The DPWH Oriental Mindoro
202 DEO was also able to fill 3,117 square meter-portion of the RGC site
203 with an embankment elevation of 2.40 meters.
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205 He added that the project has an actual accomplishment of 97 percent
206 with a negative slippage of three percent. It is expected to be completed
207 by 20 March 2023.
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209 He also informed the Committee that DPWH MIMAROPA will be
210 allocating a total of Php135 million for the preparation of the
211 MIMAROPA DAED.
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- 213 • Status update on the construction of POPCOM MIMAROPA regional
214 office building
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216 Engr. Villan presented status update on the construction of POPCOM
217 MIMAROPA regional office building.
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219 He shared the revised perspective of POPCOM MIMAROPA regional
220 office building to the Committee. He emphasized that they prepared the
221 exterior design of the POPCOM MIMAROPA regional office building
222 bare-faced to allow for future improvements once the MIMAROPA DAED
223 is formulated.
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225 The project has a total allocation of Php15 million, which will only cover
226 the structural frame of the three-storey building.
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228 He informed the Committee that they are currently processing the building
229 permit and awaiting approval of resumption order from DPWH MIMAROPA.
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231 He added that they were able to establish layout of the foundation works
232 and excavate the area.
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234 Mayor Morillo reiterated that the land dispute has been cleared by
235 Department of Agrarian Reform Provincial Office (DARPO) Oriental
236 Mindoro through certification of non-issuance of emancipation patents
237 and certificate of land ownership awards issued on 22 August 2022.
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239 She also emphasized that DPWH Oriental Mindoro may seek security
240 assistance from PNP MIMAROPA during the implementation of the
241 establishment of MIMAROPA RGC.
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• Status of MIMAROPA RGC Locators

Dir. Mendoza presented the status of MIMAROPA RGC locators.

As of February 2023, the number of possible locators reached a total of 64 agencies: 48 MIMAROPA regional government offices (RGOs), ten Southern Tagalog /cluster offices (agencies that have not yet separated from the original Southern Tagalog or Region IV set up), five government owned and controlled corporations (GOCCs), and one agency/office which was not included in the aforementioned classifications.

Out of the 64 possible locators, 11 agencies have already established/built their respective offices outside the RGC (either within Calapan City, within Oriental Mindoro, or in Puerto Princesa City in Palawan.) Of the 11 agencies, 10 are MIMAROPA RGOs namely, Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) MIMAROPA, Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP) MIMAROPA, Land Registration Authority (LRA), Land Transportation Office (LTO) MIMAROPA, National Bureau of Investigation (NBI) MIMAROPA, National Irrigation Administration (NIA) MIMAROPA, Office of Civil Defense (OCD) MIMAROPA, Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA) MIMAROPA, PNP MIMAROPA, Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA) MIMAROPA, and Presidential Management Staff-Office of Regional and International Concerns (PMS-ORIC) in Puerto Princesa City.

He added that 25 agencies have already transferred to Calapan City or within Oriental Mindoro but are still renting office spaces. Out of the 25 agencies, 15 are MIMAROPA RGOs namely, Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) MIMAROPA, National Police Commission (NAPOLCOM) MIMAROPA, Cooperative Development Authority (CDA) MIMAROPA, National Telecommunications Commission (NTC) MIMAROPA, Commission on Higher Education (CHED) MIMAROPA, Philippine Information Agency (PIA) MIMAROPA, National Commission on Indigenous Peoples (NCIP) MIMAROPA, Department of Justice-Parole and Probation Administration (DOJ-PPA) MIMAROPA, DICT MIMAROPA, NEDA MIMAROPA, Department of Agriculture (DA) MIMAROPA, Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) MIMAROPA, Regional Tripartite Wages and Productivity Board (RTWPB) MIMAROPA, Overseas Workers Welfare Administration (OWWA) MIMAROPA, and Land Transportation and Franchising Regulatory Board (LTFRB) MIMAROPA.

On the other hand, four agencies are from Southern Luzon/clustered offices, namely, Maritime Industry Authority (MARINA) IV, Department of Migrant Workers (DMW), Food and Drug Administration (FDA), and Philippine Coconut Authority (PCA).

Five are GOCCs, namely, Government Service Insurance System (GSIS), Social Security System (SSS), Landbank of the Philippines (LBP), Philippine Health Insurance Corporation (PhilHealth), Home Development Mutual Fund (HDMF), and Department of Agriculture-Bureau of Plant Industry (DA-BPI).

Two agencies have approved lot allocation by virtue of RGCMC Resolutions No. 2022-001 and 002: POPCOM MIMAROPA and PRC MIMAROPA.

As of February 2023, POPCOM MIMAROPA has already commenced the construction of their regional office building in the RGC.

There were two agencies with pending requests for lot allocation in the RGC. These are DENR MIMAROPA and DICT MIMAROPA.

Oriental Mindoro Provincial Administrator (PA) Hubbert Christopher A. Dolor manifested that Oriental Mindoro Governor Humerlito A. Dolor wishes to recall one hectare out of the 5.11 hectare land to be utilized as MIMAROPA RGC pursuant to the usufruct agreement by and between the RDC MIMAROPA and the Provincial Government of Oriental Mindoro. The one-hectare land to be recalled will be used by the Provincial Government to establish a grand terminal.

Mayor Morillo appealed to PA Dolor to bear with the RGCMC and requested for Gov. Dolor's reconsideration.

She informed the Committee that the City Government of Calapan already has a plan to establish a grand terminal within the city.

Mayor Morillo suggested a courtesy visit to Gov. Dolor together with Dir. Mendoza and DPWH Oriental Mindoro DEO, to appeal for reconsideration.

III. Adjournment

With no further matters to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 04:15 p.m.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:

ATTESTED:

ENP. SHERYLL B. SARABIA
RGCMC Secretary

MAYOR MARILOU F. MORILLO
RGCMC Chairperson

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MATTERS ARISING FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING

AGENDA ITEM/ISSUE	AGREEMENTS	STATUS
Lot allocation of Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) MIMAROPA and Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT) MIMAROPA	<p>The Committee approved the lot allocation of DENR MIMAROPA and DICT MIMAROPA in the MIMAROPA RGC with an estimated area ranging from 300 to 700 square meters per lot cut.</p> <p>The lot area per regional government office (RGO) will be determined and provided in the MIMAROPA RGC DAED.</p> <p>Furthermore, DENR MIMAROPA and DICT MIMAROPA will adhere to the MIMAROPA RGC Master Plan and Architectural Schematics approved by the RDC MIMAROPA and the MIMAROPA RGC Detailed Architectural and Engineering Design (DAED) once formulated.</p>	Copies of RGCMC Resolution Nos. 2023-01-01 to 2023-01-02 was provided to DENR MIMAROPA and DICT MIMAROPA on 10 May 2023, respectively.
Recall of one hectare out of the 5.11 hectare land to be utilized as MIMAROPA RGC	The Committee agreed to appeal for reconsideration.	The Secretariat coordinated with DPWH Oriental Mindoro DEO, regional, and central offices relative to the establishment of MIMAROPA RGC in Calapan City and submitted project documents for the proposed preparation of DAED and completion of backfilling and construction of perimeter fence.

REGIONAL GOVERNMENT CENTER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

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BRIEF FROM THE RGCMC SECRETARIAT

Subject: Lot allocation of DILG MIMAROPA

1. Republic Act No. 10879 or the MIMAROPA Act establishing the Southwestern Tagalog to be known as the MIMAROPA region was enacted on 17 July 2016 in accordance with Article VI, Section 27 (1) of the Philippine Constitution.
2. Pursuant to the Implementing Rules and Regulations of RA 10879 and Executive Order 682, s. 2007, Calapan City was designated as the regional center of MIMAROPA. In line with this, all regional government offices (RGOs) for MIMAROPA shall establish their offices in Calapan City.
3. In a letter dated 31 March 2023, Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) MIMAROPA Regional Director Karl Caesar R. Rimando requested intervention and assistance for the allocation of a parcel of land in the MIMAROPA Regional Government Center (RGC) located at Brgy. Sta. Isabel, Calapan City.
4. The request of DILG MIMAROPA for a lot allocation in the MIMAROPA RGC will be presented for review.
5. Action requested: For approval.

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MIMAROPA Region

EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE FIRST QUARTER RGCMC
MEETING HELD ON 16 MAY 2023 IN CALAPAN CITY

RGCMC Resolution No. _____

APPROVING THE LOT ALLOCATION OF DEPARTMENT OF THE
INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DILG) MIMAROPA IN THE
MIMAROPA REGIONAL GOVERNMENT CENTER (RGC)

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 10879 or the MIMAROPA Act establishing the Southwestern Tagalog to be known as the MIMAROPA region was enacted on 17 July 2016 in accordance with Article VI, Section 27 (1) of the Philippine Constitution;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Implementing Rules and Regulations of RA 10879 and Executive Order No. 682, s. 2007, Calapan City was designated as the regional center of MIMAROPA;

WHEREAS, in line with this, all regional government offices (RGOs) for MIMAROPA shall establish their offices in Calapan City;

WHEREAS, in a letter dated 31 March 2023, Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) MIMAROPA Regional Director Karl Caesar R. Rimando requested intervention and assistance for the allocation of a parcel of land in the MIMAROPA Regional Government Center (RGC) located at Brgy. Sta. Isabel, Calapan City.

NOW, THEREFORE, ON A MOTION DULY SECONDED, be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, That the Committee approves the lot allocation of DILG MIMAROPA in the MIMAROPA RGC with an estimated area ranging from 300 to 700 square meters;

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the lot area per RGO will be determined and provided in the MIMAROPA RGC Detailed Architectural and Engineering Design (DAED);

RESOLVED FINALLY, That DILG MIMAROPA will adhere to the MIMAROPA RGC Master Plan and Architectural Schematics approved by the RDC MIMAROPA and the MIMAROPA RGC DAED once formulated;

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

Done this 16th day of May in the year of our Lord 2023 in Calapan City.

Certified Correct:

Attested:

SHERYLL B. SARABIA
RGCMC Secretary

AGUSTIN C. MENDOZA
RDC Vice Chairperson

Approved:

MARILOU F. MORILLO
RGCMC Chairperson

REGIONAL GOVERNMENT CENTER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

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16 May 2023 Calapan City

BRIEF FROM THE RGCMC SECRETARIAT

Subject: Lot allocation of NEDA/RDC MIMAROPA

1. Republic Act No. 10879 or the MIMAROPA Act establishing the Southwestern Tagalog to be known as the MIMAROPA region was enacted on 17 July 2016 in accordance with Article VI, Section 27 (1) of the Philippine Constitution.
2. Pursuant to the Implementing Rules and Regulations of RA 10879 and Executive Order 682, s. 2007, Calapan City was designated as the regional center of MIMAROPA. In line with this, all regional government offices (RGOs) for MIMAROPA shall establish their offices in Calapan City.
3. The National Economic and Development Authority is the country's premier socioeconomic planning body, highly regarded as the authority in macroeconomic forecasting and policy analysis and research.
4. Section 13 of Executive Order No. 325, s. 1996, provides that the NEDA Regional Offices shall be the Secretariat of the RDC. The NEDA Regional Director shall manage the technical, administrative and financial operations of the RDC and shall be accountable for the funds and properties of the RDC.
5. The RDC is the primary institution to coordinate and to set the direction of all efforts for economic and social development in the region. It is also a forum where local initiatives can be related and integrated with national development activities.
6. The proposed lot allocation of NEDA/RDC MIMAROPA in the MIMAROPA RGC will be presented for review.
7. Action requested: For approval.

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EXCERPTS FROM THE MINUTES OF THE FIRST QUARTER RGCMC
MEETING HELD ON 16 MARCH 2023 IN CALAPAN CITY

RGCMC Resolution No. _____

APPROVING THE LOT ALLOCATION OF DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES (DENR) MIMAROPA IN
THE MIMAROPA REGIONAL GOVERNMENT CENTER (RGC)

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 10879 or the MIMAROPA Act establishing the Southwestern Tagalog to be known as the MIMAROPA region was enacted on 17 July 2016 in accordance with Article VI, Section 27 (1) of the Philippine Constitution;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Implementing Rules and Regulations of RA 10879 and Executive Order No. 682, s. 2007, Calapan City was designated as the regional center of MIMAROPA;

WHEREAS, in line with this, all regional government offices (RGOs) for MIMAROPA shall establish their offices in Calapan City;

WHEREAS, the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) is the country's premier socioeconomic planning body, highly regarded as the authority in macroeconomic forecasting and policy analysis and research;

WHEREAS, Section 13 of Executive Order No. 325, s. 1996, provides that the NEDA Regional Offices shall be the Secretariat of the RDC. The NEDA Regional Director shall manage the technical, administrative and financial operations of the RDC and shall be accountable for the funds and properties of the RDC;

WHEREAS, the RDC is the primary institution to coordinate and to set the direction of all efforts for economic and social development in the region. It is also a forum where local initiatives can be related and integrated with national development activities;

NOW, THEREFORE, ON A MOTION DULY SECONDED, be it

RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, That the Committee approves the lot allocation of NEDA/RDC MIMAROPA in the MIMAROPA RGC with an estimated area ranging from 300 to 700 square meters;

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the lot area per RGO will be determined and provided in the MIMAROPA RGC Detailed Architectural and Engineering Design (DAED);

RESOLVED FINALLY, That NEDA/RDC MIMAROPA will adhere to the MIMAROPA RGC Master Plan and Architectural Schematics approved by the RDC MIMAROPA and the MIMAROPA RGC DAED once formulated;

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

Done this 16th day of May in the year of our Lord 2023 in Calapan City.

Certified Correct:

Attested:

SHERYLL B. SARABIA
RGCMC Secretary

AGUSTIN C. MENDOZA
RDC Vice Chairperson

Approved:

MARILOU F. MORILLO
RGCMC Chairperson

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BRIEF FROM THE RGCMC SECRETARIAT

Subject: Updates on the construction of perimeter fence and backfilling of
MIMAROPA Regional Government Center (RGC)

1. A total of Php50 million was allocated in the FY 2022 General Appropriations Act for the establishment of the Regional Government Center (RGC) which is now being utilized for the backfilling and construction of perimeter fence of the RGC site.
2. During the 3rd Quarter Regional Government Center Management Committee (RGCMC) Meeting held on 30 August 2022 in Calapan City, the Department of Agrarian Reform Provincial Office (DARPO) Oriental Mindoro has cleared the RGC site from any encroachment and has certified that no emancipation patent was issued to any farmer.
3. During the 1st Quarter RGCMC Meeting held on 16 March 2023 in Calapan City, the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) Oriental Mindoro District Engineering Office (DEO) informed the Committee the said project has already an actual physical accomplishment of 97 percent with a negative slippage of three percent.
4. DPWH Oriental Mindoro DEO will present updates on the construction of perimeter fence and backfilling of the MIMAROPA RGC.
5. Action requested: For information.

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16 May 2023 Calapan City

BRIEF FROM THE RGCMC SECRETARIAT

Subject: Updates on the construction of Commission on Population and Development (POPCOM) MIMAROPA regional office building

1. Republic Act No. 10879 or the MIMAROPA Act establishing the Southwestern Tagalog to be known as the MIMAROPA region was enacted on 17 July 2016 in accordance with Article VI, Section 27 (1) of the Philippine Constitution.
2. Pursuant to the Implementing Rules and Regulations of RA 10879 and Executive Order 682, s. 2007, Calapan City was designated as the regional center of MIMAROPA. In line with this, all regional government offices (RGOs) for MIMAROPA shall establish their offices in Calapan City.
3. In a letter dated 03 August 2022, Commission on Population and Development (POPCOM) MIMAROPA Regional Director Reynaldo O. Wong requested for the grant of 3,000 square meter parcel of land for the construction of POPCOM MIMAROPA regional office building in the RGC site located at Brgy. Sta. Isabel, Calapan City, Oriental Mindoro.
4. During the 4th Quarter RGCMC Meeting held on 22 November 2022 in Calapan City, the Committee approved the establishment of POPCOM MIMAROPA regional office building in the MIMAROPA RGC.
5. On 20 February 2023, a groundbreaking ceremony was held in the MIMAROPA RGC in Brgy. Sta. Isabel, Calapan City to mark the commencement of the construction of POPCOM MIMAROPA regional office building.
6. During the 1st Quarter RGCMC Meeting held on 16 March 2023 in Calapan City, the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) Oriental Mindoro District Engineering Office (DEO) informed the Committee that the Php15 million allocation will only cover the structural frame of the three-storey building.
7. DPWH Oriental Mindoro DEO will present updates on the construction of POPCOM MIMAROPA regional office building in the MIMAROPA RGC.
8. Action requested: For information.