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MEMORANDUM

FOR

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The OIC, Assistant Regional Director for Technical Services

FROM

The Provincial Environment and

Natural Resources Officer

SUBJECT

SUBMISSION OF APPROVED MINUTES FOR PROTECTED AREA MANAGEMENT BOARD (PAMB)- EXECOM MEETING OF EL NIDO-TAYTAY MANAGED RESOURCE PROTECTED AREA (ENTMRPA) CONDUCTED ON OCTOBER 12, 2021 AT PAMO CONFERENCE ROOM, BGY. MASAGANA, EL NIDO,

PALAWAN

Forwarded is the memorandum dated August 30, 2022 from CENRO Taytay along with the Approved Minutes for Protected Area Management Board (PAMB) Execom Meeting for El Nido Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area (ENTMRPA) conducted on October 12, 2021 at the PAMO Conference Room, Barangay Masagana, El Nido, Palawan.

Please be informed that the said minutes was approved during the PAMB Execom Meeting on August 11, 2022 at Cafeteria, Barangay Maligaya, El Nido, Palawan.

For information and record.



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MEMORANDUM

FOR

The Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officer-Palawan

Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City

FROM

The Community Environment and Natural Resources Officer

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SUBJECT

SUBMISSION OF APPROVED MINUTES FOR PROTECTED AREA MANAGEMENT BOARD (PAMB) – EXECOM MEETING OF EL NIDO-TAYTAY MANAGED RESOURCE PROTECTED AREA (ENTMRPA) CONDUCTED ON OCTOBER 12, 2021 AT PAMO CONFERENCE ROOM, BGY. MASAGANA, EL NIDO,

PALAWAN

Respectfully forwarded is the memorandum dated August 12, 2022 of Protected Area Superintendent (PASu) Mildred A. Suza and acted by this Office on August 30, 2022 being our accomplishment and as **Means of Verification (MoV)** on the target Protected Area Management Board (PAMB) meeting under 001 Protected Area Management and Development activity of El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area (ENTMRPA), El Nido, Palawan.

Please be informed that the said minutes of meeting was approved by the board during the PAMB ExeCom meeting on August 11, 2022 at Cafeteria, Barangay Maligaya, El Nido, Palawan.

Hence, this Office recommends to continuously monitoring the activity under this target and submits report for review and endorsement.

For his information and record.

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Cc: PAMO-ENTMRPA

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August 12, 2022

MEMORANDUM

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FOR

The Community Environment and

Natural Resources Officer

Taytay, Palawan

FROM

The Protected Area Superintendent

El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area

SUBJECT

SUBMISSION OF APPROVED MINUTES OF EL NIDO-TAYTAY MANAGED RESOURCE PROTECTED AREA (ENTMRPA) PAMB EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING CONDUCTED ON OCTOBER 12, 2021 AT PAMO CONFERENCE ROOM, BGY.

MASAGANA, EL NIDO, PALAWAN

This pertains to the conducted PAMB Executive Committee (ExeCom) meeting held on October 12, 2021 at PAMO, Conference, Bgy. Masagana, El Nido, Palawan. The said minutes was approved during the PAMB ExeCom meeting last August 11, 2021 at Cafeteria, Bgy. Maligaya, El Nido, Palawan.

Please be informed further, that the filming activity of Philippine Film Studios Inc. (PSFI) to be conducted by Koh Lanta (French Survivor) was endorsed by the Committee for affirmation of enbanc. It was tackled and approved during the conducted PAMB enbanc meeting held on November 17, 2021 and it was already forwarded thru channel.

For information and record.

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MINUTES OF THE PROTECTED AREA MANAGEMENT BOARD (PAMB) EXECOM MEETING HELD ON OCTOBER 12, 2021 AT PAMO CONFERENCE ROOM, BARANGAY MASAGANA, EL NIDO, PALAWAN.

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PRESENT:

- 14 1. RED Maria. Lourdes G. Ferrer PAMB Chair/Regional Executive Director,
- 15 represented by CENRO Alan L. Valle
- 16 **2. Hon. Edna G. Lim** Vice-Chair/Municipal Mayor El Nido, represented
- 17 by Edgardo Sabenacio
- 18 3. Atty. Teodoro Jose Matta PCSD Executive Director/PAMB Member
- 19 4. Engr. Raul B. Maximo Municipal Administrator/LGU-El Nido
- 20 5. Hon. Aracel Bacolod Punong Barangay, Bucana/ABC President
- 21 **6. Mr. Alberto A. Lim** ENF Chairperson, NGO representative represented by **Mr. Jose A. Alferez**
- 23 7. Mrs. Virginia M. Balderas Women's Federation Representative
- 24 8. Mr. Raffy Nur PAMB Member/CRRAEN/CCM Chair
- 25 9. Mr. Conrado N. David MTC President/PO representative/ CSF Chair
- 26 10. Engr. Daria Ebora PAMB Member/MPDO/CPD Chair

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- 28 ABSENT:
- 29 1. Hon. Christian V. Rodriguez PAMB Member/Municipal of Taytay
- 30 **2. Hon. Prospero D. Castro** PAMB Member/ NCIP/IP Representative
- 31 3. Ms. Rowena Gaviana PAMB Member/DEP-ED, El Nido

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- 33 **SECRETARIAT:**
- 34 1. Mr. Jenuel P. Casel PMF, ENTMRPA
- 35 **2.Ms. Faith Bangalisan** PAMO Staff
- 36 3.Ms. Reina Rose C. Abordo PAMO Staff
- 37 4. Ms. Maian P. Alvillar PAMO Staff

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- 39 **OBSERVER/GUESTS:**
- 40 1. Ms. Rhodora Ubani CDS Chief, PENRO Palawan
- 41 2. Ms. Demi Patricia Decena PENRO Staff
- 42 **3. Ms. Precy Obrique** CENRO Taytay Staff
- 43 4. Ms. Maria Teresa Riziel I. Caya EMB MIMAROPA representative
- 44 5. Ms. Danielle S. Palomar MMO, El Nido

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A. PRELIMINARIES

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The PAMB meeting started at 9:40 in the morning with a prayer led by Ms. Maian P. Alvillar followed by the singing national anthem.

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B. MEETING PROPER

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I. Determination of Quorum

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Ms. Reina Rose C. Abordo made a roll call of members and declared the quorum ten (10) out of thirteen (13) PAMB ExeCom members present, she then confirmed the presence of a quorum.

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II. Call to Order

In the absence of the Committee Chairperson, Mr. Conrado N. David was voted to act as the presiding officer.

The presiding officer then called the meeting in order.

III. Presentation and approval of the Provisional Agenda

Upon the direction of the Presiding Officer, Ms. Abordo presented the provisional agenda. The presiding chair asked the body if there are comments, verification and suggestion. Additional agenda were included as raised by the presiding officer. The following were the approved agenda of the meeting:

1. Proposed filming activity of Philippine Film Studios Inc. (PFSI) to conduct Koh Lanta (French Survivor) in the islands of El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area (ENTMRPA), El Nido, Palawan on October 14-November 25, 2021; and,

Additional agenda from RED:

1. Issue in STP within PA and PAMB clearance; and,

 2. GEM activities with emphasis on 40 m easement pursuant to ENIPAS. The PAMB should know requirements and implication of application of ENIPAs.

1. Status meeting of private owner including islands and travel and tours

Additional agenda from the Committee:

Without further comments, Mr. Jose Alferez, the representative of El Nido Foundation (ENF) moved for the adoption of the provisional agenda and was seconded by Engr. Daria Ebora, the Municipal Planning Development Officer (MPDO) and the Chairman of Project Development Committee.

The Committee members adopted the provisional agenda.

IV. Review and approval of the minutes of the previous meeting

The presiding officer sought for comments, clarifications or corrections in the minutes of the previous meeting.

Since there were no more corrections on the minutes, Mr. Jose A. Alferez moved for its approval and it was duly seconded by Mr. Raffy Nur. The minutes of previous meeting dated on August 8, 2021 has been approved.

V. Matters arising from the minutes of the previous meeting

Mr. David inquired on the status of SAPA application of Brgy. Pasadeña, any status and what will be their decision.

APASu informed that they requested of technical conference and still waiting for their schedule.

Mr. David instructed the secretariat to follow up. He further asked the situation regarding high coliform count in El Nido even without tourist influx.

APASu answered that according to the report of Environmental Management Bureau (EMB), aside from industrial establishments, residential houses are also contributors, he further

added that the said results was forwarded to the mayor's office and sanitation officer. But the sanitation officer did not respond on this matter.

As there were no other matters arising from the previous minutes, the body agreed to proceed with the meeting.

VI. Business of the Day

1. Proposed filming activity of Philippine Film Studios Inc. (PFSI) to conduct Koh Lanta (French Survivor) in the islands of El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area (ENTMRPA), El Nido, Palawan on October 14-November 25, 2021

Mr. Joseph Santos and Mr. Nikolo Juban made a brief background regarding their survivor games and the dates of their filming activities.

Accordingly, aside from the promotional videos they are making, they also conduct coastal clean-ups on their filming sites to ensure that no debris are left behind.

They also presented their proposed temporary structures for tribal council to be built between Lio Estate and DENR Property Cove 4, Dibuluan Island and Manlag are identified areas for the filming. It was also presented that, 81% of their staff are residents of El Nido and 48% of El Nido owned land vehicles and sea vessels will be used to aid the jobless residents due to pandemic.

Moreover, the proposed activity was approved by the Inter-Agency Task Force (IATF) signed by Atty. Charade B. Mercado-Grande and Mayors Special Permit signed by Hon. Edna G. Lim.

After the presentation, CENRO Alan L. Valle asked the Secretariat if the proponent do not have a pending issue or violation with the management rules and regulations.

APASu Casel answered that aside from the delay of furnishing the copy of videos, there is no violation recorded with the management.

CENRO Valle followed up a question regarding their filming fees. APASu Casel, answered that the proponent was already informed. They are aware that payment must be settled prior filming and it was confirmed by the proponent.

PENRO CDS Chief Rhodora Ubani recommended additional inputs in the terms and conditions that the proponent must inform the management in case of delayed furnishing copy of videos.

Ms. Christina Rodriguez, representative from PCSD, asked if the activities will involve wildlife. The proponent ensured that no wildlife will be harmed during filming.

Ms. Rodriguez further asked what are the Protected Area zones of the identified filming sites. She further recommended to validate the sites and if it falls within the Restricted Use Zone, the proponent must adjust their location. She added that for the next filming proposal, the proponent should secure ECAN Certification to ensure that they do not utilize the Restricted Use Zones.

The secretariat explained to the proponent of what Restricted Use Zone means, as they were unaware about it and they assured the Committee that they will comply with suggestion of PCSD.

CDS Chief Ubani agreed with the recommendation of PCSD. She also emphasized that this project is for approval of the Committee and validation of the areas.

The Secretariat made some clarifications, regarding the propose use of seaplane, it was mentioned by Mr. Santos last meeting at PAMO that they will be using one in Cadlao Lagoon and they were advised that this is not allowed in Protected Area. Mr. Santos further answered that they amend the segment using seaplane to another place, specifically not in Bacuit Bay or inside PA.

Without further queries, Mr. Alferez motioned for the approval of the proposed filming entitled "Survivor France", duly seconded by Ms. Rodriguez subject for validation and assessment of the filming sites.

The Board voted for the approval of the proposed filming subject for validation and assessment of the filming sites.

2. Issue in STP within PA and PAMB Clearance

The Presiding Chair queried if this project is for approval, APASu Casel answered that Regional Executive Director (RED) requested to tackle the said matter.

Ms. Bangalisan, presented the Sewage and Solid Waste Treatment Plant located at Sitio Batbat, Bgy. Villa Libertad, El Nido, Palawan. Accordingly, the said project was supported by a PAMB Resolution 2017-010 entitled "A resolution favorably endorsing El Nido Sewage & Solid Waste Management Treatment Plant project of Local Government Unit represented by. Hon. Mayor Nieves C. Rosento, El Nido, Palawan".

The proponent is requesting for tree inventory, easement certification and PA Zoning dated September 7, 2021. PAMO acted to their request and the following are the findings during the inspection on September 17, 2021: Fourteen (14) trees were recorded, covering an area of 2.4 hectares without reducing the easement requirement, falls within the multiple use zone of the approved ENTMRPA PAMP Terrestrial Management Plan. It was recommended that application must be reviewed prior issuance of PA Zoning and Easement Certification. Other recommendations per memorandum dated September 23, 2021 were, advise the proponent to secure Tenurial Instrument, Environmental Compliance Certificate, Permit to Operate and Submit documents to the PAMO and PAMB.

APASu mentioned that the area is in timberland. He further added that the project was endorsed and approved by the PAMB but it was not deliberated by the Project Development Committee (PDC) and this project do not have documents submitted to PAMO.

He further reiterated that as per letter dated September 3, 2021, PAMO requested the proponent to furnish this office a copy of their complete set of PAMB documents. To date, no response is received by this office.

It was recommended that the project still has to be tackled in PDC to review their pertinent papers.

3. GEM activities with emphasis on 40 m easement pursuant to ENIPAS

The presiding officer reminded that the matter was tackled last meeting and asking for additional comments of RED.

CENRO Valle answered in the absence of RED, he clarified that 40 meters easement must be followed within PA. He further reiterated that in Bgy. Corong-corong, 3 meters was observed which is in violation of the imposed 40 meters easement.

The PAMO was tasked to present the easements of Barangays in compliance with the 40 meters on next PAMB meeting.

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Committee Updates

a. External, Communication and Public Information Committee Updates

Ms. Abordo, summarized the agreements during the conduct of External Communication and Public Information Committee meeting conducted on September 12 and 22, 2021 at PAMO Conference Room, Bgy. Masagana, El Nido, Palawan. Mr. Conrado David was appointed as the Vice-chairman of the committee during the meeting.

She further explained the preparations for the celebration of 23rd ENTMRPA anniversary as well as the topics for the proposed Capacity Building of the PAMB members. Unfortunately, the proposed activities was postponed due to the alarming rise of covid positive in the municipality.

VIII. Other matters

a. Status meeting including Private Owners and Travel and Tours

APASu made updates regarding their ocular inspection on the islands with claimants and the PAMO already made written communications with the identified claimants. Unfortunately, claimants in some islands were not identified and their guards are unaware of the owners. However, it was suggested that the PAMO will be conducting a follow-up inspection on the islands.

IX. Adjournment

Having no agenda to discuss, Ms. Rodriguez motioned for the adjournment of the meeting duly seconded by Mr. Alferez at about 12:14 in the afternoon.

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Prepared by:

DKED A. SUZA PASu-ENTMRPA

Head Secretariat

Approved by:

MR. CONRADO N. DAVID

President, Municipal Tourism Council

Presiding Officer

Affirmed: