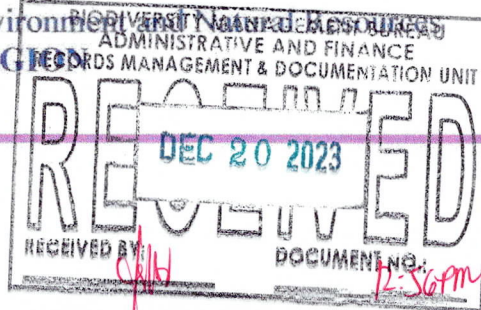


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MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Undersecretary for Field Operations
Luzon, Visayas and Environment

ATTENTION : The Assistant Secretary for International Affairs and
Concurrent OIC Director, Biodiversity Management Bureau

FROM : The OIC, Regional Executive Director

SUBJECT : **SUBMISSION OF ACCOMPLISHMENT REPORT ON
THE CONDUCTED CAPACITY BUILDING FOR
PROTECTED AREA MANAGEMENT BOARD (PAMB)
FOR MOUNT MANTALINGAHAN PROTECTED
LANDSCAPE (MMPL) [P-2023-120823]**

Respectfully submitted is the Memorandum dated 29 September 2023 of PENRO Palawan together with the copy of the pertinent documents relative to the above subject. This is in compliance with the target under OO1: Natural Resources Conservation and Development Program - Protected Areas, Caves, and Wetlands Development Sub-Program: I. For the Remaining Initial Components of the NIPAS: 5. PAMB Operationalization – A. Capacity Building for PAMB members of Mount Mantalingahan Protected Landscape (MMPL) in Palawan.

The activity was conducted at Costa Palawan Resort, Brgy. San Pedro, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan in collaboration with Sustainable Interventions for Biodiversity, Oceans and Landscapes (SIBOL). It was attended by forty-one (41) participants composed of MMPL PAMB members, MMPL PAMO staff and representatives from SIBOL. The activity aims to provide series of environmental and protected area management policy literacy and capacity building measures necessary for improving the natural resources management and governance in MMPL.

Below are the topics and the resource persons who discussed during the learning event:

1. ENR Management Policies (The Philippine Constitution, PD 705, RA 7160, SEP Law) by Atty. Willman Pollisco of SIBOL;
2. The MMPL PAMB Structure, MMPL PAMB Operations Manual, Management Effective Tracking Tool (METT) and Priority Enforcement Area (PEA) Results by Maria Zita Toribio of SIBOL;
3. Operationalizing functions, duties and responsibilities of the MMPL PAMB Committees and current issues and concerns by CENRO/PASu Renato Gonzaga;
4. PAMB Governance Effectiveness and Functionality Assessment (GEFSA) and presentation of GEFSA results by Maria Zita B. Toribio of SIBOL;
5. Training needs assessment for the PAMB committees, workshop breakouts by committee (individual TNA) facilitated by Alexa Lasch of SIBOL;

6. Rules of Procedure in conducting PAMB Meetings Committee Protocols and Rules by Atty. Willman Pollisco of SIBOL;
7. Policy Development Procedure and Fundamentals: The Use of Science and Evidences by Maria Zita Toribio of SIBOL;
8. Ecotourism Destinations, Status, and Challenges in MMPL; Status of IPAF, Existing Sources of Revenues and Financing Gaps/Issues in MMPL by CENRO/PASu Renato Gonzaga;
9. Concepts, Principles and Practices in Ecotourism Management and Sustainable Financing for PAs by Maria Zita Toribio of SIBOL;
10. Crime Prevention and Environmental Law Enforcement; Status, Challenges and Next Steps in Environmental Law Enforcement in MMPL by Glenn Forbes of SIBOL; and
11. MMPL M&E System and Monitoring Tools (BMS/BAMS/SEAMS); and Challenges and Recommendations National Guidelines and Standards in Site Development and Resource Management in PAs; Salient PAMB resolutions and pertinent LGU Policies and Plans CENRO/PASu Renato Gonzaga.

Attached are the photo documentation, attendance sheets and other pertinent documents relative to the activity for ready reference.

For information and record.


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