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Department of Public Works and Highways
MIMAROPA REGION
EDSA, Diliman, Quezon City



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HARRY CHUA

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Dear Mr. Chua:

We hope this letter reaches you safe and in good health.

We wrote this letter in connection with your correspondence dated February 23, 2023, regarding your submission of plans for the River Delta Clearing and Shoreline Enhancement of the therein named seven (7) rivers.

Please be informed that as a matter of policy and as practiced in each and every dredging plan submitted to DPWH MIMAROPA Region relative to the River Restoration program of the Province of Occidental Mindoro, the same should be officially or formally endorsed by the by the province through the Office of the Governor. While the initial review as stated in the Inter-Agency Committee (IAC) Resolution No. 17, Series of 2022, means that DPWH MIMAROPA Region will only determine the completeness of the required data for the River Data Clearing and Shoreline Enhancement Plan. **The evaluation and approval of the plan itself rest upon the IAC as a whole, meaning, all IAC members shall sign and approve the same.**

In this regard, much to our regret, DPWH MIMAROPA Region cannot possibly act on the plans as of this moment pending the endorsement coming from the Office of the Governor of the Province of Occidental Mindoro nor approved the same as such act is within the discretion of the whole IAC itself. However, this does not preclude our office in returning the same should you insist in doing so.

Hoping for your understanding regarding the matter. Rest assured that this Office is closely coordinating with the IAC regarding this matter as we are waiting for the date of the next IAC meeting in order to calendar this matter into its agenda.

Very yours truly

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