

Republic of the Philippines Department of Environment and Natural Resources MIMAROPA Region

PROVINCIAL ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE

MEMORANDUM

DENR MIMAROPA RECORDS SECTION

APR 28 2023

FOR

The Regional Executive Director

DENR MIMAROPA Region OUTGOING 1515 DENR By the Bay Building, Roxas Boulevard,

Barangay 668, Ermita, Manila

THRU

The ARD for Technical Services

FROM

The OIC, PENR Officer

SUBJECT

ACTIVITIES ON THE **PROGRESS** REPORT VERDE **ISLAND** TO CONDUCTED RELATIVE SUITABILITY PASSAGE-PROTECTED AREA ASSESSMENT (VIP-PASA) FOR THE FIRST QUARTER,

2023

Forwarded is the memorandum dated March 31, 2023 of CENRO Sablayan regarding Progress Report on the activities conducted relative to Verde Island Passage-Protected Area Suitability Assessment (VIP-PASA) particularly in the municipalities of Paluan and Abra de Ilog, Occidental Mindoro

Attached with the report are the pictures taken during coordination and orientation meeting with LGU's of the municipalities of Abra de Ilog, Paluan and in the Office of Provincial Governor (PGO) of Occidental Mindoro. Key Informant Interview (KII) was also conducted at Abra de Ilog Occidental Mindoro with a total of 113 respondents.

For information and record.



Republic of the Philippines **Department of Environment and Natural Resources** MIMAROPA Region

COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE

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MEMORANDUM

RECOPTED

FOR

: The Regional Executive Director

1515 DENR by the Bay Bldg., Roxas Blvd.,

Barangay 668, Ermita, Manila

THRU

: The PENR Officer

DENR-PENRO Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro

FROM

: The CENR Officer

SUBJECT

: PROGRESS REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED

RELATIVE TO VERDE ISLAND PASSAGE-PROTECTED AREA SUITABILITY ASSESSMENT (VIP-PASA) FOR THE FIRST

QUARTER, 2023.

Forwarded herewith is the progress report of the Conservation and Development Section (CDS) re: regarding the above subject matter.

Please be informed that as of March 20, 2023 this office has conducted coordination, orientation meeting and Key Informant Interview (KII) activities in relation to the Verde Island Passage-Protected Area Suitability Assessment (VIP-PASA) particularly in the Municipalities of Paluan and Abra de Ilog, Occidental Mindoro which constitute about 15% accomplishment.

For your information and record.

THE RELEASED BY TIME. DATE

DATE 4/3/23 TIME 4:50PM

FOR. ANASTACIO SANTOS, MPA CENR Officer

March 20, 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR

: The CENR Officer

THRU

The DMO IV/Deputy CENRO

FROM

: The ECOMS I Chief, Conservation Development Section

SUBJECT

: PROGRESS REPORT ON THE ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED RELATIVE TO VERDE ISLAND PASSAGE-PROTECTED AREA SUITABILITY ASSESSMENT (VIP-PASA) FOR THE FIRST

QUARTER, CY 2023.

Respectfully submitted is the progress report re: above mentioned subject. Please be informed that as of March 20, 2023 the CDS has conducted the following activities

A. Coordination

This office has conducted series of coordination in relative to the Verde Island Passage-Protected Area Suitability Assessment (VIP-PASA) in the Provincial Government Office of Occidental Mindoro (PGO) on January 17, 2023, and in the Municipalities of Paluan and Abra de Ilog on January 18-19, 2023 respectively.

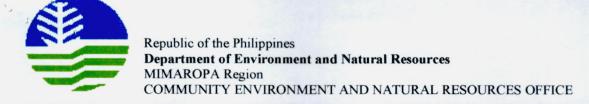
B. Orientation Meeting

In line of informing and better understanding about the VIP-PASA, this office together with personnel from DENR Biodiversity Management Bureau (BMB) and PENRO Mamburao conducted orientation meetings in LGU Paluan on January 25, 2023, Abra de Ilog on January 31, 2023, to Office of Representative Cong. Leody Tarriela via zoom on February 1, 2023, and to the PGO on February 7, 2023.

C. Key Informant Interview (KII)

Please be informed that as of March 20, 2023, the Key Informant Interview activites conducted for Verde Island Passage Protected Area Suitability Assessment at Abra De Ilog, Occidental Mindoro as follows:





BARANGAYS	SITIOS	NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS
LUMANGBAYAN	BUKTOT	6
	MATABANG	7
	URILAN	11
	AMAZONA	6
WAWA	KABILANG ILOG	5
	PROPER	4
	APYAS	3
	AGBALALA	6
	PAPALI	4
	CABIGNAYAN	4
	RECUDO	4
UDALO	SIGMAN	7
	BUGTONG	11
	CABASINGAN	7
	YABANAN	5
STA. MARIA	AMATANG	8
	STO. TOMAS	2
	GUIGINTO	10
	BALAGNAN	3
TOTAL OF RESPONDENTS		113

Attached are the geotagged photos and GIS generated map for VIP-PASA.

For information, reference and record.

HEROLD S. CASTRO



MAP

of

Communities conducted with Key Informant Interview (KII) for the proposed Verde Island Passage Protected Seascape

Location:

Baranggays:

Wawa, Udalo, Lumangbayan and Sta.

Maria

Municipality:

Abra de Ilog

Interview Conducted by:

PEDRO A. MARMOL

Ecosystems Management Specialist II

MILAGROS V. TAÑEDO Forest Technician I

Noted by:

HEROLD S. CASTRO Chief, CDS

COORDINATION AND ORIENTATION WITH PGO OCCIDENTAL MINDORO, LGU ABRA DE ILOG AND PALUAN, FOR THE CONDUCT OF VERDE ISLAND PASSAGE PROTECTED AREA





Provincial Government Office of Occidental Mindoro





LGU Abra de Ilog





LGU Paluan





Geotagged photos taken during Key informant interview at Brgy. Udalo, Abra De Ilog, Occidental Mindoro on March 8-10, 2023 regarding VIP for Protected Area Suitability Assessment



Geotagged photos taken during Key Informant Interview at Brgy Sta. Maria, Abra De Ilog, Occidental Mindoro on March 14-15, 2023 regarding VIP of Protected Area Suitability Assessment.

Altitude 24 m



Geotagged photos taken during Key Informant Interview at Brgy Sta. Maria, Abra De Ilog, Occidental Mindoro on March 15-16, 2023 regarding VIP of Protected Area Suitability Assessment.