



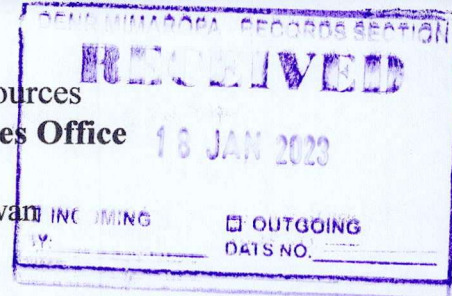
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January 9, 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Executive Director
DENR MIMAROPA
1515 DENR By the Bay Bldg., Roxas Boulevard,
Barangay 668, Ermita Manila

THRU : The OIC, Assistant Regional Director for Technical Services

FROM : The Provincial Environment and
Natural Resources Officer

SUBJECT : **SUBMISSION OF REPORT ON PROTECTION AND
CONSERVATION ACTIVITIES WITHIN URSULA ISLAND
GAME REFUGE AND BIRD SANCTUARY (UIGRBS) FOR
NOVEMBER 2022**

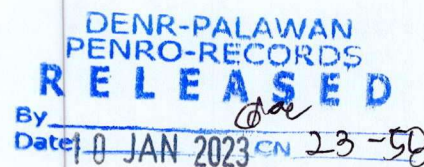
Forwarded is the memorandum dated December 21, 2022 from CENRO Brooke's Point along with the Report on Protection and Conservation activities within Ursula Island Game Refuge and Bird Sanctuary (UIGRBS) for November 2022.

Please be informed that various activities were conducted for the said target activities including monitoring of marine turtle nesting sites, bird counting, coastal cleanup, and seaborne/foot patrolling.

For information and record.

"For the PENRO"

[Signature]
RONIE B. GANDEZA
DMO IV/OIC-Chief TSD
In-Charge Office of the PENRO





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COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE

Brooke's Point, Palawan

December 21, 2022

MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Executive Director
DENR-MIMAROPA Region
1515 L&S Building
Roxas Blvd., Ermita, Manila

THRU : The Provincial Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Sta. Monica, Puerto Princesa City

FROM : The Community Environment and
Natural Resources Officer

SUBJECT : **SUBMISSION OF MONTHLY PROTECTION AND
CONSERVATION ACTIVITIES WITHIN PROTECTED AREA-
URSULA ISLAND GAME REFUGE AND BIRD SSANCTUARY
(UIGRBS) FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2022**

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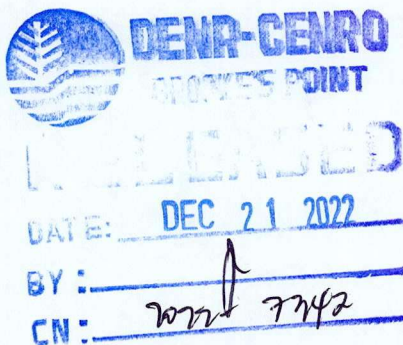
Respectfully forwarded is the Memorandum dated December 20, 2022 of UIGRBS PASu Franklin M. Aquino regarding the above-cited subject.

Please be informed that the personnel assigned in Ursula Island continuously implementing protection and conservation activities within and nearby the PA vicinities including regular monitoring and seaborne/foot patrolling to detect any illegal activities that could affect the PA and the wildlife therein. Likewise, coordination and linkages with other law enforcement agencies was continuously strengthened to ensure that the existing laws, rules and regulations were implemented to protect and preserve the island's biodiversity.

Attached herewith is the monthly protection and conservation activities for the month of November 2022, Individual monthly report of FPOs and photo documentation of their activities conducted.

For your information and record.

[Signature]
LEONARD T. CALUYA





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MIMAROPA Region
COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES OFFICE
Brooke's Point, Palawan

December 20, 2022

MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Community Environment and
Natural Resources Officer
Brooke's Point, Palawan

FROM : The Protected Area Superintendent
Ursula Island Game Refuge and Bird Sanctuary

SUBJECT : **SUBMISSION OF MONTHLY PROTECTION AND
CONSERVATION ACTIVITIES WITHIN PROTECTED AREA-
URSULA ISLAND GAME REFUGE AND BIRD SSANCTUARY
(UIGRBS) FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2022**



Respectfully submitting herewith is the Monthly Protection and Conservation activities within Protected Area- Ursula Island Game Refuge and Bird Sanctuary (UIGRBS) conducted by Forest Protection Officers (FPOs) and PA Staffs for the month of November 2022.

Please be informed that the FPOs hired by our Office together with Blue Guards hired by LGU Bataraza is continuously conducting protection and conservation activities within the vicinity of the PA-UIGRBS. The following activities was stated in the attached Monthly Protection and Conservation Activities within Protected Area such as Monitoring of Marine Turtle Nesting Sites, Monthly Bird Counting, Coastal Clean-Up, Seaborne/Foot Patrolling as their major and regular activities.

Attached also is the copy of individual report of FPOs assigned in Ursula Island and photo documentation of the activities conducted this month of November.

For his information and record.

FRANKLIN M. AQUINO



MONTHLY PROTECTION AND CONSERVATION ACTIVITIES WITHIN PROTECTED AREA

Office : CENRO Brooke's Point
Unit/Section : Conservation and Development Section
Protected Area Name : Ursula Island Game Refuge and Bird Sanctuary (UIGRBS)
Area per AO No. 14, S. 1960 : 17.2 Hectares
Proposed Area for Proclamation : 650.39 hectares (21 has. Terrestrial and 629.39 has. Marine)
Date : November 01-30, 2022

Activities Conducted:

a. Monitoring of Marine Turtle Nesting Sites

The assigned Forest Protection Officers (FPOs) in the island conducted regular monitoring of the Marine Turtle Nesting Sites. There were three (3) heads of Marine Turtles (Hawksbill turtle) laid a total of 269 eggs and are transferred properly to the hatchery area to protect the eggs from wild nest predation and to increase the number of eggs to be hatched. Proper handling with extra care to eggs was applied and proper documentation with stick marking with stated number of eggs transferred and date of eggs laid was put beside the nest.

A total of 103 eggs of marine turtle (hawksbill turtle) hatched this month and hatchlings were properly guided to reach the seashore. *(Please see attached photos/documentation).*

b. Monthly Bird Counting

Assigned FPOs conducted bird counting at the island to monitor the number of birds specially Kamaso in the island. This month, they have counted three times on November 14, 16 and 21, 2022. Their counts of Kamaso (*Pied Imperial Pigeon*) in the island shown in the table below shows that the highest count this month is 4,510 on November 21, 2022. Base on their observation, the count is higher than previous month of October and they observed that the birds are flying back to the island. They also recorded resident bird species such as Grey Imperial Pigeon (*Balud*) 23 heads, 4 heads of Manatad bird, 19 heads of Galanchang bird (*Asian glossy starling*) and 4 heads of Mantanani Scops Owl. This month there is no Nicobar Pigeon (*Siete Colores*) counted.

Month	Bird Specie/s	No. of heads counted	Total
November 14, 2022	Kamaso/Pied Imperial Pigeon	1,067	1,067
November 16, 2022	Kamaso/Pied Imperial Pigeon	1,549	1,549
November 21, 2022	Kamaso/Pied Imperial Pigeon	4,510	4,510
November 16, 2022	Balud/Grey Imperial Pigeon	23	23
	Siete Colores/Nicobar Pigeon	x	x
November 20, 2022	Galanchang Bird/Asian Glossy Starling	19	19
November 20, 2022	Mantanani Scops Owl	4	4
November 15, 2022	Manatad bird/Common Emerald Dove	4	4

c. Coastal Clean-Up

Assigned FPOs were also tasked to conduct coastal clean-up regularly. This month, they have collected 3 sacks of mix non-biodegradable garbage such as plastic bottles, plastic bags, Styrofoams, nylons, ropes and rubbers in the islands shoreline brought by strong waves.

They also conducted hauling and disposal of the sacks of garbage to the mainland Bataraza.

d. Monitoring of Tabon Birds Nesting Sites

FPOs hired by the DENR CENRO Brooke's Point with assistance from Blue Guards hired by LGU Bataraza conducted monitoring of Tabon Birds Nesting Sites within the forested area of the island. Nesting Sites monitored, recorded and documented.

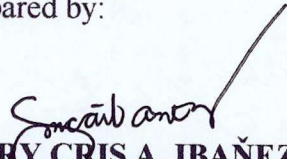
e. Seaborne/Foot Patrolling

The assigned FPO's major task is to conduct daily foot patrolling and/or seaborne patrolling within the vicinities of the island to detect any illegal activities that could cause harm to the wildlife living within the protected area including nearby marine areas. Five (5) Fishermen caught fishing adjacent to water vicinity of Ursula were warned that snorkeling within the Ursula vicinity is prohibited since it is a protected area. They are also oriented regarding the policies being implemented in the island and advised them to leave the vicinity of the island to avoid harm and disturbance to the wildlife.

f. Other activities conducted by FPOs and PA Staff

- Hauling of materials for the maintenance of facilities in the island.
- Repair and maintenance of the ranger house, comfort rooms and conference hall in the island.
- Installed policy signage (1 installed at the pier (Jetty 4), 1 installed near Tourism Office, 2 installed in Ursula Island and 1 in Barangay Rio Tuba (installation pending (looking for an area))
- Assisted in the conduct of 4th quarter PAMB Meeting.

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PHOTO DOCUMENTATIONS

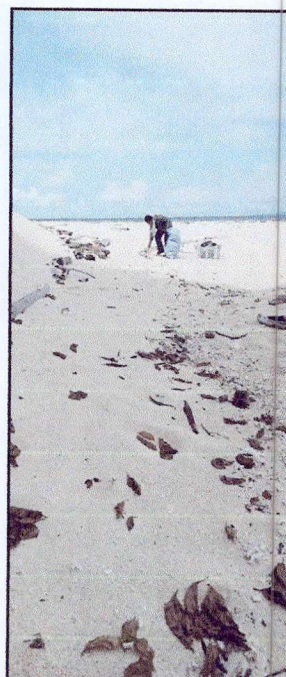
Protection and Conservation activities within Protected Area for the month of November 2022 conducted by Forest Protection Officers (FPOs) and PA Staff

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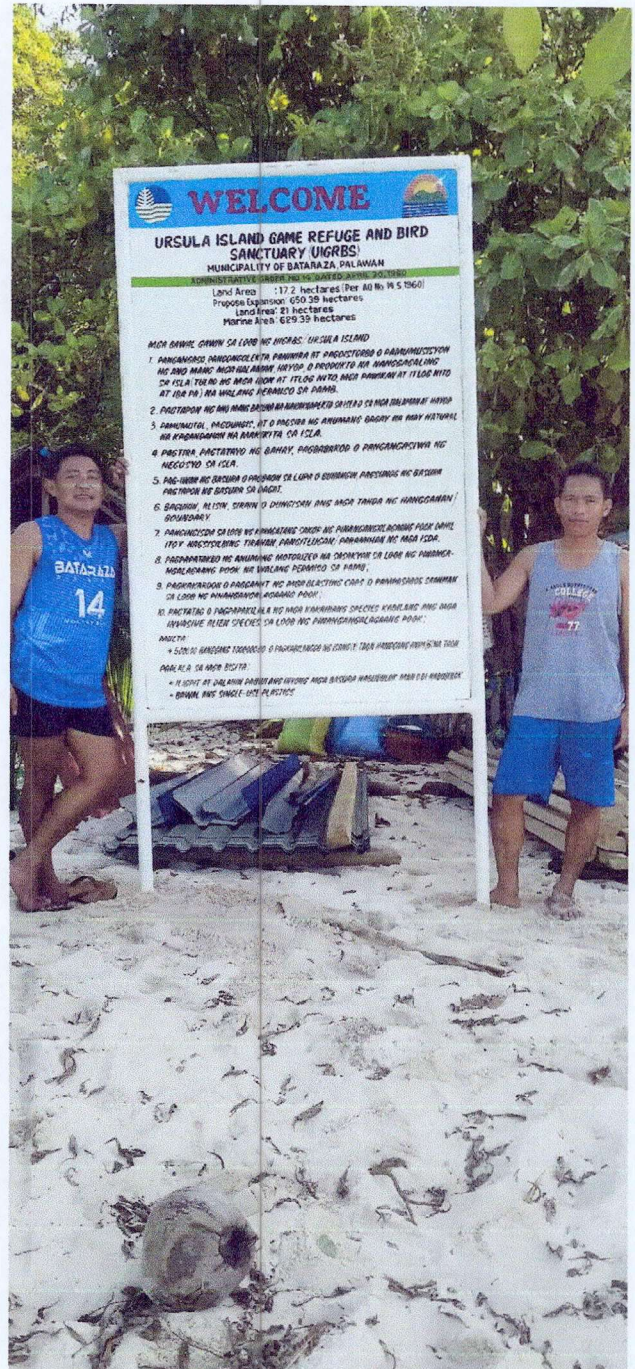
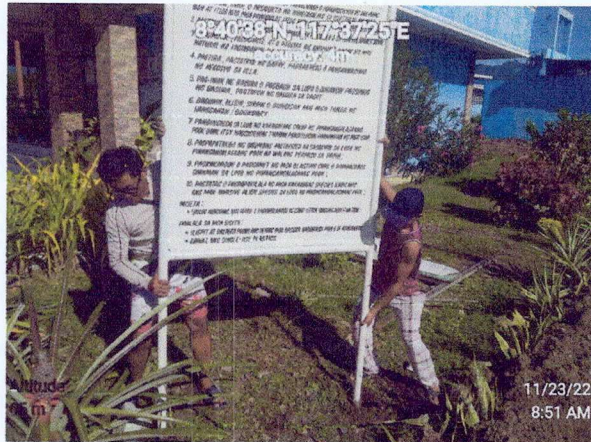
Photos showing the Marine Turtle Eggs and Marine Turtle Hatchlings



Photos showing FPOs conducting Coastal Clean-Up within UIGRBS



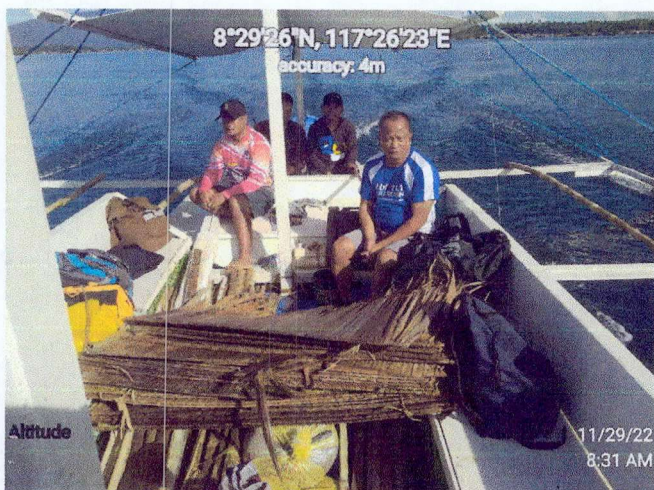
Photos taken during the installation of Policy Signage



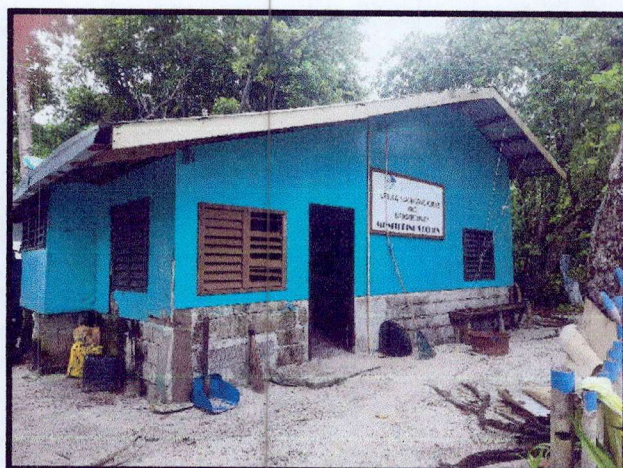
Photos taken during the conduct of 4th Quarter PAMB Meeting



Photos taken during hauling of materials for the maintenance of facilities in the island



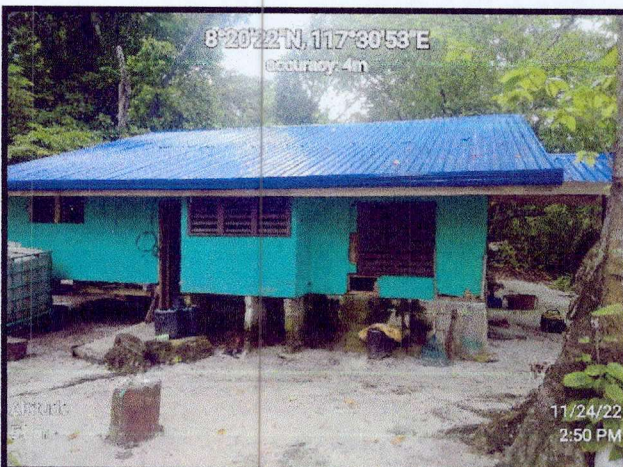
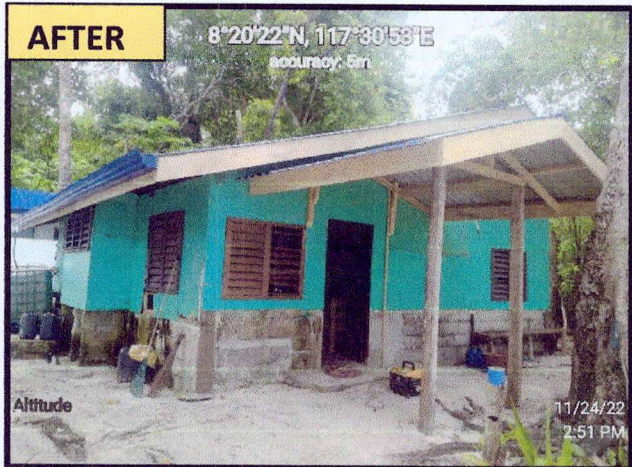
BEFORE



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Above photos showing the before, during and after of the repaired Ranger Station at UIGRBS

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ACCOMPLISHMENT REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 2022

TASK ID NO. (Documents No. or Task no. if taken from WFP)	SUBJECT (Subject area of the Task or the signatory of the documents and subject area)	ACTION OFFICER	OUTPUT	DATE ASSIGNED (Date the task was assigned to the drafter)	DATE ACCOMPLISHED (Date the output was approved by the approver)	REMARKS
	Monitoring of Marine turtle Nesting Sites	RODEL A. RONAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• TRANSFERRED EGG<ul style="list-style-type: none">• November 17, 2022---76 Hawksbill• November 19, 2022---106 Hawksbill• November 29, 2022---87 Hawksbill• TOTAL NUMBER OF TRANSFERRED---269• HATCHED<ul style="list-style-type: none">• November 19, 2022---103 Hawksbill• TOTAL NUMBER OF MARINE TURTLE HATCHED -103 HEAD		<div>November 17, 19, 29, 2022</div> <div>November 19, 2022</div>	Recorded data in logbook



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COASTAL CLEAN-UP	RODEL A. RONAS	Conducted Coastal Clean-Up 3 Sack of mixed garbage	November 17, 2022	November 17, 2022	HAULED



Conduct of Sea-Borne and Foot Patrolling within UIGRBS vicinity	RODEL A. RONAS	Continuous Conduct of Sea-Borne and Foot Patrolling within UIGRBS. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 5 Fishermen advised to do not come closer to the island	November 12, 2022	November 12, 2022	Recorded Date in Logbook
OTHER ACTIVITIES	RODEL A. RONAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hauling of Materials for the maintenance of Ranger house at UIGRBS.• Assisted in the renovation of ranger house at UIGRBS• Installation of Signage• Assisted in PAMB meeting	November 12, 2022 November 20, 2022 November 14, 2022 November 25, 2022	September 27, 2022	

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