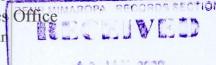


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MEMORANDUM

FOR

The Regional Executive Director
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FROM

The PENR Officer

Puerto Princesa City

SUBJECT

4TH QUARTER NARRATIVE REPORT ON COASTAL AND

MARINE ECOSYSTEM MANAGEMENT PROGRAM (CMEMP)
OF EL NIDO-TAYTAY MANAGED RESOURCE PROTECTED

AREA (ENTMRPA) EL NIDO, PALAWAN

Respectfully submitted herewith the report of CENRO Taytay, Palawan with attached narrative report of all accomplished CMEMP-related activities covering the period of 4th quarter within AOJ of ENTMPRA, El Nido, Palawan.

The attached report includes all target activities under CMEMP such as monitoring of coastal habitats, patrolling, repair and maintenance of all CMEMP equipment.

For information and record



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December 29, 2022

MEMORANDUM

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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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Respectfully forwarded is the memorandum dated December 29, 2022 of Protected Area Superintendent (PASu) Mildred A. Suza of El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area (ENTMRPA), El Nido, Palawan. Submitting the narrative report of accomplishment report for the fourth (4th) quarter of CMEMP Extension Officer Mariel M. Paladan.

For his information and record.

For and in the absence of the CENRO:

Forester I/Chief, EMS

In Charge, Office of the CENRO

Cc: PAMO-ENTMRPA

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December 29, 2022

MEMORANDUM

FOR

The Community Environment and

Natural Resources Officer

Taytay, Palawan

FROM

The Protected Area Superintendent

El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area

SUBJECT

COASTAL AND MARINE ECOSYSTEM MANAGEMENT

PROGRAM (CMEMP) NARRATIVE ACCOMPLISHEMENT

REPORT FOR THE 4TH QUARTER

Respectfully submitted is the narrative accomplishment report on Coastal and Marine Ecosystem Management Program for the 4th quarter of CY 2022 of El Nido-Taytay Managed Protected Area (ENTMRPA) El Nido, Palawan.

Please be informed that the report comprises the physical accomplishment which includes monitoring and mapping of coastal habitat under Marine Protected Area and Networking, also includes the patrolling, direct activities, and repair and maintenance of equipment under Maintenance and Protection of Coastal and Marine Ecosystem.

For information and record.

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EL NIDO-TAYTAY MANAGED RESOURCE PROTECTED AREA

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COASTAL AND MARINE ECOSYSTEM MANAGEMENT PROGRAM NARRATIVE ACCOMPLISHMENT REPORT

Name of the Protected Area: El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area, El Nido, Palawan

I. PHYSICAL ACCOMPLISHMENT

Component 1: Marine Protected Area Strengthening and Networking

A. Monitoring of coastal habitats

Seagrass

LOCATION	NUMBER OF HECTARES ASSESSED	CONDITION	BIODIVERSIY INDEX CATEGORY
So. Seminaytay, Barangay. Manlag, El Nido, Palawan	57.43 hectares	Fair	Low Diversity
So. Simpian, Barangay Aberawan, El Nido, Palawan	36.36 hectares	Good	Low Diversity
Snake Island, Barangay Bebeladan, El Nido, Palawan	14 hectares	Poor	Low Diversity
So. Caalan, Barangay Masagana, El Nido, Palawan	6 hectares	Fair	Low Diversity

There were eight (8) species of seagrass were recorded at four (4) established monitoring sites composed of *Enhalus acoroides, Thalassia hemprichii, Cymodocea serrulate, Halodule pinifolia, Syringodium isoetifolium, Halodule uninervis, Halophila ovalis,* and *Cymodocea* rotundata. Each monitoring sites composed of fix transect line parallel to the shoreline with three (3) 50 meters transect perpendicular to the shoreline separated by 25 meters distance in between and laid parallel to each other. Upon monitoring, there were no unregulated fishing methods observed.

Mangroves

LOCATION	NUMBER OF HECTARES ASSESSED	SHANNON- WEINER INDEX (H') - RELATIVE VALUES	THREATS IDENTIFIED
So. Manlalic, Bgy. Manlag, El Nido, Palawan	69.33 hectares	Very Low Diversity	mangrove cuttings, improper waste disposal and informal settlers

A total of twelve (12) species of mangroves were identified and recorded within the assessed sampling site. The species found in each plot were identified and classified taxonomically using field guide of J.H. Primavera, Ph. D., (2009). A baseline transect was laid parallel to the shoreline, and a transect line was laid perpendicular to the baseline transect at every 100 meters interval. The transect lines were extended up to the most landward zone. At every 100 meter interval on transect lines, a 10 by 10 quadrat was established.

Furthermore, there were mangrove cuttings, improper waste disposal and informal settlers observed and documented in the sampling site. It is recommended to conduct regular monitoring in all mangrove forest within of ENTMRPA in order to protect the mangrove forest from anthropological disturbances.

Moreover, this office will carry on the assessment in the succeeding year to establish baseline data in order to select the permanent monitoring site.

Corals

MONITORING SITES	Hard Coral Cover (HCC)		FISH VISUAL CENSUS CATEGORIES		
	AREA (ha)	%	Category	Fish Biomass (MT/km²)	Fish Density (Individual/1000 m²)
Depeldet Reef,Bgy. Corong-corong	33.77	33.04	НСС В	Very Low	Moderate
Helicopter Island, Bgy. Buena Suerte	26.18	20.9	HCC D	Very Low	Moderate
So. Pagawanen, Bgy. Bebeladan	8.24	32.02	HCC C	Medium	Moderate
Lalutaya Island, Bgy. Bucana	11.75	11.75	HCC C	Low	Moderate
So. Cagbatang, Bgy. Pasadeñ	46.87	46.87	HCC A	Low	Moderate

Photo transect method is used in monitoring, a 75mx 25m were established in every sampling site with three (3) randomized 50 meters transect line parallel to the shoreline. In terms of Hard Coral Cover (HCC) Sitio Cagbatang falls under HCC A category, Depeldet Reef falls under HCC B category, Sitio Pagawanen and Lalutaya Island falls under HCC C category, while Helicopter Island falls under HCC D category. For fish biomass (MT/km²), Helicopter Island and Depeldet Reef falls under very low category with a value of 4.087 MT/km² and 5.739 MT/km², respectively, while Lalutaya Island and So. Cagbatang falls under low category with a value of 9.68 MT/km² and 10.17 MT/km², respectively. However, So. Pagawanen falls under medium category with a value of 13.63 MT/km² based on Nanola et al., 2006. While in fish density per 1000m², based on Hilomen et al., 2000, all five established monitoring sites the Helicopter Island, Depeldet Reef, So. Pagawanen, Lalutaya Island, and So. Cagbatang falls under moderate category with a value of 822 m², 1690 m², 1686 m², 1562 m², and 1404 m², respectively.

B. Maintenance and Protection of Coastal and Marine Ecosystems

1. Patrolling

Areas Patrolled Municipality/ Barangay/ General Location within PA	Frequency	Number of Hectares covered
El Nido – Bacuit Bay	Quarterly	

Park rangers and Forest Protection Officer (FPO) of El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area (ENTMRPA) together with Forest Rangers of CENRO – Taytay conducted seaborne patrol within El Nido-Bacuit bay. Major illegal activities observed during monitoring were;

- a. on-going installation of fish corral (baklad) within Strict Protection Zone (SPZ) near Turtle Island, Bgy. Bebeladan, El Nido, Palawan;
- b. occupation of beach area near Star Beach, Tapiutan Island by unidentified fisherfolks and in beach and karst area of Talisay Beach, Tapuitan Island being occupied by ten (10) unidentified fisherfolks from Barangay Teneguiban, El Nido, Palawan; and
- c. continous development at Sabang Beach, Cadlao Island, Bgy. Buena Suerte, El Nido, Palawan.

2. Response Plan

The El Nido-Taytay Managed Protected Area (ENTMRPA) conducted and participated in the Crown of Thorns (COTs) extraction activity in El Nido, Palawan in order to prevent the rapid increase of COTs.

Moreover, strengthening enforcement activities pursuant to the provision of ENIPAS through regular patrolling and intensifying the Community Education and Public Awareness (CEPA) campaign are being initiated/conducted by this office.

3. Threats/Observations

	AC	CTIVITIES C	CONDUCTE	D	
PA	Patrolling	Response Plan	Threats observed	Direct activities conducted	Equipments maintained
El Nido- Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area	Regular seaborne patrol (night)	Regular conduct of COTs extraction, intensify seaborne patrolling	Illegal fishing, mangrove cuttings, improper waste disposal, Outbreak of Crown of Thorns	Coastal clean-up Collection and Extraction of Crown of Thorns	3 patrol boats maintained, 2 facilities maintained within PA

4. Repair and maintenance of equipement

DIVING GEARS

A total of fifty-five (55) diving gears maintained and stored properly, to wit;

EQUIPMENTS	NUMBER OF	DATE LAST	CONDITION
EQUIPMENTS	UNITS	MAINTAINED	CONDITION
Booties	5 pairs	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Aqualung fins	5 pairs	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Mask	4 pcs	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Weight belt	4 pcs	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Weights	13 pcs	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Buoyancy Control Device (BCD)	7 pcs	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Regulator	6 units	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Tank	4 pcs	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Wet Suit	2 pcs	November 21, 2022	Serviceable

Compass	2 units	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Depth Gauge	2 units	November 21, 2022	Serviceable
Scuba Gloves	1 unit	November 21, 2022	Serviceable

CAMERA

Two (2) units of Go Pro Hero 9 underwater camera was maintained by rinsing it with fresh water after every use in salt water and keeping it dry by wiping it with tissue paper.

BOAT

Three (3) patrol boats repaired and maintained the speed boat, Marshall 2, and Ploning which are being kept at the Diver's House Station located at Barangay Corong-corong, El Nido, Palawan.

PROGRAM SUPPORT

Performance Indicator: CMEMP Extension Officer hired Target CMEMP EO for CY 2022

CEO Name	Sex	Mobile Number	Email address	Components assigned	Major accomplishment/ output/Contribu tion to CMEMP implementation
Mariel	Female	09555286095	paladan	Biodiversity	Focal person in
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Paladan			gmail.co	(BMS), Monitoring	implementation of
			m	of corals,	CMEMP
				mangroves and	activities for CY
				seagrass per PA,	2022 of
				Conduct of direct	ENTMRPA-
				activities	PAMO

Prepared by:

MARIEL M. PALADAN CMEMP Extension Officer

Checked by:

SVEMS/Protected Area Superintendent

PHOTO DOCUMENTATION





Assessment/Monitoring of Seagrass





Assessment/Monitoring of Mangrove





Monitoring of Corals

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the above photos were true and correct and taken during the conduct of activity.

MARIEL M. PALADAN CMEMP Extension Officer

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Maintenance of two (2) Go Pro Hero 9 underwater camera





Maintenance of Scuba diving gears





Maintenance and repair of patrol boats

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Annex 7 and 8. On-going installation of Baklad near Turtle Island, Barangay Bebeladan, El Nido, Palawan.





Annex 9 and 10. Fisherfolk within the Strict Protection Zone (SPZ) at Turtle Island, Barangay Bebeladan, El Nido, Palawan.



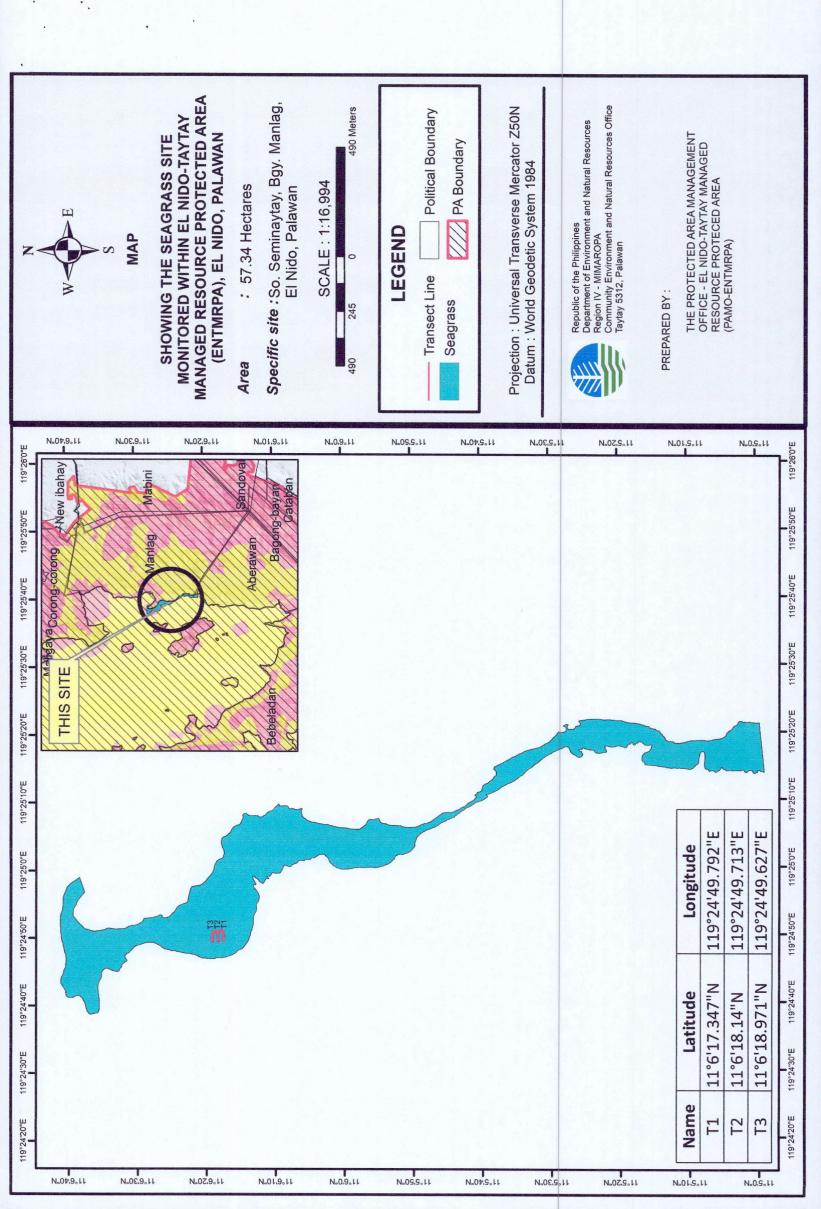


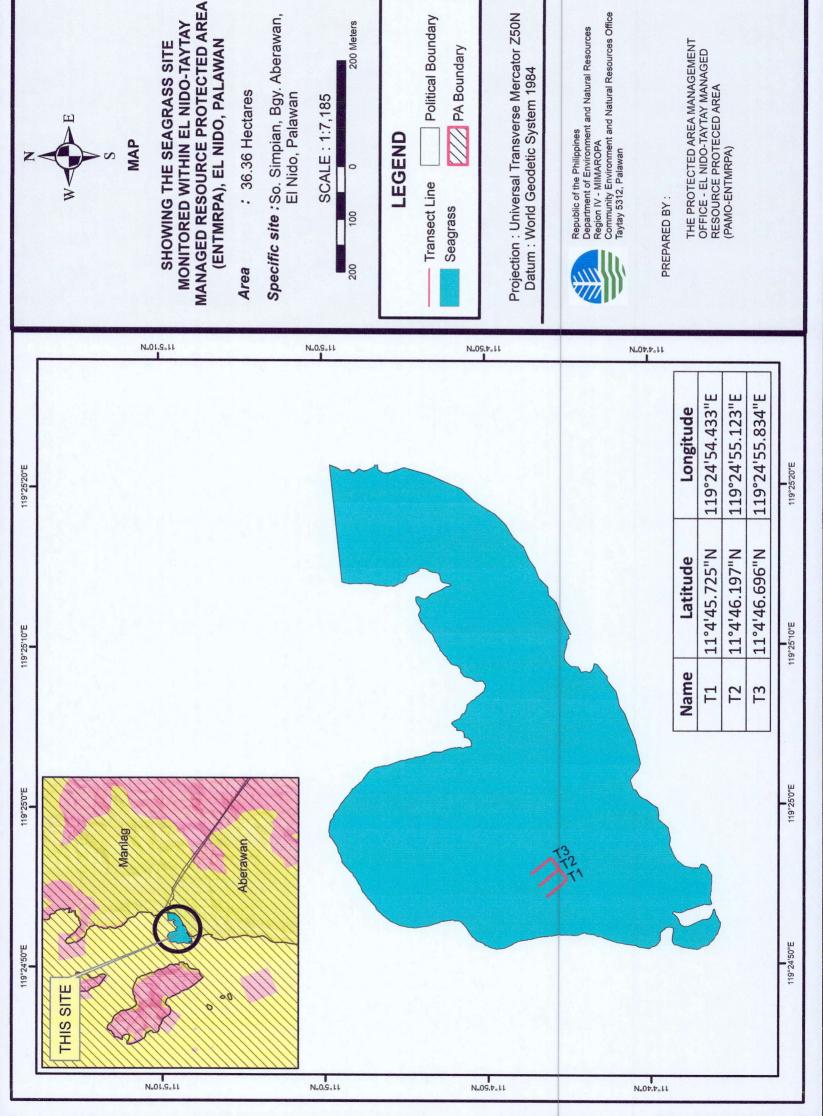
Annex 11 and 12. Small beach area near Star Beach at Tapiutan Island being occupied by unidentified fisherfolks.

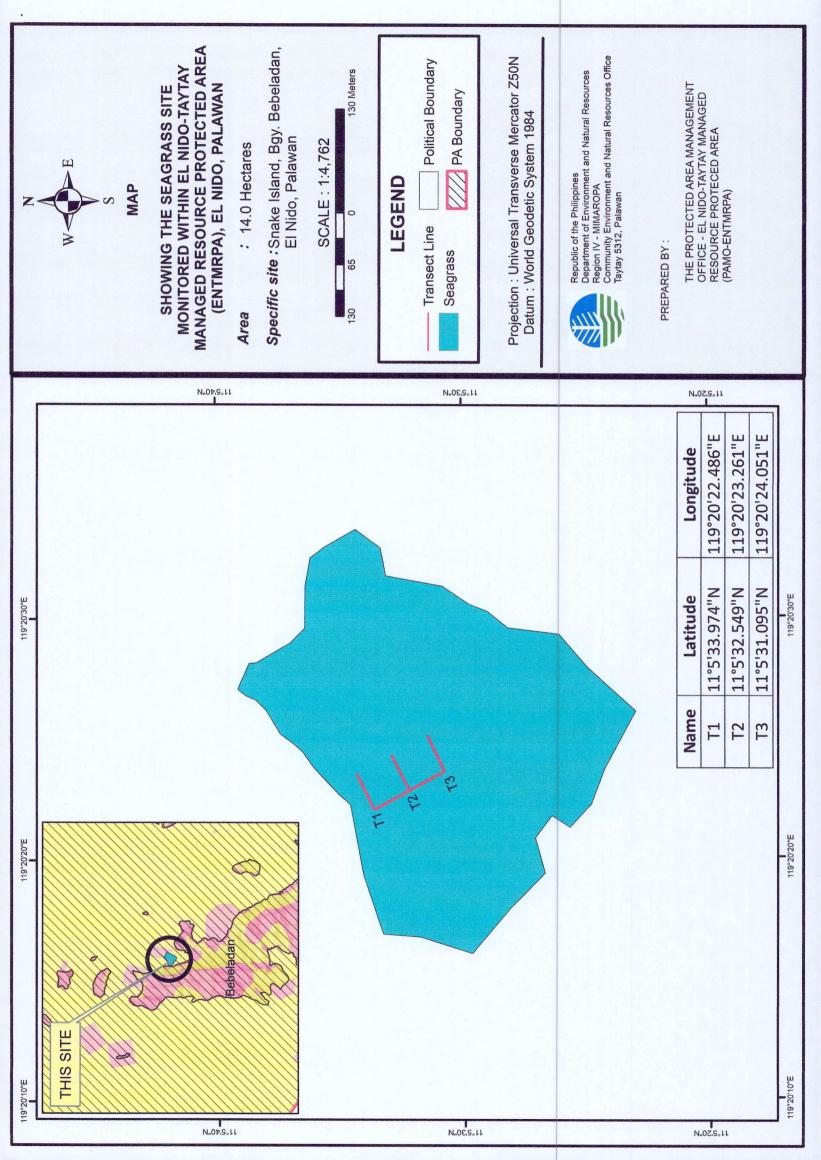
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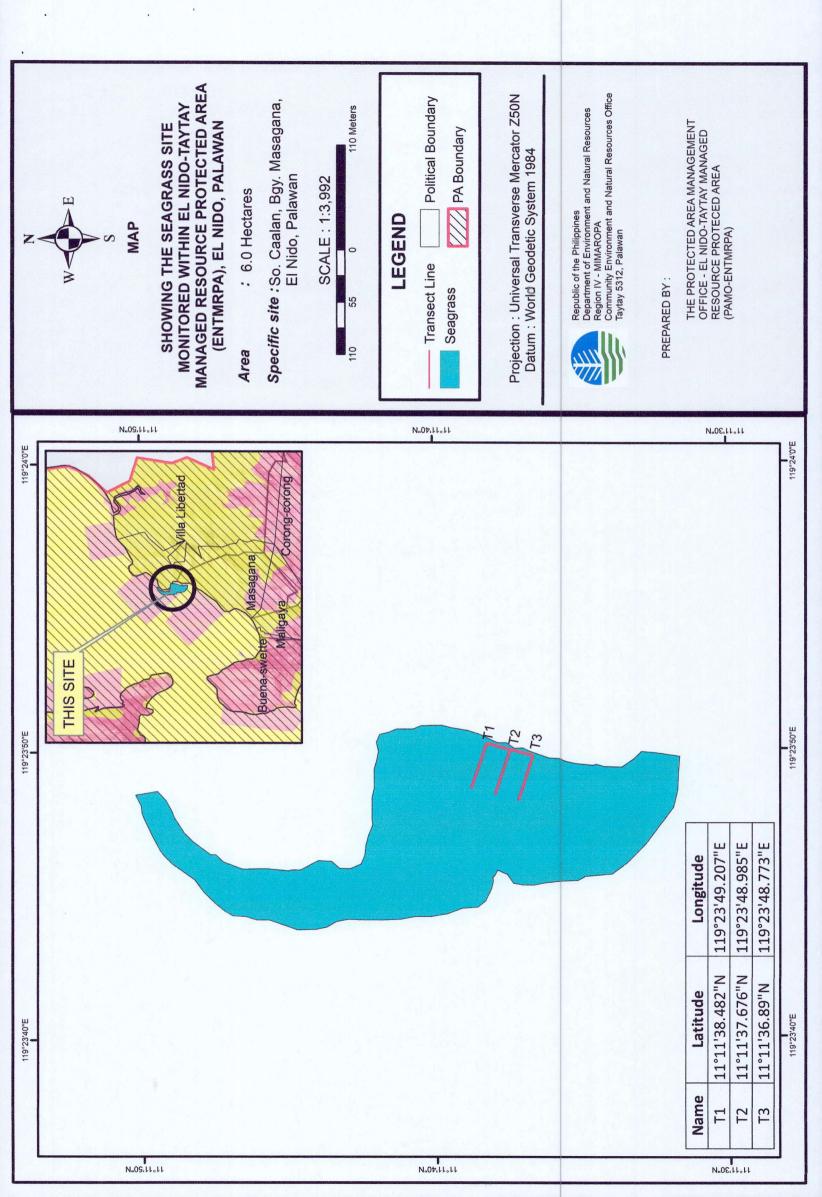
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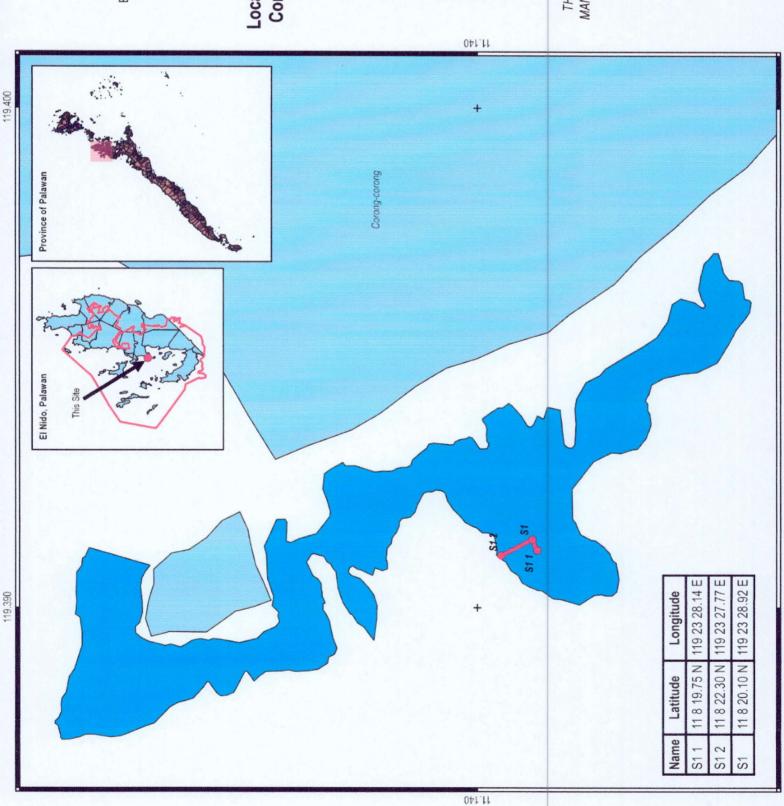
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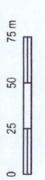




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Location Map Showing the Site 1 "Depeldet" of Coral Reef Assessment within El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area



Projection: World Geodetic System (WGS) 1984 SCALE: 1: 7,500

Total Area: 33.77 Ha

- Depeldet-Line Barangay Boundary Legend

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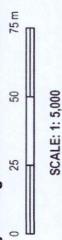
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Location Map Showing the Site 2 "Helicopter" of Coral Reef Assessment within El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource Protected Area



Projection: World Geodetic System (WGS) 1984

Total Area: 26.18 Ha

Legend

■ Helicopter-Point ■ Helicopter-Polygon

■ Helicopter-Line □ Barangay Boundary

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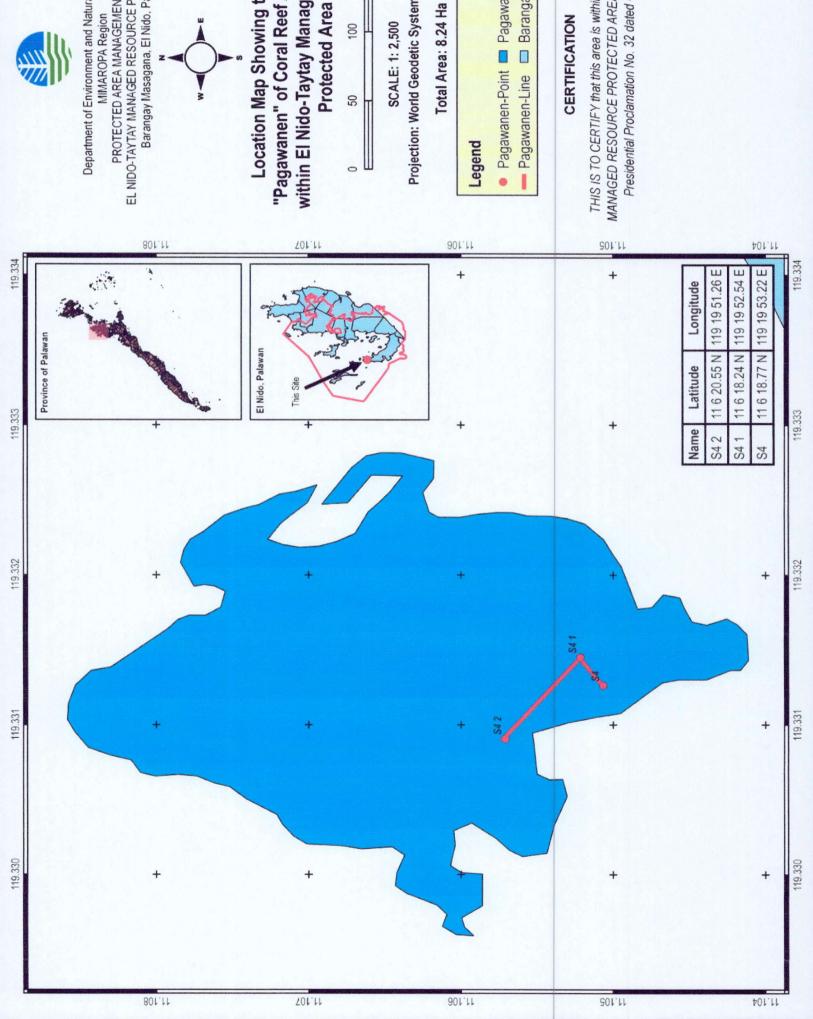
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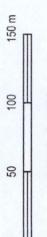




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within El Nido-Taytay Managed Resource "Pagawanen" of Coral Reef Assessment Location Map Showing the Site 4



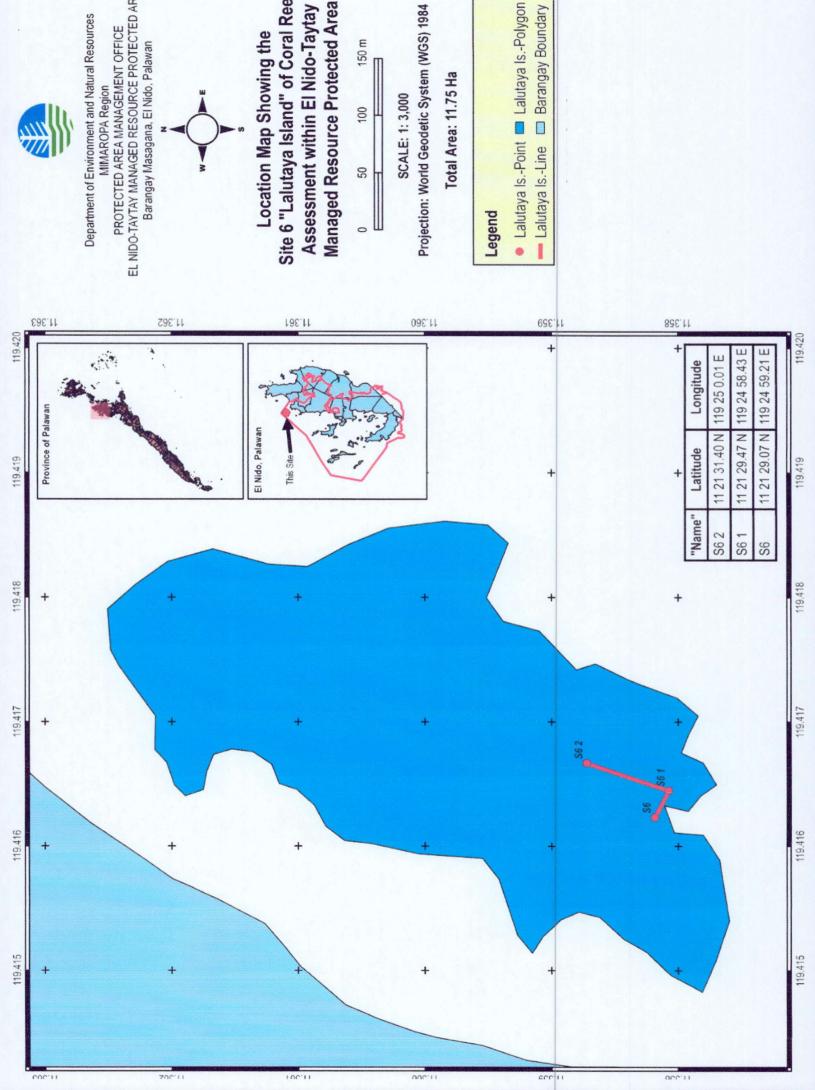
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Total Area: 8.24 Ha

Pagawanen-Line Barangay Boundary

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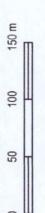




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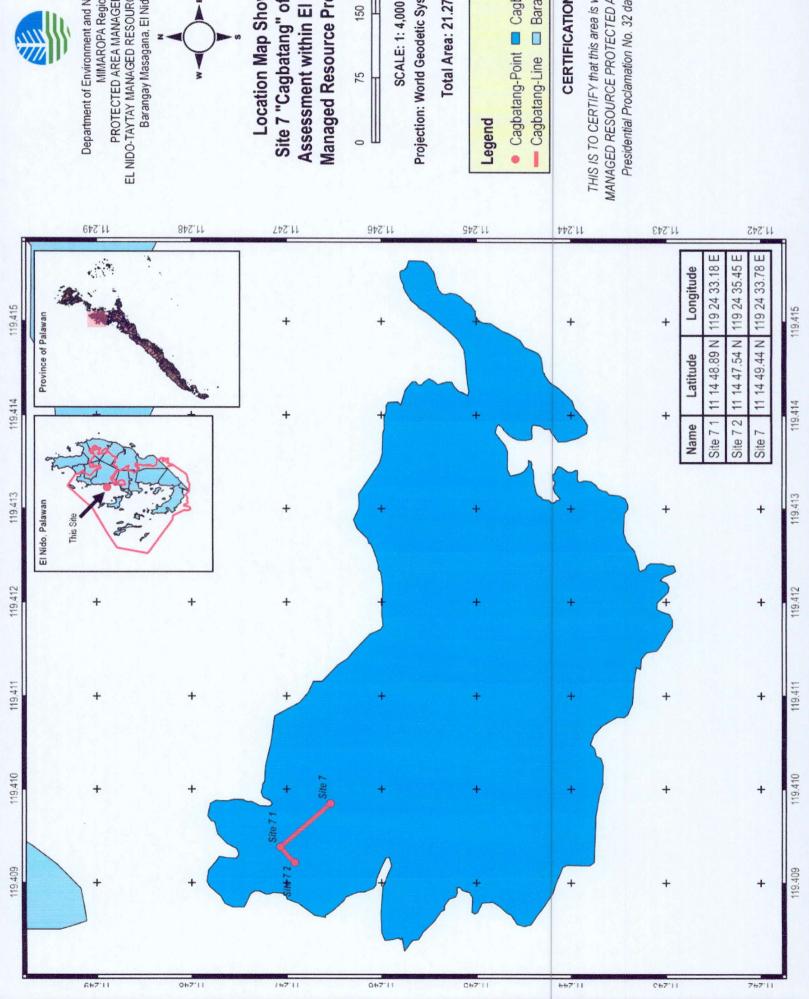
Site 6 "Lalutaya Island" of Coral Reef Managed Resource Protected Area Assessment within El Nido-Taytay Location Map Showing the



Projection: World Geodetic System (WGS) 1984

Total Area: 11.75 Ha

Lalutaya Is.-Point — Lalutaya Is.-Polygon





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Managed Resource Protected Area Site 7 "Cagbatang" of Coral Reef Assessment within El Nido-Taytay Location Map Showing the



Projection: World Geodetic System (WGS) 1984

Total Area: 21.27 Ha

- Cagbatang-Line Barangay Boundary Cagbatang-Point — Cagbatang-Polygon

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