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MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Executive Director
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Barangay 668, Ermita, Manila

THRU : The ARD for Technical Services

FROM : The OIC, PENR Officer

SUBJECT : **SUBMISSION OF REPORT ON THE SURVEY OF BATS
(FLYING FOX) WITHIN THE ADMINISTRATIVE
JURISDICTION OF CENRO SAN JOSE, OCCIDENTAL
MINDORO**

Forwarded is the memorandum dated May 08, 2023 of CENRO San Jose regarding submission of report on the survey of bats (Flying Fox) within the administrative jurisdiction of CENRO San Jose, Occidental Mindoro.

Attached with the report are geotagged pictures taken during the coordination of the team with the Barangay Officials of Rizal and location map of validated Flying Fox Roosting Site.

For information and record.


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MAY 08 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR : The Regional Executive Director
DENR – MIMAROPA Region
Roxas Blvd., Ermita, Manila

THRU : The OIC, PENR Officer
Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro

FROM : The CENR Officer

SUBJECT : SUBMISSION OF REPORT ON THE SURVEY OF BATS
(FLYING FOX) WITHIN THE ADMINISTRATIVE
JURISDICTION OF CENRO SAN JOSE


Respectfully forwarded is the report anent above-cited subject with MFO – 320300100001000 covering the period from January to March 2023.

Reportedly, there is one (1) validated/verified area for possible roosting site of Bats (Flying Foxes) located at Sitio Mayupang, Barangay Rizal, Rizal, Occidental Mindoro. However, based on the activity conducted there is no presence or existence of the mentioned species nor imprints of possible roosting site.

Aside from the validation/verification conducted by the team, FGD was also conducted with the representatives from LGU/BLGU of Rizal in order to gather additional information regarding Bats (Flying Fox) and to strategize activities in the implementing other DENR related activities, policies and priority programs in effective and efficient matter.

For your information and record.

For and in the absence of
The CENR Officer:


ENGR. NILO P. SALVADOR
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April 4, 2023

MEMORANDUM

FOR : The CENR Officer
THRU : The Chief, CDS
ATTN : The Head, BMU
FROM : Forester II Jimmy D. Duruin
Forest Technician I Nino Aloysius B. Colegado
Forest Ranger Emmanuel G. Ignacio
Forest Ranger Michael D. Dagdag
SRS II Jebiela Carla Petalcorin
SUBJECT : ACTIVITY REPORT ON THE VALIDATION OF POSSIBLE ROOSTING
SITE OF FLYING FOX IN RIZAL, OCCIDENTAL MINDORO

Respectfully submitting is the report regarding the above-cited activity conducted on March 1-3, 2023 located at Sitio Mayupang, Barangay Rizal, Rizal, Occidental Mindoro.

The team composed of Forest II Jimmy D. Duruin, Forest Technician I Nino Aloysius B. Coegado, Forest Ranger Emmanuel G. Ignacio, Forest Ranger Michael D. Dagdag and SRS II Jebiela Carla Petalcorin conducted the validation of reported sightings and possible roosting site of Bats (Flying Fox). The area subject for validation is within Lumintao Watershed and adjacent with Lagtang Cave with geographic coordinates of 51 P 287191 1389591 located at So. Mayupang, Brgy. Rizal, Rizal, Occidental Mindoro.

Unfortunately, based on the activity conducted no presence nor imprints of possible roosting area of the mentioned wildlife species was found. After the validation, the team also conducted several interviews within the adjacent community regarding the reported sightings of flying fox, according to some residents living in Sitio Mayupang, the flying foxes often show up from the month of August to September. Also, the respondents are referring in the same area where the team conducted the validation.

Nevertheless, prior to the conduct of the above-mentioned activity, CENRO SJ personnel led by CENR Officer Efren L. Delos Reyes and Head of Biodiversity Management Unit (BMU) Ma. Teresita P. David, Jr. conducted Focus Group Discussion (FGD) together with the representatives from LGU of Rizal-MENRO led by Lauderick Jimenez and representatives from BLGU of Rizal on February 10, 2023 held at Barangay Hall of Rizal. Below are the topics discussed during the FGD:

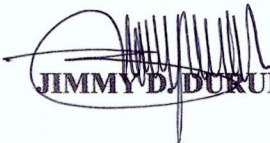
1. Activities of DENR-CENRO San Jose to be conducted within the administrative jurisdiction of LGU Rizal and concerned barangays for CY 2023 that includes the conduct of validation of the possible presence or roosting site of flying foxes and the Watershed Characterization and Vulnerability Assessment of Lumintao Watershed;
2. Strengthening the partnership of concerned LGUs/BLGUs in implementing DENR related policies and priority programs; and
3. Ensuring the safety of the CSJ personnel during the conduct of the activities.

Recommendations:

1. Prepare a plan prior to the conduct of the same activity, this will set as guide for the team for future fieldworks.
2. Prepare survey forms regarding Flying Fox and its possible roosting site/s.
3. Conduct Communication, Education and Public Awareness (CEPA) regarding Flying Fox.
4. Conduct fieldwork in Sitio Mayupang to re-validate the possible Flying Fox roosting site in coordination and collaboration with BLGU of Rizal and LGU of Rizal.
5. Continuous coordination with the different LGUs and LGUs within the administrative jurisdiction of CENRO San Jose regarding Flying Fox.

Attached herewith are the geotagged photos during the conduct of the activity and location map of the area.

For your information, record and further instructions.


JIMMY D. DURUIN


NINO ATOTUS B. COLEGADO


EMMANUEL G. IGNACIO


MICHAEL D. DAGDAG


JEBIELA CARLA PETALCORIN

PHOTO DOCUMENTATION



Photo taken during the coordination of the team together with the
Barangay Officials of Rizal



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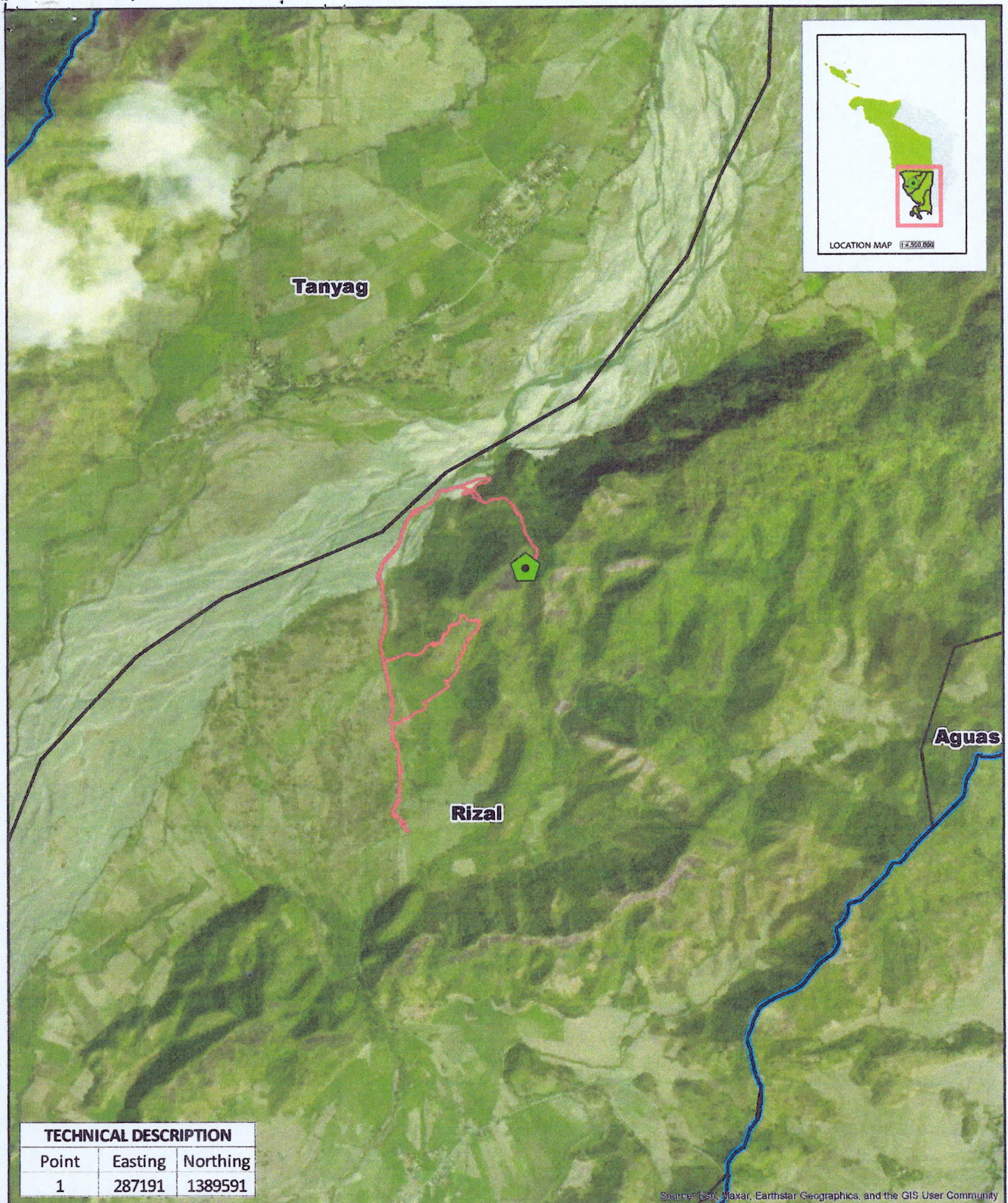
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Photo taken during the actual validation of possible Flying Fox roosting site located at So. Mayupang Brgy. Rizal, Rizal, Occidental Mindoro



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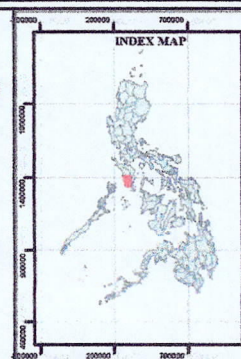
- Validated Area
- Tracks
- Brgy. Boundary
- Lumintao Watershed = 38,999.97 ha.

LOCATION MAP OF VALIDATED FLYING FOX ROOSTING SITE

SCALE: 1:20,000

0 200 400 600 800 1,000 1,200 1,400 1,600 Meters

Coordinate System: WGS 1984 UTM Zone 51N
Projection: Transverse Mercator
Datum: WGS 1984

**LOCATION:**

Sitio: Mayupang
Barangay: Rizal
Municipality: Rizal
Province: Occidental Mindoro

NOTES:

Watershed Boundary - FMB
Barangay Boundary - PSA 2016