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MEMORANDUM

TO : All Regional Executive Directors
DENR

FROM : The Undersecretary for Land Management

SUBJECT : **REQUEST OF NEDA FOR PERMANENT AND ALTERNATE REPRESENTATIVES TO THE REGIONAL LAND USE COMMITTEES.**

DATE : **JAN 26 2004**

This refers to the attached letter dated January 20, 2004 of Mr. Augusto B. Santos, National Land Use Committee Chairperson and NEDA Deputy Director General, reiterating their request for permanent and alternate representatives to the Regional Land Use Committee in support of the preparation of the Regional Physical Framework Plans (RFPs).

In connection therewith, please designate a permanent and an alternate representative from your respective regions who shall coordinate with their NEDA Regional counterparts to ensure our active participation in the drafting of the RFP.

Attached for your reference is the Regional Directory Provided by NEDA.

Advise this office of the action taken on the matter for reference purposes.


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Cc:

Mr. Augusto B. Santos
NLUC Chairman and Deputy Director-General
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20 January 2004

Secretary Elisea G. Gozun
Department of Environment and Natural Resources
DENR Bldg., Visayas Avenue
Diliman, Quezon City

Dear **Sec. Gozun**:

This is to inform you that the preparation/updating of the Regional Physical Framework Plans (RFPs) is now in full swing in all regions nationwide.

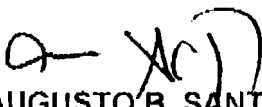
In this regard, may we reiterate our earlier request (copy attached) for all NLUC member-agencies to direct their regional offices, including attached agencies/bureaus, to assign permanent and alternate representatives to the Regional Land Use Committees. Agency representatives are expected to assist in the actual drafting of the RFP as well as to provide relevant data/information and, if necessary, facilities and other resources.

We will appreciate it if you can submit the names of your representatives directly to the NEDA regional offices (directory attached) on or before 30 January 2004.

Should you have inquiries on this matter, please contact the NLUC Secretariat, c/o Ms. Thelma Manuel and Ms. Rachel Mallorca, at telephone numbers 638-9307, 631-0959 to 68 local 353, or email tmanuel@neda.gov.ph and rbmallorca@neda.gov.ph.

We anticipate your usual cooperation in this activity. Thank you and best regards.

Very truly yours,


AUGUSTO B. SANTOS
NLUC Chairman
and Deputy Director-General

cc: All NROs



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03 October 2002

Atty. Gregorio V. Cabantac
Department of Environment and Natural Resources
Diliman, Quezon City

Dear Undersecretary Cabantac:

This is to furnish you with a copy of Resolution No. 01, series of 2002, of the National Land Use Committee (NLUC), *adopting the Supplemental Guidelines for the preparation/ updating of the Regional Physical Framework Plan (RPPF), directing the Regional Land Use Committees (RLUCs) to commence plan preparation/ updating, and enjoining NLUC member-agencies to actively participate therefore.* As you may already know, the guidelines were approved and adopted during the 35th NLUC meeting held on 05 September 2002.

As a backgrounder, the RPPF is a plan document that seeks to achieve a spatial pattern in the region, characterized by rational distribution of the regional population, access to basic economic opportunities and social services, sustainable use of natural resources, and environmental protection. It guides decisions on how land and natural resources may be put to the most beneficial use for the people, and indicates how such resources may be managed and conserved for the benefit of the present and future generations of the population. The first set of RPPFs was prepared in the early 1990s by the RLUCs, of which your regional offices actively participated. Since then, various development efforts have taken place that necessitated the updating of the RPPFs and, consequently, the issuance of the Supplemental Guidelines.

As a key member-agency of the NLUC, we anticipate the Department's usual support and active participation in this undertaking. In this regard, may we request that your regional offices, including attached agencies/bureaus, be directed to assign and submit to the NEDA regional offices (directory attached) the names of their permanent and alternate technical representatives to the RLUCs. These representatives will assist in the actual drafting of the RPPF as well as provide relevant data/information and, if necessary, facilities and other resources. Should you have any inquiries on this matter, please contact the NLUC Secretariat, c/o Ms. Thelma Manuel and Ms. Me-Anne Orquiza, at telephone numbers 631-0959 to 68 local 353, or by email at tcmanuel@neda.gov.ph and mcorquiza@neda.gov.ph.

We look forward to another meaningful collaboration with you in the preparation/ updating of the RPPFs, similar to what we just had in the recent formulation of the National Framework for Physical Planning. Thank you and best regards.

Very truly yours,

AUGUSTO B. SANTOS
NLUC Chairman
and Deputy Director-General

cc: Ms. Wilma Sabado/Ms. Cynthia Lozano, DENR
All NROs
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NATIONAL LAND USE COMMITTEE NLUC

RESOLUTION NO. 01, series of 2002

ADOPTING THE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDELINES FOR THE PREPARATION/UPDATING OF THE REGIONAL PHYSICAL FRAMEWORK PLAN, DIRECTING THE REGIONAL LAND USE COMMITTEES TO COMMENCE PLAN PREPARATION/UPDATING, AND ENJOINING NLUC MEMBER-AGENCIES TO ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE THEREFOR

WHEREAS, it is government's policy to utilize land resources in a way that the maximum possible social and economic benefits for the people are obtained in a sustainable manner;

WHEREAS, Letter of Instruction (LOI) 1350, dated 02 August 1983, mandates the NLUC to coordinate the development and periodic revision of national and regional physical and land use plans;

WHEREAS, LOI 1350 also directs the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) to formulate and prescribe regional standards and guidelines for the preparation of Regional Physical Framework Plans (RFPs);

WHEREAS, NEDA has formulated and published the Guidelines for the Preparation of the RFP in January 1995;

WHEREAS, the guidelines formulated in 1995 became the basis for the preparation, by the Regional Land Use Committees (RLUCs), of the current RFPs;

WHEREAS, various developments have taken place since 1995, including the formulation of the National Framework for Physical Planning: 2001-2030, that necessitate the updating of the RFP;

WHEREAS, NEDA has prepared new guidelines to capture these recent developments and supplement the 1995 guidelines, which is still relevant for the preparation of RFP;

WHEREAS, the NLUC is empowered to call upon all government agencies and entities, including government-owned and controlled corporations, to assist in its work in the form of personnel, facilities and other resources;

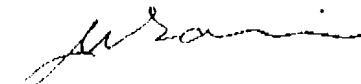
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to adopt the Supplemental Guidelines for the Preparation/Updating of the RFP and to direct the RLUCs to commence plan preparation/updating;

RESOLVED FURTHER, to enjoin all member-agencies of the NLUC, including the Technical Working Committees and Technical Working Groups, National Statistics Office, and National Indigenous Peoples' Commission to actively participate in the RPPF preparation/updating through their regional/field offices;

RESOLVED FINALLY, to provide the member-agencies of NLUC, RLUCs, and other concerned agencies and entities a copy of this resolution and the Supplemental Guidelines for their information and guidance.

UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED AND ADOPTED during the 35th Meeting of the NLUC on 05 September 2002 in Pasig City.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the above resolution.


DIR. MARCELINA E. BACANI
Secretary

Attested by:


DDG AUGUSTO B. SANTOS
Chairman

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