



**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES
KAGAWARAN NG KAPALIGIRAN AT LIKAS NA YAMAN**



MEMORANDUM

TO : The Regional Executive Directors
DENR Regions VI, VIII, IX and XI

FROM : The Undersecretary
Policy, Planning and International Affairs

SUBJECT : NCI - SRD CONVERGENCE AREAS WITH EXPIRING
CONVERGENCE AREA DEVELOPMENT PLANS (CADP)

DATE : MAY 09 2024

May we respectfully refer the letter signed by Undersecretary Roger V. Navarro, Department of Agriculture, regarding convergence areas with expiring Convergence Area Development Plan (CADP) in Central Antique (Region VI), Abuyog, Leyte (Region VIII), Siocon-Lituban, Watershed (Region IX), and Suawan-Kulafu Subwatershed (Region XI).

In view of this, please facilitate the necessary coordination with respective Regional Convergence Initiative Technical Working Group (RCI-TWG) regarding submission of documents for CADP Extensions or CADP turnover. Kindly inform NCI-SRD Secretariat of your action taken on the matter, copy furnished this Office.

For further clarifications and other concerns, please call NCI SRD National Secretariat thru telephone number 89288741 local 2275 or via email at ncisrd@da.gov.ph.

For your preferential attention and appropriate action, please.


ATTY. JONAS R. LEONES

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ATTY. JONAS R. LEONES, CESO I

Undersecretary for Policy, Planning and International Affairs
Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR)
Visayas Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City

Dear Undersecretary Leones:

This refers to the convergence areas with expiring Convergence Area Development Plans (CADP) in FY 2024. Attached as **Annex A** is the list of convergence areas with expiring CADP FY 2024 for your reference.

In this regard, may we request your good office to facilitate the coordination of the DENR Regional Convergence Initiative Technical Working Group (RCI TWG) with the DA-DAR-DILG RCI TWG and submit the following documents within the year, through the DA RCI TWG, to the National Secretariat to facilitate endorsement and review of the National Technical Working Group (NTWG) and National Steering Committee (NSC):

I. For CADP extensions:

1. Resolution of the (RCI TWG) endorsing the CADP extension (a sample format of the resolution is attached);
2. Complete Work and Financial Plan (WFP) with the signature of the four Regional Directors or Regional Technical Directors (a sample format of a WFP is attached);
3. Report on the reason for extending the CADP; and
4. Sangguniang Bayan/Panlalawigan resolution endorsing the CADP extension.

Further, the RCI TWG may opt to update the respective CADP of the convergence areas using the CADP Manual of Operations 2022 which may be accessed via <https://tinyurl.com/CADPManOps2022>, and submit the same to the National Secretariat once available.

II. For CADP turnover:

1. Resolution of the RCI TWG endorsing the full turnover of the convergence area to the LGUs;
2. Report on the major accomplishments and impact of the convergence area based on the NCI-SRD RBME Performance Matrix;
3. Sustainability Plan; and
4. Sangguniang Bayan/Panlalawigan resolution accepting the CA turnover.

The National Secretariat will appreciate receiving the following documents on the following cut-offs to facilitate endorsement and review of the NTWG and NSC:

- a. Batch 1, **May 15, 2024** cut-off date;
- b. Batch 2, **August 31, 2024** cut-off date; and
- c. Batch 3, **October 31, 2024** cut-off date.



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For other clarifications and concerns, your staff may directly coordinate with their respective RCI TWG. Thank you for your continuous support to the NCI-SRD.

Yours truly,

ENGR. ROGER V. NAVARRO

Undersecretary for Operations, Department of Agriculture (DA) and
DA Permanent Alternate Representative, National Steering
Committee (NSC), and National Focal Person, NCI-SRD

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Annex A. List of Convergence Areas with expiring CADP FY 2024

No.	Region	Convergence Area	Areas Covered	Watershed Covered	Year of CADP
1	Western Visayas	Central Antique	Barbaza, Bugasong, Laua-an, Patnongon and Valderrama, Antique (5)	Central Antique Watershed Dalanas, Paliwan, Cangaranan, and Carit-an (4) Rivers	2020-2024
2	Eastern Visayas	Abuyog, Leyte	Abuyog, Leyte	Abuyog Watershed	2020-2024
3	Zamboanga Peninsula	Siocon - Lituban Watershed	Siocon, Zamboanga del Norte (1)	Siocon Resource Reserve, Lituban and Siocon rivers	2020-2024
4	Davao	Suawan-Kulafu Subwatershed	7 barangays of Marilog District, Davao City: Tamugan, Magsaysay, Salaysay, Dalag- Lumot, Marilog Proper, Malamba	Suawan- Kulafu Subwatershed under the Davao River Basin	2020-2024