



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



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SPECIAL ORDER

No. 2024 - 75

SUBJECT : AUTHORIZING THE CONDUCT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE CELEBRATION OF 2024 NATIONAL WOMEN'S MONTH WITH THE THEME - "WE for Gender Equality, Inclusive and Resilient Society"

In the interest of the service and pursuant to Proclamation No. 227 dated March 20, 1998, entitled "Providing for the Observance of the Month of March as Women's Role in History Month", and Proclamation No. 224 dated December 16, 1977 entitled "Declaring the First week of March Every Year as Women's Week, and March 8, 1998 Every Year Thereafter as Women's Rights and International Peace Day", the conduct of the following month-long activities, from **March 4 to 27, 2024** for the 2024 National Women's Month Celebration at the DENR Central Office is hereby authorized.

The DENR promotes the recurring theme, "**WE for Gender Equality, Inclusive and Resilient Society,**" in pursuit of a green and blue economy that creates green jobs towards a sustainable, inclusive and resilient economy, and in conjunction with this year's Asia-Pacific Ministerial Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction. The lined-up activities are shown below:

Activity	Date	Venue
I. Hosting of Flag Ceremony	March 4, 2024	DENR Grounds
II. Kick-Off: National Women's Month Opening Programme Exhibit of Regional GAD focal on Gender-responsive Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) with Communities	March 4, 2024 March 4-27, 2024	DENR Lobby
III. Conduct of Seminar/Webinar 1. Disaster Risk Management Planning: Vision of Safe, Gender-fair, and Disaster Resilient Communities	March 8, 2024	DENR Social Hall
2. Gender-sensitive	March 13, 2024	via Zoom

Community-based Disaster Risk Reduction and Management		
3. Eco-Disaster Risk Reduction (Community Engagement)	March 26, 2024	Vulnerable community within Metro Manila or Region 4A
IV. Gender Equality, Inclusive, and Resilient Society for DENR Daycare Center		
1. Developmental Milestones for Toddlers	March 15, 2024	TBD
2. Medical Dental Checkup	March 22, 2024	TBD
V. Pamper Yourself	March 19-20, 2024	DENR Social Hall
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free Hand/Foot Massage • Body Massage, nail care, hair and facial care services • Medical Consultations (Obstetrician Gynecologist/ Nutritionist Dietician/Psychologist/ Pediatrician, Optometrist) • Lawyers for Legal Advice 		
VI. Hosting of "Ang Tinig Klima" radio program featuring women's engagement in various sectors	March 1, 8, 15, 22, 2024	<p>Around 4 episodes featuring women's engagement in climate action and disaster risk management will be discussed.</p> <p>This will be aired live in DZXL 558 KHZ; Facebook Livestreaming (DENR Climate Change Service and DZXL News)</p>

VII. Culminating Activity: Recognition Awards for Outstanding Regional GAD focal on Gender -responsive Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) with Communities	March 25, 2024	DENR Grounds
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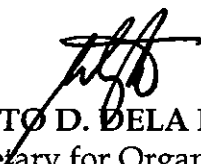
All expenses to be incurred, including but not limited to food, the printing of posters/exhibit materials, resource persons' fees, tokens, and supplies, concerning the celebration of Women's Month, shall be charged against the GAD funds, subject to the existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations, through a designated Special Disbursing Officer (SDO).

Further, all Offices at the DENR Central Office, Bureaus, Attached Agencies, and Regional Offices are directed to organize their respective support activities and advocacy campaigns in support of National Women's Month, chargeable against respective office funds. A report of documentation of all activities conducted shall be submitted to the National GAD Focal Point System, by the end of April FY 2024.

The Director of the Gender and Development Office is authorized to amend and re-schedule the planned activities in case of conflict with other activities of the Department.

A report shall be submitted online (bit.ly/LNDportal) to the undersigned through the Human Resource Development Service - Training and Development Division, fifteen (15) days after the completion of the activity.

This Order takes effect on the dates specified herein.


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