ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 13
SERIES OF 2022

SUBJECT: ADOPTION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD NETWORK PLAN 2023-2027

The Special Provisions of General Appropriations Act (GAA) mandates that the construction, rehabilitation and repair of farm-to-market roads (FMR) projects shall be in accordance with approved FMR network plan. In line with this and pursuant to DA Administrative Order No. 5, series of 2020, the Bureau of Agricultural and Fisheries Engineering (BAFE) in collaboration with the DA Regional Agricultural Engineering Division have formulated the Farm-to-Market Road Network Plan (FMRNP) 2023-2027. A copy of the FMRNP and its audio-visual presentation can be downloaded at BAFE website (www.bafe.da.gov.ph).

The FMRNP consolidates the list of FMRs identified by the LGUs and other stakeholders which shall be proposed for funding under the Farm-to-Market Road Development Program (FMRDP) and by other concerned government agencies and funding institutions.

In line with the implementation of the FMRNP, the DA Regional Field Offices through the Regional Agricultural Engineering Division shall:

1) Conduct validation of the FMR list as well as the necessary feasibility study, and its prioritization for inclusion in the NEP 2024 and onwards;
2) Generate or update new FMR lists from LGUs and other stakeholders. The LGUs through their Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering Groups shall encode and prioritize proposed FMRs using the FMR system ABEMIS/GEOAGRI software; and
3) Present the regional FMRNP to the Regional Development Council (RDC) for adoption and subsequent dissemination to all Local Government Units (LGUs).

All other DA agencies such as the SRA, PCA, and NIA, and the PRDP PMO which are funding FMRs shall likewise integrate their FMR lists in the FMRNP in close coordination with BAFE.

All DA administrative issuances or parts of said administrative issuances inconsistent with this AO are hereby revised, amended, modified and/or superseded.

This Order shall take effect immediately

APPROVED this 20th day of May 2022.

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