



Republic of the Philippines
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
 Elliptical Road, Diliman
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SPECIAL ORDER

No. 594
 Series of 2022

SUBJECT : NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (NCR) – FIRST LEVEL (PROVINCIAL LEVEL) AWARDEES OF THE YOUNG FARMERS CHALLENGE (YFC) PROGRAM

Relative to the implementation of the Department of Agriculture's Young Farmers Challenge (YFC) Program, specifically the first level (Provincial Level) competition, the following applicants were evaluated and selected by the NCR panel of judges as the NCR-First Level (Provincial Level) awardees. As such, they are authorized to receive competitive financial grants that will be used as start-up capital for the implementation of their proposed agribusiness venture, as stated in Section 5 of Memorandum Circular No. 11, series of 2022 (*Implementing Guidelines for the Young Farmers Challenge Program*).

Names of Agribusiness Venture	Names of Awardees	Amount of Financial Grant
Grow School	Robyn Camille P. Mijares Sean Ramiel P. De Guzman	Php 100,000.00
Quin Crab Vertical Crab Farm	Marybeth Q. Dineros Akira Genesis R. Quiña	Php 100,000.00
Ge and Jo Cacao Co.	Jonalyn E. Rivera Kenn Rienzi P. Camacho	Php 100,000.00
Kalookan Fresh Greens	Ernest Cedric Lee Gian Ymanuel Enguerra Sheena M. Uy	Php 100,000.00
Serenus	Viper Anie C. Osorio Christopher T. Mata Eala Nicole P. Sebastian John Lenard G. Esplana	Php 100,000.00
Green Gains PH	Mhardie Joe D. De Leon Crenz Ainah G. Gacuray Matthew S. Lim Tristan Jay J. Pancho	Php 100,000.00
ASEPTIC AGRICULTURAL FARMING	Alexandre Timothy A. Alvarez	Php 50,000.00
Mang Alimango's Crab Fattening in Home-Based Vertical Farm Using Recirculatory Aquaculture System	Bianca Camille De Gracia Alvarez	Php 50,000.00
Fresh Project PH	Jay-cie S. Lota	Php 50,000.00
Project Potted Plants	Michael Angelo S. Ragasa	Php 50,000.00
Daloy Ilog Aquaponics	Jay Vee B. Estacio	Php 50,000.00

All expenses incurred in the preparation and provision of financial grants to the awardees and other related expenses shall be chargeable against the Young Farmers Challenge Fund under the FY 2022 General Appropriations Act (RA 11639), subject to the availability of funds and the existing government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in force until the completion of the Program.

Done this 15th day of August 2022.

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