

SPECIAL ORDER

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SUBJECT: AUTHORITY TO ATTEND THE FY 2023 YOUNG FARMERS CHALLENGE PROGRAM NATIONAL AWARDING CEREMONY 2023 AND 3rd YFC SUMMIT ON DECEMBER 11-15, 2023

In the exigency of service, and pursuant to the implementation of the Young Farmers Challenge (YFC) Program 2023, the following officials and staff of the Department of Agriculture Central Office and Regional Field Offices, YFC Start-Up National Finalists, YFC Upscale National Finalists, National Panel of Judges and Coaches, and the invited media are hereby authorized to attend the FY 2023 Young Farmers Challenge Program National Awarding Ceremony 2023 and 3rd YFC Summit of December 11-15, 2023 at the Development Academy of the Philippines, Tagaytay City:

| Participant | Designation |
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| Office of the Assistant Secretary for Consumer Affairs | |
| Atty. Genevieve E. Velicaria-Guevarra | Assistant Secretary for Consumer Affairs |
| Gilbert T. Ale | Executive Assistant IV |
| Marlet M. Bagtang | Executive Assistant III |
| Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Service (AMAS) | |
| Junibert E. De Sagun | Director |
| Anne Glyn F. Lisbo | Chief, AIPD |
| Ludivina B. Rueda | Supervising Agriculturist |
| John Romar A. Pedrigal | Market Specialist II |
| Maria Clavelia Domingo | Market Specialist II |
| Mariel A. Toledo | Agriculturist I |
| Maria Jhunessa Inguito | Administrative Assistant II |
| Lovely C. Sablay | Market Specialist IV |
| Zairon Raymond Reyes | Market Specialist III |
| Pauline Borja | Senior Communications Development Officer |
| Renzo Tobias | Creative Arts Specialist II |
| Andrian T. Bail | Market Specialist II |
| Rowena Mallores | Market Specialist II |
| Maricar Miranda | Market Specialist I |
| Almar Hassan | Market Specialist I |
| Ma. Jonela Rey | Market Specialist I |
| YFC National Panel of Judges | |
| Dr. Mary Ann P. Sayoc | Chairperson, PCAF National Sectoral Committee on Fruits and Vegetables |

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| Edwin C. Pasahol | Chief, DTI Trade and Industry Development Specialist |
| Raul Q. Montemayor | PCAF National Sectoral Committee on International Trade and PCAF National Sectoral Committee on Rice and Other Food Staples |
| YFC National Panel of Coaches | |
| Engr. Jaydrick Johnson A. Yap | President, Southern Philippines Deep Sea Fishing Association (SOPHIL) |
| Renen Szilardo C. De Guzman | Assistant Professor, Department of Agribusiness Management and Entrepreneurship University of the Philippines-Los Baños |
| Victor Nola | Founder and CEO, Sangkutsa Food Product |
| Alwyn Joy E. Rosel | Head of the Start-up Development, QBO Innovation Hub |
| Arturo N. Tolentino | Co-Founder/Manager, ARTFARM Sustainable Solutions |
| Joshua Aragon | Founder/CEO, Zagana.com |
| Luis Macalincag | Founder and President, Agbeam Farms |
| Paul Andre L. Martires | President and CEO, GRM International, Inc. |
| Primitivo B. Mallillin III | Professor, University of the Philippines-Diliman |
| Geoel Anthony Esguerra | Senior Research Analyst, University of the Philippines - Resilient Institute |

| YFC National Upscale Finalists | | |
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| Participant | Designation | Region |
| Vernie S. Beo | Owner, Vermille's Munting Bukid Farm | NCR |
| Camille De Peralta | Owner, Vermille's Munting Bukid Farm | NCR |
| Shawnie Dhale B. Bitso | Owner, Sanagi Agricultural Farm | CAR |
| Geneva S. Gañalon | Owner, G's Duckery | I |
| Jerry Mar G. Rafael | Owner, 3R's Zero Waste Project | II |
| Anne Kristine Talamayan | Owner, 3R's Zero Waste Project | II |
| Ella Marie Pangilinan | Owner, REACH | III |
| Richard Sarmiento | Owner, REACH | III |
| Lawrence Joseph L. Velasco | Owner, Rancho Velasco Agricultural Farm | IV-A |
| Elysah R. Velasco | Owner, Rancho Velasco Agricultural Farm | IV-A |
| Jessa F. Baliguat | Owner, Beloved Farm | IV-B |



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| Angelica Porto | Owner, Porto Food Products | V |
| Reynro T. Herrera | Owner, HealthyBite Food Processing and Preserving | VI |
| Jomar M. Goc-ong | Owner, GPA Farms (Goc-Ong Pema Agritech Research and Experimental Development in Agricultural Sciences) | VII |
| Rhyan Baldicana | Owner, LSF Agri-solution Agricultural Machinery Manufacturing | VIII |
| Christine Clare A. Piloton | Owner, Herbio Agrinature | IX |
| Erbyl Kent C. Pelongco | Owner, 7Ks Food Products | X |
| Lendilou F. Loon | Owner, Increasing Specialty Coffee Production: Quality in Our Locality | XI |
| Melvin R. Awid | Owner, UF Vanille Spices Farm | XII |
| Japhet G. Tabale | Owner, Prince Cacao Products Manufacturing | XIII |
| YFC National Start-Up Finalists | | |
| Denz Bert P. Deramos | Owner, Sikap Coffee Enterprise | XII |
| David Christian R. Azarcon | Owner, King David's Probiotic Rich Plant Base Livestock Feed Production | I |
| Mary Faith A. Pader | Owner, Azucar de Sandia | X |
| John Carlo B. Abedoza | Owner, SirJuan Agrivventure: New Generation's Philippine Native Chicken Raising | III |
| Eralf N. Andaya | Owner, Labuyo Integrated Farm | V |
| Jerald G. Encollado | Owner, JE Dairy Farm | CAR |
| Eugene S. Orosco | Owner, Eugene's Piggery Farm: Development of a Traditional Pig Farm to State of the Art Production | I |
| Jayson Fontanosa | Owner, Pilipinya Agercolo Leaf Fiber | IV-A |
| Isaiah Noel Macarilay | Owner, Pilipinya Agercolo Leaf Fiber | IV-A |
| Edwin C. Gonzales Jr. | Owner, Coco Chill Processing | XII |
| Kristine Joy A. Cabiladas | Owner, The Farmer's Treats Food Products | X |
| Angela Lourain A. Digao | Owner, MUSA, ETC. ENTERPRISE | XI |
| Jolina Humpay | Owner, MUSA, ETC. ENTERPRISE | XI |
| Israel C. Zaulda | Owner, Cylvania's Farm Products | VI |
| Kim Carlo O. Ayo | Owner, Ayo's Prime Enterprise: Food Processing | IV-A |
| Kristine Louise A. Custodio | Owner, KRING'S Tanglad Products | III |
| Vincent Ryan Galos | Owner, Sikwate Tea Hub | NCR |
| John Mark Flores | Owner, JMA Prime Foods | IV-B |
| Andrea Rose C. Reyno | Owner, Calabaza Deli | XI |
| Rochelle Lafrades | Owner, Better Bater Quality Quail Farm | II |
| Son Raffael O. Barret | Owner, Qfarmercegen Eco Farm | IX |



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| Lynch Rhett I. Uyan | Owner, Sugar Cult | X |
| Chreesteehn S. Luis | Owner, Queegrobeechn Processed Goods | CAR |
| Chester A. Turingan | Owner, Chaptu Smart Brooder Technology | II |
| Seth Luigi V. Borbon | Owner, Clawseth Aquafarm | VI |
| Chrisdan Mathew T. Llanes | Owner, SCAN: Soil Composition Analyzer | IX |
| Joseph B. Malantao | Owner, MagRice App | XII |
| Khester Gabe F. Odango | Owner, MagRice App | XII |
| Patrisha Joyce V. Manalo | Owner, MagRice App | XII |
| Aisha Uddon | Owner, Natural Vegetable Farming Automated Water Drip Irrigation System | I |
| Ar-jay A. Ballaco | Owner, Natural Vegetable Farming Automated Water Drip Irrigation System | I |
| Andrea Naraja | Owner, Andrea's Quail Farm & Hatchery | IX |
| June P. Batao-ey | Owner, J's Capsicum | I |
| Omegapon O. Rañin | Owner, Omegzfarm | XIII |
| Leon Vincent O. Paraguya | Owner, Wagling Cattle Eneterprise | X |
| EcoGrow Agritek (Hoppy Bunny) | Owner, Cilfred L. Ramos & Harry C. Lucas | VI |
| Sarah Mae N. Ecija | Owner, Serenity Farm | IX |
| John Arex Marcellana Ocampo | Owner, "Kwaktutubo" Kilusang Wais sa Agrikultura at Kaalaman Kasama ang mga Katutubo | III |
| Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Division (AMAD) | | |
| Joan D. Bacbac | AMAD Chief | CAR |
| Jocelyn W. Beray | Senior Agriculturist | CAR |
| Rhoda Galban | Senior Agriculturist | I |
| Rosel Tuba-ang | Agriculturist II | I |
| Ma. Rosario U. Paccarangan | AMAD Chief | II |
| Edwin D. Dela Rosa | Agriculturist II | II |
| Sherwin U. Manlapaz | Senior Agriculturist | III |
| Dean Mark G. Padilla | Market Specialist I | III |
| Meljohn Docejo | Market Specialist I | IV-A |
| Ruben Pagarigan | Market Specialist II | IV-A |
| Janard S. Manlangit | Market Specialist I | V |
| Alyssa Mae M. San Juan | Market Specialist I | V |
| Rhea Cristina G. Resol | Senior Agriculturist | VI |
| Karen L. Mijares | Agriculturist II | VI |
| Ligaya Ebarita | Market Specialist III | VII |
| Anna Delza Barimbao | Senior Agriculturist | VIII |



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| Jubella G. Judilla | Agriculturist II | VIII |
| Jonah Lyn D. Corpuz | OIC AMAD Chief | jov |
| Bayani C. Valencia | APS Chief | IX |
| Larry E. Paraluman | AMAD Chief | X |
| Dryan Anthony D. Illana | Market Specialist I | X |
| Melinda G. Rubellano | Supervising Agriculturist | XI |
| Marlo Alejandrino | Market Specialist II | XI |
| Abdulkadil I. Ango | OIC-Chief, AMAD | XII |
| Leah Catherine P. Magaway | Market Specialist II | XII |
| Lynn A. Pareñas | AMAD Chief | XIII |
| Clarence A. Malbasias | Agriculturist II | XIII |
| Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Division (AMAD) CALABARZON - Secretariat | | |
| Editha M. Salvosa | AMAD, Chief | IV-A |
| Richmond O. Pablo | Senior Agriculturist | IV-A |
| Coleen Sheila M. Magpantay | Market Specialist II | IV-A |
| Arjay L. Polistico | Agriculturist I | IV-A |
| Joan L. Glinoga | Market Specialist I | IV-A |
| James Ivan D. Mallo | Market Specialist I | IV-A |
| Maria Katherin A. Ponferrada | Market Specialist I | IV-A |
| Christine M. Ebreo | Market Specialist I | IV-A |
| Gene Ann A. Fredeluces | Market Specialist I | IV-A |
| Elena G. Latay | Agriculturist I | IV-A |

The expenses to be incurred during the activity such as food, venue, accommodation, van rental, and other incidental expenses shall be charged against Young Farmers Challenge Fund under the FY 2023 General Appropriations Act (11936), while travel expense, per diems, and other incidental expenses of the participants shall be chargeable against their respective office's funds subject to the existing government accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Moreover, the travelling expenses of the DA-RFO AMADs and YFC national finalists from Region X and XII shall be charged to the DA-AMAS Young Farmers Challenge Fund.

This order shall take effect immediately and shall be considered revoked upon completion of the event. All orders and memoranda inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 06th day of December 2023.

FRANCISCO P. TULAUDEL JR.
Secretary

