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SPECIAL ORDER

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**SUBJECT : AUTHORITY TO CONDUCT AND ATTEND THE FY 2024
 MID-YEAR ASSESSMENT OF THE DA AMIA PROGRAM**

In the exigency of service, the DA Adaptation and Mitigation Initiative in Agriculture (AMIA) Program are hereby authorized to conduct the **FY 2024 Mid-year Assessment of DA AMIA Program** on June 24-28, 2024 in Region VII.

The AMIA Program is part of the DA's strategies on intensified implementation of climate change adaptation and mitigation measures and are contributory to achieving balanced regional development and equitable distribution of resources and opportunities, as well as modernizing and industrializing the Philippine countryside.

The activity aims to:

- To review and assess the physical and financial accomplishments of the Regional AMIA Program;
- Discuss specific issues, concerns, and challenges that hinder project implementation;
- Share good practices being initiated/implemented by RFOs for possible replication in other regions;
- Develop packages of CRA technologies and options for different climate risk in ecosystems; and
- Prioritize projects and actions for 2025.

In view of this, the following DA officials, staff, and partner-organization representatives are hereby authorized to attend the 2024 Midyear Assessment:

Office	Pax	Participants
Office of the Secretary	3	Technical Staff Technical Staff Technical Staff
Climate Resilient Agriculture Office – AMIA & BP2 Programs	12	Dir. Alicia G. Ilaga – Director, CRAO Ms. Perla G. Baltazar - Senior Technical Adviser Ms. Wendy C. Dunasco – Technical Staff Ms. Maria Jannell Feliz M. Talavera - Technical Staff Ms. Joy F. Calvar-Adarayan - Technical Staff Mr. Rae Michael B. Barbosa - Technical Staff Mr. Zeizo M. Deia Cruz - Technical Staff Mr. Jatlíe G. Talon - Technical Staff



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		Ms. Sophia D. Tabora – Administrative Support Staff Ms. Danica Jane O. Castañeda - Admin Support Staff Ms. Marjorie C. Camposano – Administrative Support Staff Mr. Arvin James R. Gabriel - Admin Support Staff
Regional AMIA Focal & technical Staff		
RFO CAR	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 1	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 2	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 3	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 4A	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 4B	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 5	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 6	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 7	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 8	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 9	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 10	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 11	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO 12	3	Program focal and technical staff
RFO Caraga	3	Program focal and technical staff
Host Region	5	DA RFO VII
TOTAL	65	




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Expenses for the activity such as food, venue, accommodation and activity materials shall be charged against DA CRAO Program funds while travelling expense and per diem of participants shall be chargeable against their respective offices' funds, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall be considered revoked upon completion of the activity. All orders, memoranda, and issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed revoked.

Done this 3rd day of MAY 2024.


FRANCISCO P. TIU LAUREL JR.
Secretary



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