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DepED MEMORANDUM
No. **278**, s. 2009

TREE-PLANTING, TREE-GROWING AND TREE-CARING PROGRAM
STRATEGIC PLANNING CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP

To: Regional Directors
Schools Division/City Superintendents
Heads, Public Elementary and Secondary Schools

1. Pursuant to DepED Order No. 33, s. 2008 (Responding to the Threats of Climate Change and Global Warming Through Massive, Intensive and Sustained Tree-Planting, Tree-Growing and Tree-Caring Program), the Department of Education-Center for Students and Co-Curricular Affairs (DepED-CSCA), in cooperation with the Department of Environment and Natural Resources-Special Concerns Office-Youth Desk (DENR-SCO-YD), will conduct the **Tree-Planting, Tree-Growing and Tree-Caring Program Strategic Planning Conference and Workshop** from June 28 to July 2, 2009 at the DepED ECOTECH Center, Lahug, Cebu City.

2. This planning conference and workshop aims to achieve the following objectives:

- a. Formulate various strategies, mechanisms and guidelines in implementing the program;
- b. Orient program implementers on pertinent environmental issues and concerns, including the different native, endemic and indigenous species of trees;
- c. Plan the synchronized schedule of activities to be conducted throughout every school year; and,
- d. Incorporate the active involvement of organizations such as the Boy Scouts of the Philippines, Girl Scouts of the Philippines, Haribon Foundation and others, including school-based clubs or organizations particularly the Youth for Environment in Schools-Organizations (YES-O).

3. The planning conference and workshop will be participated by the designated DepED Regional Tree-Planting Coordinators in both elementary and secondary schools, DENR Regional Youth Desk Officers, DENR Bureau and Central Office representatives, resource persons and staff of the Center for Students and Co-Curricular Affairs. Enclosed is the list of participants.

4. Participants are expected to arrive before 12:00 nn on June 28, 2009 and to depart from the venue on July 2, 2009. The DepED-CSCA shall shoulder board and lodging beginning lunch on June 28, 2009 until breakfast on July 2, 2009 only.

5. Travel and other incidental expenses of participants from DepED Regional Offices shall be charged against local funds. Expenses for food and accommodation, supplies and materials and other incidental and necessary expenses, including transportation of DepED Central Office personnel, facilitators and resource persons, shall be shouldered by the DepED-CSCA chargeable against DepED-OSEC funds.

6. For queries, please call DepED-CSCA c/o Executive Director Joey G. Pelaez at tel. nos.: (02) 636-3603 and 631-8495.

8. Immediate and wide dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.



JESLI A. LAPUS
Secretary

Encl.:

As stated

Reference:

N o n e

Allotment: 1—(D.O. 50-97)

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June 28-July 2, 2009, DepED Ecotech Center, Cebu City

List of Participants

Region	DepED Elementary	DepED Secondary	DENR Youth Desks
I	Bartolome T. Teneza	Miriam L. Najera	Evangeline Aquino
II	Norma Guillermo	Virgilio Isidro	Marina Malamug
III	Bernardo P. Simon	Amelia R. Robles	Leonora Santos
IV-A	<i>To be designated</i>	Ferdinand V. Marquez	Yasmin Roselle Caparas
IV-B	<i>To be designated</i>	Zenaida E. Espino	Jean Min Ladia
V	Ylano C. Bognalos	Rene Tulalian	Luzviminda Chioco
VI	Amelita C. Pitalgo	Toribio Berano	Mary Ann Baldove
VII	Jose Gerard A. Sol	Emiliano V. Elnar, Jr.	Eddie Llamedo
VIII	Antonio A. Pino	Generosa Genosa	Elmer Labaclado
IX	Oham A. Atara	Nasher O. Jamahali	Hiya Jaafar
X	Raymund Antolo	Rodrigo G. Jumamoy	Vicky Susan Pacana
		Elsa Imam	
XI	Corazon T. Fabio	Felipe A. Non, Jr.	Lucille Arquero
XII	<i>To be designated</i>	Rudy K. Balhaman	Noel Dunca
CARAGA	<i>To be designated</i>	Gregorio Victor Gabriel	Erlin Sanchez
CAR	Antonio P. Bachiller	<i>To be designated</i>	Eufronia Muyano
NCR	Julio C. Baggayan	Maria Teresa A. Namoro	Bernadette Atienza

Center for Students and Co-Curricular Affairs

Jose Mari G. Pelaez
Ernesto R. Sotto, Jr.
Jo-Dann N. Darong
Joseph D. Bernat
Martin A. Ascaño
Armando C. Fernandez
Kirstie Mel A. Villaver
Werchsley V. Gonzales
Reinalyn G. Bato
Sofronio G. Fuerte, Jr.
Adoracion Q. Bonete
Victor A. Gacula
Mark Michael M. Montehermoso
Earl P. Saavedra

HARIBON Foundation

Blas R. Tabaranza, Jr.

DENR Central Office and Bureaus

Guadalupe Oliveros (Central Office)
Leyminda Maraño (FMB)
Niño Pinalva (EMB)
Edwiton Santos (MGB)
Alice Robles (LMB)
Gerardo Lita (PAWB)
Aurora Jose (ERDB)

Boy Scouts of the Philippines

Sophie U. Castillo

Girl Scouts of the Philippines

To be designated

Resource Person

Maria Magnolia Q. Danganan