



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

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TO

ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY MAYORS, MUNICIPAL

MAYORS, DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS AND ALL OTHERS

CONCERNED

SUBJECT

THIRD INTERNATIONAL RIVER SUMMIT, TO BE HELD ON

NOVEMBER 24-26, 2016 AT THE LIMKETKAI LUXE HOTEL,

CAGAYAN DE ORO CITY

The Cagayan de Oro River Basin Management Council (CDORMC) and the City Government of Cagayan de Oro, in collaboration with the League of Cities of the Philippines (LCP) and DENR-River Basin Control Office, will host the *Third International River Summit*, to be held on November 24 to 26, 2016 at the Limketkai Luxe Hotel, Cagayan de Oro City, with this year's theme, "Healthy Watershed: Clean Rivers, Safer Communities."

The Summit enjoins the most important stakeholders – the global, national and local authorities, policy experts, river managers from public and private sectors, the academe, leaders in clean water technology, advocates and students - in facing the development challenges of our world's rivers today. It aims to: (a) foster information and knowledge exchanges on the latest technology and approaches on river basin governance from the different participating countries, and (b) discuss issues and concerns on river basin governance, share innovative solutions, and synergize strategies to pursue improved river management programs.

In this connection, all Provincial Governors, City Mayors and Municipal Mayors are enjoined to allow their respective Local Environment and Natural Resources Officers, or the designated river administrator, if any, to participate in the said Summit. The payment of registration fee and travelling expenses to be incurred may be charged against local funds. subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

For any related inquiries, interested parties may contact Alvidon F. Asis, LCP-Environment Unit Head, , through Telephone Numbers (632) 470-6813, Fax Number 470-7210, email address: alvidon.lcp@gmail.com, or Mobile Number (63-919) 496-5056 and (63-917) 335-5056, or Ms. Angie Edyesca, CDORBMC Secretariat, through Telephone Number (63-977) 8194918 or email address: 3rdirscdorbmc@gmail.com.

All DILG Regional Directors are also directed to cause the widest dissemination of this Memorandum Circular within their respective jurisdictions.

Secretary