

JUN 27 2023
MEMORANDUM

FOR : **MANUEL M. BONOAN**
Secretary
This Department

This refers to the memorandum dated 27 March 2023 of **DPWH Region VIII Regional Director EDGAR B. TABACON, CESO IV**, requesting for the approval of the **Modification** of the project under FY 2023 General Appropriations Act (GAA), to wit:

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As per GAA/Original			As Modified		
Project Description					
UACS No. : 300215103386000 Project ID: P00733181VS Convergence and Special Support Program Sustainable Infrastructure Projects Alleviating Gaps (SIPAG) - Access Roads and/or Bridges from the National Road/s leading to Major/Strategic Public Buildings/Facilities Construction of Road, Barangay Lumatod - Danao - Del Remending, Taft, Eastern Samar			Convergence and Special Support Program Sustainable Infrastructure Projects Alleviating Gaps (SIPAG) - Access Roads and/or Bridges from the National Road/s leading to Major/Strategic Public Buildings/Facilities Construction of Road, Barangay Lumatod - Danao - Del Remedios , Taft, Eastern Samar		
Physical Target	Unit Cost	Allocation	Physical Target	Unit Cost	Estimated Cost
CW1-Construction of Concrete Road: 3.626 Lane Km	P 13,306,674.0210/ Lane Km	P 48,250,000	CW1-Construction of Concrete Road: 1.738 Lane Km	P21,858,620.65593/ Lane Km	P 37,990,282.70
			CW2-Construction of Road Slope Protection Structure: 1,656.11 Square Meters	P 6,195.06995/ Square Meter	P 10,259,717.30
EAO		P 1,750,000	EAO		P 1,750,000
Total: P 50,000,000			Total: P 50,000,000		

Justifications:

- To correct/rectify the project description "**Del Remending**" to "**Del Remedios**", since the former does not exist within the Municipality of Taft nor found in the Geographic Information System (GIS), thereby changing it with the latter to indicate the correct barangay which falls within the same alignment. Attached is the Certificate issued by the Municipal Mayor of Taft, Eastern Samar, specifying therein the non-existence of "Del Remending" within the jurisdiction, and the proper name of barangay which is "Del Remedios".
- To change the physical target from 3.626 Lane Km (based on AIP) to 1.738 Lane Km for the Construction of Concrete Road (CW1) in order to correspond with the actual physical target. The project requires large volume of earthworks, since it will traverse on a rice field that requires removal of large volume of unsuitable materials and needs to be embanked since the location is flood prone. Also, the end portion of the road is located in a mountainous area and has an existing gradient of 16%, thus, massive volume of common soil and soft rock excavation are necessary to lower the gradient to 12%. Moreover, the project involves drainage works such as lined canal, pipe and box culverts. Hence, the unit cost increased from P 13,306,674.0210/ Lane Km to P 21,858,620.65593/ Lane Km.
- To include the Construction of Road Slope Protection Structure (CW2) as additional component with a physical target of 1,656.11 Square Meters since it contributes a large percentage in the overall project implementation. This includes the provision of stone masonry and catchwall constructed on critical areas as reflected in the approved plan to provide slope stability and ensure the safety of the travelling public. Hence, the unit cost of P 6,195.06995/ Square Meter is attained.
- Attached are the following supporting documents: Form for Evaluation of Modification Request (2023, V1.0); BP 202; Certificate of Availability of Funds; Approved Program of Works; Plan; Geotagged Photos; Certificate of Reasonableness of Cost Estimate; and Location Map.

Based on our evaluation, the submitted request for modification of the said project is found in order. Hence, the said request is hereby recommended for the Secretary's consideration and approval.

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RECOMMENDING APPROVAL:

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APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:

MANUEL M. BONOAN
Secretary

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RO Transmittal

Form for Evaluation of

BP 202

Certificate of Availability

Program of Works (POW)

of Cost Estimate