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Department of Education
REGION VII - CENTRAL VISAYAS
DIVISION OF CITY SCHOOLS - TAGBILARAN CITY

**Office of the Schools Division
Superintendent**

DIVISION MEMORANDUM

MLA-2024- 018

TO : **All Public and Private Secondary School Heads**
Joermelyne P. Pasilbas- Division Youth Formation Coordinator

ATTN : **Supreme Secondary Learner Government Presidents**

FROM : **WILFREDA D. BONGALOS PhD CESO V**
Schools Division Superintendent
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

SUBJECT : **Tagbilaran Baywatch: Environmental Forum**

DATE : February 15, 2024

1. In view of the communication received from Most Rev. Alberto S. Uy, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese of Tagbilaran and the Chair, Overall Steering Committee of the Tagbilaran Baywatch, all Supreme Secondary Learner Government Presidents in the Public and Private Secondary Schools of Tagbilaran City are hereby directed to attend the Tagbilaran Baywatch: **Environmental Forum** on February 19, 2024 (Monday) at 2:00 o'clock to 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the Holy Name University (HNU) High School Educational Media Center (HS-EMC).
2. All participants shall be excused from their afternoon classes and must present a signed Parent/Guardian Consent Form to Ms. Joermelyne P. Pasilbas, the Division Youth Formation Coordinator upon arrival at the venue.
3. Please read attached communication for the details for your reference.
4. For information and compliance.

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DR. WILFREDA D. BONGALOS
Schools Division Superintendent
Department of Education Tagbilaran
Tagbilaran City

SY: 2023-2024 TIME: _____
DATE: 2/14/2024 CTR #: 2-134

Dear **Dr. Bongalos**:

Greetings!

Tagbilaran Baywatch is an environmental group composed of multi-sectoral environmentalists. It was formed in opposition to the city's reclamation of the Tagbilaran Bay and is now into its policy advocacy and education campaign.

The group conducted its first environmental forum on November 29, 2023, for experts to shed light on the environmental and social costs of reclamation.

Having seen the need to continue with its protection of Tagbilaran Bay, policy advocacy and education campaign, Tagbilaran Baywatch will hold another environmental forum at the **Holy Name University (HNU) High School Educational Media Center (HS-EMC)** on **February 19, 2024, at 2:00 o'clock to 5:00 o'clock in the afternoon.**

Invited to speak are proudly three (3) Boholanos - **Dr. Maria Noelyn S. Dao**, an environmental planner, researcher and practitioner, and Director of the University of Science and Technology of Southern Philippines (USTP) International Affairs Office (IAO) and the concurrent Deputy Director of the Institute of Governance, Innovation and Sustainability (IGIS) **and Kilven A. Matuod**, a graduate of Geology at the University of the Philippines-Diliman presently employed in Saudi Arabia.

Protection of the environment being an inter-generational concern, we are inviting student leaders to attend our forum to inspire them into doing youth advocacy for the environment. We are, therefore, requesting your good office to please excuse **officers of the student governments in the private and public High Schools within Tagbilaran City** to enable them to attend the forum and bring with them their learnings now and as they become community leaders in the future.

It is hoped that this request would merit your kind consideration.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'A. Uy', with a small cross symbol to the left of the first letter.

MOST REV. ALBERTO S. UY, D.D.
Bishop of the Diocese of Tagbilaran
Chair, Overall Steering Committee,
Tagbilaran Baywatch

RSVP:

Please contact Mr. Angelo P. Yuayan at 09976245553 or angelopyuayan@gmail.com for confirmation of attendance on or before February 15, 2024.