



HLURB MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 15
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TO : ALL CONCERNED

FROM : **MELZAR P. GALICIA**
Officer-in- Charge and Commissioner

SUBJECT : **RESOLUTION NO. R-991, S. 2019, APPROVING
THE SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDELINES FOR
MAINSTREAMING SUSTAINABLE LAND
MANAGEMENT IN THE COMPREHENSIVE LAND
USE PLANS**

Quoted hereunder is the subject resolution, *Approving the Supplemental Guidelines for Mainstreaming Sustainable Land Management in the Comprehensive Land Use Plans*, approved by the Board of Commissioners on 21 October 2019:

WHEREAS, it is a national policy to promote and implement an integrated program of land use control that aims to foster growth and renewal of our urban and rural communities in an integrative manner that promotes optimum utilization of our land resource, the integration of our critical resources in the upland, coastal, ancestral domain, biodiversity and heritage areas;

WHEREAS, the HLURB has adopted the ridge-to-reef approach in land use planning in recognition of the need to have an all-inclusive physical plan that will optimize the use of our land resource based on, among others, land suitability and capability;

WHEREAS, there is a need to address the growing and serious land degradation problem that affects agricultural productivity that hinders the attainment of our country's goal for food security;

WHEREAS, there is a need for our local government units to be aware of and understand the adverse impacts of land degradation in social and economic condition of our farming and rural population;

WHEREAS, the Comprehensive Land Use Plans and Zoning Ordinances provides policies, major local legislative actions and

technology packages to address land degradation and provide support to enhance local agriculture and agro-forestry production;

WHEREFORE, be it **RESOLVED** as it is hereby **RESOLVED** that the **SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDELINES FOR MAINSTREAMING SUSTAINABLE LAND MANAGEMENT IN THE COMPREHENSIVE LAND USE PLAN** be **APPROVED** as it is hereby **APPROVED**.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a **TRAINING MODULE** be developed based on the supplemental guidelines to be used in training or capability building for local government units' planners, city or municipal agriculture officers, leaders of farmers associations and other relevant stakeholders.

APPROVED, this 21st day of October 2019, Quezon City.

For your information.


MELZAR P. GALICIA

