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MEMORANDUM

TO : ALL RIATF XII MEMBERS, ALL RTF ON COVID-19 MEMBERS, ALL LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVES, DILG PDs / CD / CLGOO OF COTABATO CITY AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT : JOINT RIATF - EID XII - RTF ON COVID - 19 RESOLUTION NO. 2020 - 036 - C

DATE : November 09, 2020

Attached is a copy of Resolution No. 36-C entitled "Resolution Approving the Request of LGU-Kidapawan City, Province of Cotabato to Extend the Use of DepEd Schools as Additional Quarantine Facilities Until December 2020", which was approved during the Joint RIATF-EID XII - RTF on COVID-19 Virtual Meeting on October 28, 2020.

For information, guidance and/or appropriate action.

JOSEPHINE CABRIDO-LEYSA, CESO III.
Regional Director, DILG XII/
Chair, RIATF 12

OPCEN: JEY/RTT/ATS

The DILG Region XII, imbued with integrity, competence and professionalism, and Living Up to a Peaceful, Accountable, and Dynamic working environment, commits to deliver quality services through oversight function, capacity development intervention, incentives and rewards and administrative assistance to local government units.

We uphold customer satisfaction and continual improvement of our Quality Management System's effectiveness, compliant to applicable laws, rules and regulations, and international standards, for a highly Developed, Orderly, Self-Reliant, Environment-friendly and Globally Competitive SOCCSKSARGEN. (LUPAD DOSE).

- *Assessment result from local officials stating that the identified school is suitable for intended purpose (LHO for health related, LSWDO for welfare related); and*
- *DILG certification which attest that all activities to be conducted in schools are within the parameters set by the National Government;*

WHEREAS, LGU Kidapawan City has expressed its intent to extend the use of 42 DepEd schools as isolation/quarantine facilities capable of housing 238 individuals. This shall serve as additional facilities to the existing 43 identified public buildings capable of catering 297 individuals. Schools are primarily used as isolation/quarantine facilities of close contacts of COVID-19 patients and LSIs from high risk areas;

WHEREAS, in a letter dated October 1, 2020, DepEd Undersecretary for Field Operations, Atty. Revsee A. Escobedo has instructed DepEd XII that all requests of LGUs for extension on the use of public schools as quarantine facilities shall be evaluated and decided upon by RIATF-EID XII. In cases where requests will be denied, concerned LGU may appeal the decision to IATF-EID;

WHEREAS, the Joint Task Force during its 23rd meeting has evaluated the request of LGU Kidapawan City. The Body decided to approve the request but it shall ensure the strict observance of quarantine protocols among close contacts and LSIs, thereby containing the spread of the virus in the said LGU. It is also expected from the LGU that all classrooms that are utilized as isolation facilities be cleaned properly and space be provided for teachers who are physically reporting;

NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of RD Teresita Socorro Ramos of NEDA XII and seconded by RD Macario Gonzaga of LTO XII; **BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, to Approve the Request of LGU Kidapawan City, Province of Cotabato to Extend the Use of DepEd Schools as Additional Quarantine Facilities until December, 2020;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the IATF-EID and NTF COVID-19 for information. The same copy to be furnished to the members of RIATF-EID XII & RTF COVID-19, Kidapawan City and the Province of Cotabato for their information and reference.


WE HEREBY CERTIFY as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.

Attested by:


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 Assistant Regional Director, DILG XII &
 Secretariat, RIATF-EID XII

MINDA C. MORANTE
 Regional Director, OCD XII &
 RTF COVID-19 XII Co-Chairperson

Approved:


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 Regional Director, DILG XII &
 Chairperson, RIATF-EID XII

SUHARTO T. MANGUDADATU, Ph.D
 Governor, Sultan Kudarat &
 Chairperson, RTF COVID-19 XII