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MIMAROPA Region
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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 16
Series of 2021

**AN ORDER CREATING THE PROVINCIAL LAND AND WATER USE COMMITTEE AND THE
TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP OF THE PROVINCE OF OCCIDENTAL MINDORO.**

WHEREAS, Section 2(b) of Executive Order No. 72 Series of 1993, of then President Fidel V. Ramos mandated the creation of Provincial Land Use Committee in every province;

WHEREAS, the Provincial Land Use Committee of Occidental Mindoro was created and organized through an Executive Order of the incumbent Governor in 1993;

WHEREAS, there is a need to create the Provincial Land and Water Use Committee (PLWUC) of Occidental Mindoro to give concentration not only to land use but also to the use of water resources.

NOW THEREFORE, I, EDUARDO B. GADIANO, Governor of Occidental Mindoro, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order and direct the following:

SECTION 1. Creation of PLWUC.

There is hereby created the Provincial Land and Water Use Committee (PLWUC) of Occidental Mindoro which shall be responsible for reviewing the comprehensive land and water use plans of the province and its municipalities.

SECTION 2. Composition of PLWUC.

The PLWUC shall have the following permanent composition:

Chairperson: Provincial Planning and Development Coordinator,
Provincial Planning and Development Office.

Member:

- (1) Provincial Agriculturist, Office of the Provincial Agriculturist
- (2) PDRRM Officer, Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction Management Office
- (3) Provincial Health Officer, Provincial Health Office
- (4) Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officer, Department of Environment and Natural Resources
- (5) Provincial Agrarian Reform Officer, Department of Agrarian Reform
- (6) District Engineer, Department of Public Works and Highways
- (7) Provincial Director, Department of the Interior and Local Government
- (8) Provincial Director, Department of Trade and Industry
- (9) Provincial Director, Department of Science and Technology



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- (10) Provincial Director, National Commission on Indigenous Peoples
- (11) Regional Director, Department of Tourism
- (12) Department of Transportation
- (13) National Commission for Culture and the Arts
- (14) Regional Director, Department of Human Settlement and Urban Development
- (15) President, Philippine Institute of Environmental Planners – Occidental Mindoro

In the event of vacancy in any of its membership, the governor shall, upon recommendation of the committee, designate a new member to the vacancy.

SECTION 3. PLWUC Functions.

The PLWUC shall have the following functions:

1. Ensure that land use plans of municipalities are consistent with the provincial comprehensive land use plan and national policies, standards, and guidelines;
2. Recommend solutions to settle disputes among component units over alternative uses of land resources;
3. Promote the community-based program for sustainable development;
4. Ensure that such plans are supportive of the objectives set forth in the Urban and Housing Development Act of 1992;
5. Ensure sustainable use of water resources and recommended solution to settle disputes among LGUs over the use of these resources;
6. Provide technical assistance to the LGUs in the preparation of their respective comprehensive land and water use plan; and
7. Provide technical assistance to the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, if so required, in the matter concerning land and water uses.

SECTION 4. Technical Working Group Members.

Each member of PLWUC shall designate, through letter, a permanent and alternate representative to the committee's technical working group.

All departments and units under the umbrella of the provincial government, if requested, are hereby directed to provide technical assistance to PLWUC.

SECTION 5. Technical Working Group Functions.

The technical working group shall perform to the following functions:

1. Assist the PLWUC in the performance of its functions.
2. Conduct technical review and provide recommendations on LGUs Comprehensive Land & Water Use Plan (CLWUP)
3. Provide technical assistance in crafting and updating of the Provincial Development and Physical Framework Plan (PDPFP).
4. Conduct public consultation and public hearing.



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5. Present draft PDPFP to the Provincial Development Council (PDC) and to Sangguniang Panlalawigan.

SECTION 6. Budget.

Upon the approval of the undersigned or its authorized representative, the PLWUC is hereby authorized to have access to the 20% development fund of the province subject to the existing budgeting and auditing rules and regulations.

SECTION 7. Repealing Clause.

All executive issuances, orders, rules and regulations or part thereof, inconsistent with this Executive Order are hereby revoked or modified accordingly.

SECTION 8. Effectivity.

This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

July **Done** in the Provincial Capitol, Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro, this 27th day of July 2021.


EDUARDO B. GADIANO
Governor