

## Republic of the Philippines **DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**



Region XI Division of Digos City

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To:

**Public Schools District Supervisors** 

School Principals/Officers-in-Charge Public Elementary and Secondary School

Science Advisers/Coordinators

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Subject:

Conduct of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Division Youth for Environment in Schools (YES) Camp

Date:

August 14, 2017

- 1. The field is hereby informed of the conduct of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Division Youth for Environment in Schools (YES) Camp on August 26-27, 2017 at Ramon Magsaysay Central Elementary School. The activity has the theme, "EarthBeat: Excavating the Abyss, Pulsing the Current, Steering the Youth as Stewards of Sustainable Development" and is aimed to (1) raise the level of awareness among learners on prevailing environmental issues and concerns; (2) develop among YES-O members proper values, skills and attitude towards the preservation and protection of the environment; and (3) empower YES-O Officers to establish specific and doable programs, projects and activities at the school level to address issues and concerns on the environment and ecology.
- 2. The participants to the YES Camp are the YES-O officers and YES-O advisers/moderators of the schools, District YES-O/Science Coordinators and science teachers on a teacher to student ratio of 1:4. A registration fee of one hundred pesos (Php 100.00) shall be charged to each participant to cover expenses for the conduct of the YES Camp. However, participation to the YES-Camp shall be voluntary.
- 3. Traveling expenses incurred relative to the attendance to this activity shall be charged against local funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.
- 4. With reference to DepEd Order No. 93, s. 2011 Section f, which states,"To ensure effective implementation of PPAs, concerned DepEd Offices shall provide organizational support to the YES Program and the YES-O on giving equivalent service credits to YES-O advisers and science teachers for working during Saturdays, Sundays and holidays" and per Joint Circular No. 2, s. 2004 of the CSC and DBM, participants and the members of the working committees shall be granted service credits or Compensatory Overtime Credits (COC) whichever is applicable.

5. For your information and guidance.

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