



**NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE BOARD**

**Resolution No. 003  
Series of 2022**

**APPROVING THE GUIDELINES FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF COMPOSTING FACILITIES  
FOR BIODEGRADABLE WASTE (CFBW) FOR ORGANIC FERTILIZER PRODUCTION**

**WHEREAS**, Section 2 of Republic Act (RA) 10068, as amended by RA 11511, provides that it is the policy of the State to promote, propagate, develop further and implement the practice of organic agriculture in the Philippines;

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**WHEREAS**, the Board directed the Bureau of Soils and Water Management (BSWM) as the implementing agency of the National Organic Agriculture Program (NOAP), to develop Guidelines for the distribution of composting facilities that include the roles of the Department of Agriculture - Regional Field Offices (DA-RFOs) in the identification, validation, and monitoring of composting projects and potential beneficiaries;

**WHEREAS**, the draft Guidelines shall cover the identification of beneficiaries, project implementation, monitoring, and evaluation as well as the conduct of capacity development in the establishment of Composting Facilities for Biodegradable Waste (CFBW) in all regions. Further, it also includes the roles of key stakeholders, such as the NOAP-NPCO, BSWM, DA-RFOs, and the CFBW recipients/beneficiaries;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, considering the foregoing, this Honorable Board, by virtue of the powers vested in it by RA 10068, as amended, has **RESOLVED**, as it hereby **RESOLVES**, to approve the Guidelines for the establishment of CFBW for the production of organic fertilizer, which is hereto attached to this Resolution;

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, that this Honorable Board recommends that the said Guidelines be transmitted immediately to the Office of the Secretary of Agriculture for the proper administrative issuance;

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**APPROVED** by majority of the following Members of the NOAB present in a 1<sup>st</sup> Special Board Blended Meeting held on 24 February 2022, in Dagupan City, Pangasinan, Philippines.



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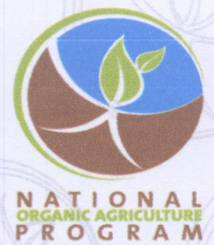
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