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**NOAB Resolution No. 005
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WHEREAS, Section 5 of Republic Act No. 10068 otherwise known as the "Organic Agriculture Act of 2010" ("Act") established the National Organic Agricultural Program (NOAP);

WHEREAS, Section 6 of the Act created the National Organic Agriculture Board (NOAB) which shall be the policy-making body that shall provide direction and general guidelines for the implementation of the NOAP;

WHEREAS, Section 14 of the Act together with its Implementing Rules and regulations recognizes Local Government Units as the front liners in the implementation of the Act;

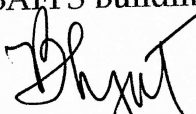
WHEREAS, the Act requires Local Government Units to create their Local Technical Committees, to enact organic ordinances and local organic agriculture plans and to allot from their coffers funds to support organic agriculture ;

WHEREAS, the Board recognizes that there is a need to incentivize and recognize Local Government initiatives on the propagation and development of organic agriculture to further encourage them increase their vigor in supporting organic agriculture;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that an LGU AWARDS for Organic Agriculture be set in place and the attached guidelines (ANNEX A) approved and adopted;

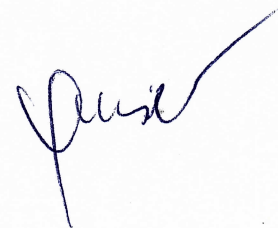




RESOLVED, FURTHER, that the Secretaries of Agriculture and Interior and Local Government be furnished copies of this Resolution, for reference and appropriate action.

APPROVED on the 16th NOAB Regular Monthly Meeting on 05 February 2013 at BAFPS Conference Room, 2nd Floor, BAFPS Building, Visayas Avenue, Quezon City.


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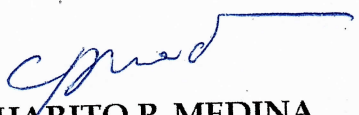
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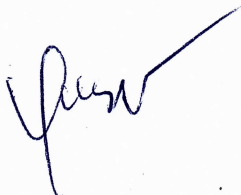

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