

# Republic of the Philippines Department of Agriculture NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE BOARD

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# Department of Agriculture Main Building 4th FIr., NOAP Office, Elliptical Road, Diliman, Quezon City 1101 Philippines

## NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE BOARD Resolution No. 011 Series of 2022

# APPROVING THE CONDUCT OF THE NATIONAL ORGANIC AGRICULTURE CONGRESS **2023 IN REGION 10**

WHEREAS, Section 5 of Republic Act 10068 (RA 10068), otherwise known as "The Organic Agriculture Act of 2010" established the National Organic Agriculture Program (NOAP);

WHEREAS, RA 10068 has been amended by RA 1151, and Section 2 thereof states to the effect, that the State reaffirms its policy to promote, propagate, develop further, and implement the practice of organic agriculture in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, the National Organic Agriculture Board (NOAB) is the policy-making body mandated under Section 6 of RA 10068, as amended, to provide direction and general guidelines for the implementation of the NOAP;

WHEREAS, among the NOAP's Plans, Activities and Projects (PAPs) is the conduct of the annual National Organic Agriculture Congress (NOAC) to coincide with the celebration of the National Organic Agriculture month every November of the current year;

WHEREAS, the Organic Municipality of Kauswagan, Province of Lanao del Norte, through its Mayor, the Honorable Rommel Arnado, has extended an invitation to the NOAB to host the venue for the conduct of the NOAC for CY 2023 to coincide or back to back with its hosting of the international Organic Asian Congress.

WHEREAS, considering the invitation by the Municipality of Kauswagan, Lanao del Norte, to host the venue, the NOAP-NPCO has recommended to the NOAB assigning the DA-RFO X as overall host and organizer;

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**, approving the conduct of the National Organic Agriculture Congress FY 2023 in Region X.

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, that a copy of this resolution be furnished to all DA organic agriculture Operating Units (OUs) and the Office of the Secretary of Agriculture for its reference and information.

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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