DIVISION MEMORANDUM

No. 815, s. 2019

September 24, 2019

TO: IREENE P. DANDOY, RN, LPT
Nurse II

One day Hog conference purposely to discuss the dreaded African Swine Fever

1. This has reference to the letter of Hon. Josef Fortich Cagas, City Mayor of Digos City regarding the African swine fever; they will have a one day Hog conference purposely to discuss the dreaded African swine fever on September 25, 2019 on or before 7:30 am in the morning at Hotel de Crisbelle, Digos City.

2. In line with this you are hereby directed to attend the conference to represent our Schools Division Superintendent.

3. The activity aims to shield and prevent the entry of the disease in our province, especially in our city, and to provide preventive measures of pig disease.

4. Travel and other incidental expenses to the attendance shall be charged to local funds Subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

4. For information and compliance.

WINNIE E. BATOON, EdD
Officer In-Charge
Office of the Schools Division Superintendent

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DATE: 26 SEP 2019 TIME: 9:16A

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References: Health Section

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September 20, 2019

Subject: One day hog conference purposely to discuss the dreaded African Swine Fever

To: All Barangay Captains of Digos City
    All Hog Raisers
    All Hog Feed Millers and Dealers
    City Councilor Chairman on Committee on Agriculture
    City Agriculture Officer
    City Livestock Personnel
    City Veterinarian and Staff
    Television and Radio Station Managers
    President of Southern Philippines Agri-Business and Marine and Aquatic School of Technology
    Principal of Digos City National High School
    Superintendent of the Digos City Division of Public Schools
    City Health Officer

Dear __________________________;

The most dreaded African Swine Fever is now wrecking disaster to the pig industry of the country. The big problem is that no medicines had been discovered or found for its cure.

Several countries had been devastated by this strange disease like China, Vietnam, Hungary, South Korea, North Korea and others where millions of hogs had been culled out. In the Philippines, the provinces of Rizal, Bulacan and Quezon City had been affected already by the African Swine Fever. It is estimated, according to United Nations reports, that more than 8,000 hogs in the Philippines died or culled out already. For us in Davao del Sur, particularly in Digos City, we all know that we don’t have enough cattle or even the carabao for our meat consumption except for the pig meat.

This African Swine Fever is an enormous challenge to all of us how to shield and prevent the entry of the disease in our province, especially in our city. This is the primary reason that we are strongly soliciting your understanding and cooperation to establish preventive measures for such frightening pig disease to find entrance to our vicinity.

Please be with us this coming Wednesday, September 25, 2019, at Crisbel Crown Center on or before 7:30 in the morning. Snacks and lunch are through the courtesy of Hotel de Crisbelle.

Your presence is a concrete manifestation of your love and care to our pork-consuming people and solid support to the hog-raisers in Digos City and Davao del Sur.

Signed,

Hon. Joseph Bortin Cagas
City Mayor
Digos City