## Mindanao Rural Development Project – Adaptable Loan Program II Environmental and Social Management Plan for Rural/Farm-to-Market Roads Subprojects

Name of PWS Subproject: REHABILITATION OF CASACON-TILASAN

**FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD** 

Location: <u>Tilasan, R. T. Lim, Zamboanga Sibugay</u>
Implementing LGU: <u>Roseller T. Lim, Zamboanga Sibugay</u>

Estimated Number of Beneficiaries: 1,676

New or rehabilitation: Rehabilitation/upgrading

Estimated total Subproject Cost: P 38,069,149.25

## A. Site and Design Consideration

1. The road does not encroach into or traverse any declared protected area of natural habitat.

2. The subproject will not displace, disfigure or render inoperable/inaccessible any monument or physical structure of known cultural and historical significance.

## **B.** Environmental Issues and Mitigation Measures

Issues	Assessment	Mitigation/Manage ment Measure	Instrument (Where this will be addressed) <sup>1</sup>
Temporary increase in sedimentation during construction	[ ] Topography of the road alignment necessitate massive earthmoving and cutting of clayey or loose top soil	[] Earthmoving/cutting of slopes to be done during dry months. [] Proper disposal and compaction of soil.	[] DED/POW; Contract
2. Potential contamination of surface and ground water with oil/grease	[ ] There will be no or insignificant amount of waste oil/grease.	[ ] Proper handling and disposal of waste oil and grease	[] Contract
3. Potential contamination with human waste	[ ] Construction workers would be mostly locals and are expected to go home to their respective houses after works.	[ ] Set up adequate latrine/toilet facility at the base camp	[] Contract
4. Potential disruption of traffic	[ ] The access road and/or segments to be	[] Keep the road open to traffic flow and minimize	[] Contract

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> (DED/POW, RAP, IP Plan, O&M Plan, Capacity Building Plan)

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flow	rehabilitated is vital to daily activities of the residents and farmers and need to be kept open to traffic during construction	disruptions along the access road/or construction area	
5. Potential dust/mud nuisance during construction	[ ] Roads could become powdery during dry days and muddy during rainy days of the construction period.	[ ] Undertake sprinkling of road (including access roads) during dry days and filling up of potholes during rainy days, especially in residential areas. [ ] Set up speed limits for vehicles especially within residential areas.	[] Contract
6. Landslides/erosion of exposed road sides resulting in sedimentation of waterways.	[ ] The road will traverse a mountainous area necessitating deep cuts on mountainous sides, particularly between stations 1+340 to 1+380, 2+340 to 2+440, 2+840 to 2+890, and 3+000 to 3+080	Include slope protection works at the following stations; 1+340 to 1+380, 2+340 to 2+440, 2+840 to 2+890, and 3+000 to 3+080 i.e. Plantation of fast growing shrub species.	[] DED/POW
7. Inadequate drainage resulting in flooding or ponding	[] Drainage issues unlikely	[] No measure required	[] DED
8. Potential increase on the use of pesticides due to intensification of cash crop production in the area	[ ] Farmers in the service area have not been trained on IPM	[] Coordinate with DA on IPM Program	[] Capacity Building Plan; O&M Plan;
9. Potential acceleration of denudation of the upland/hilly areas, due to intensification of crop production.	[ ] The proposed road will connect to the market and upland/hilly area where farmers are currently practicing erosive farming techniques. The road could help accelerate the denudation of the upland/hillsides	[] DA to coordinate with LGU for the introduction of sustainable upland farming systems in the area.	[] Capacity Building Plan; O&M Plan;

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	rendering them unproductive in a few years.		
10. Potential increase in encroachments of human activities into the nearby public forests	[ ] The proposed road does not improve access to the nearby public forest.	[] no measure required.	[] Capacity Building Plan; O&M Plan;
11. Local Employment	[ ] Construction will provide local employment opportunities	[] Hiring priority shall be given to qualified local residents; Implement RI Manual on local hiring.	[] Contract

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