



Republic of the Philippines  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS  
**CENTRAL OFFICE**  
Manila



September 10, 2024

**MEMORANDUM**

**FOR :** **EUGENIO R. PIPO, JR**  
Undersecretary for Regional Operations  
in CAR, Regions I, II, IX, X, XI, XII, and XIII


This refers to the memorandum dated 21 June 2024 of **DPWH Region XII Director BASIR M. IBRAHIM**, endorsing the request for the **modification** of the project under FY 2024 GAA, to wit;

As per GAA/Original			As Modified		
Project Description					
<b>UACS No. 310302100491000</b> <b>Project ID: P00803888MN</b>  OO1: Ensure Safe and Reliable National Road System – Bridge - Replacement of Permanent Weak Bridges  Saldua Bridge in Polomolok, South Cotabato			  OO1: Ensure Safe and Reliable National Road System – Bridge - Replacement of Permanent Weak Bridges  Saldua Bridge in Polomolok, South Cotabato		
Type of Work/ Physical Target	Unit Cost	Allocation	Type of Work/ Physical Target	Unit Cost	Estimated Cost
CW-1- Replacement of Bridge:  <b>333.90</b> Square meters	<b>P 144,504.34 /</b> Square meter	<b>P 48,250,000.00</b>	CW-1- Replacement of Bridge:  <b>477.00</b> Square meters	<b>P 101,153.04 /</b> Square meter	<b>P 48,250,000.00</b>
EAO	–	<b>P 1,750,000.00</b>	EAO	–	<b>P 1,750,000.00</b>
<b>Total:</b>		<b>P 50,000,000.00</b>	<b>Total:</b>		<b>P 50,000,000.00</b>
Justification: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Increase in the physical target/ decrease in the unit cost based on the validated and approved The Program of Works (POW) and Detailed Unit Price Analysis (DUPA).</li><li>• The actual bank-to-bank width of the river is 25 meters. Thus, the length of the proposed bridge decreased from 35 meters to 25 meters.</li><li>• The width of the 4-lane bridge is 19.08 meters in line with the existing 4-lane road. Moreover, as per Detailed Engineering Design (DED), the bridge is only single span and the design foundation is 25m deep bored pile which resulted to the decrease in the unit cost.</li></ul>					

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Based on our evaluation, the submitted request for modification of the said project is in order; hence, approval hereof is recommended.



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**RECOMMENDING APPROVAL:**



**MARIA CATALINA E. CABRAL, Ph.D., CESO I**

Undersecretary for Planning  
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**APPROVED/~~DISAPPROVED~~**



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