



Republic of the Philippines DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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SUBJECT:

Conduct of Feasibility Studies, Master Plans and Project Proposals/ Packaging of Potential High Impact Projects by the Unified Project

Management Office (UPMO)

In line with the Department's decentralization efforts to streamline procedures for a more effective and expeditious implementation of urgent high impact national roads, bridges and various flood control projects, the Office of the Undersecretary for Unified Project Management Office (UPMO) Operations thru the UPMO Clusters shall undertake the implementation of Feasibility Studies and Master Plans and the Project Proposals/Packaging for possible financing under Overseas Development Assistance (ODA), given its familiarity of various locations nationwide and knowledge in developing strategic plans that identifies needs, goals, and priorities regarding infrastructure initiatives implemented thru foreign financing by this Department.

The identification of these potential projects, such as but not limited to flood control, opening of new road alignments that will connect various communities towards the centre of development, connectivity of major road networks through construction of new roads and long-span bridges, inter-provincial and inter-regional linkages and seamless connectivity of various road networks, will greatly enhance the socio-economic development of the influenced areas traversed by these roads and bridges thus generate investments that will help sustain economic growth. The outcomes of these projects seek to alleviate poverty through providing infrastructure facilities to help improve productivity and market access, and quality of life.

The UPMO shall submit to Planning Service the feasible projects for subsequent inclusion in the medium-term infrastructure program for fund appropriations. The UPMO shall submit the proposed projects for the NEDA and DOF Evaluation. The detailed engineering design shall be undertaken in preparation for actual implementation under the annual infrastructure programs.

The funds to be utilized for the conduct of the above activities shall be charged against the allocation for feasibility studies, master plans, project proposals and/or ongoing consultancy projects as provided in the GAA. Further, a Team, comprising of personnel of various disciplines from each UPMO Cluster, shall be formed to oversee the conduct of these activities.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

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The following were identified high-impact projects needing ODA assistance for project implementation, local funding or review and further studies:

Proposed Project

Remarks

1.	Zamboanga-Cotabato-Davac	Corridor Project
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- a) Liloy-Labason-Gutalac-Siocon (Zamboanga del Sur/ Zamboanga del Norte)
- b) Mati-Maragusan Road (Davao Oriental)
- c) Jct. Surallah-Lake Sebu Road (South Cotabato)
- d) Libungan-Alamada Road and Paco-Pres. Roxas-Antipas Road (North Cotabato)
 - Above items are remaining road (Mindanao sections) of the RRNDP
- 2. Metro Manila Interchange Project , Phase VII (MMICP VII)
 - a) Quezon Ave.-Commonwealth Corridor Radial Road-7 (R-7)
 - b) Marcos Highway Corridor Radial Road 6 (R-6)
 - c) Ortigas Avenue Corridor
 - d) Congressional Avenue-Mindanao Avenue Interchange
 - e) Congressional Avenue-Visayas Avenue Interchange
- 3. Flood Mitigation Project in the East Manggahan Floodway

Area (Stage 1)

- 4. Aklan River Flood Control Project
- 5. Construction and Rehabilitation of Iloilo City Drainage System
- 6. Panay River Basin Flood Control Project
- 7. Upper Agusan Dev. Project
- 8. Davao River Basin Flood Control Project
- 9. Pampanga Delta Flood Control Project, Phase II
- 10. Mindanao River Basin Flood Control Project
- 11. 13 Bridges crossing Pasig River
- 12. Dalton Bypass Project

13. Road Improvement (RI) Projects in Visayas & Mindanao

a) Improvement of Bacolod-Kabankalan Road, Negros Occidental

For updating of FS

Preliminary FS completed in 2007

MP & FS completed

MP & FS completed

For updating of MP & FS

MP completed undertaken by DENR

Submitted letter to NEDA for financing of the study

With complete DED prepared under NRIMP I

- 14. Improvement of Malalag-Malita-Jose Abad Santos
 - a.) Road (Don Marcelino-Jose Abad Santos section), Davao Occidental
 - b) Improvement of Don Marcelino-Jose Abad Santos-Glan section, Davao Occidental & Saranggani
 - c) Improvement of Cotabato-Marawi Road (Malabang-Marawi section), Lanao del Sur
 - d) Landslide Risk Mitigation, Malita-Don Marcelino Section, Davao Occidental

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New proposed project '

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