MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

This **MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT** is entered into and executed by and between:

The **DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY-MIMAROPA**, hereinafter referred to as **DOST-MIMAROPA** with principal office at 4/F DOST-PTRI Building, General Santos Avenue, Bicutan, Taguig City and represented in this Agreement by its Regional Director, **Dr. MA. JOSEFINA P. ABILAY**;

-and-

The OCCIDENTAL MINDORO STATE COLLEGE, hereinafter referred to as OMSC with principal address at represented in this Agreement by its SUC President III, Dr. ELBERT C. EDANIOL.

-and-

The LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNIT OF SAN JOSE, hereinafter referred to as LGU SAN JOSE with principal address at Municipal Compound, San Jose, Occidental Mindoro represented in this Agreement by its Muncipal Mayor Hon. REY C. LADAGA.

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, **DOST-MIMAROPA** is primarily tasked to effectively respond to the social, economic, and ecological development challenges of the region through appropriate Science and Technology interventions and quality S & T Services to uplift the socio economic well being of the Filipino people and ensure sustainability for future generations by extending innovation system for the implementation of the project of the proponent.

WHEREAS, DOST-MIMAROPA has identified the project "Efficacy Trial of Various Levels of Liquid Metarhizium anisoplae Against Army Worm in Onion in Selected Barangays of San Jose, Occidental Mindoro" as a project under the DOST-MIMAROPA LOCAL GIA and has provided funds therefore;

WHEREAS, **DOST-MIMAROPA** has identified **OMSC** as the beneficiary of the project and has sought support and assistance from DOST-MIMAROPA to implement the same;

WHEREAS, DOST-MIMAROPA, OMSC and LGU SAN JOSE pledge to extend their full cooperation for the effective and efficient implementation of the aforesaid project;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the above premises, and of the mutual covenants and stipulations hereinafter set forth, the parties hereto agree to enter into this Memorandum of Agreement under the following terms and conditions:

R. GARRY L. CALITANG
Project Leader

Hon. REY C. LADAGA Municipal Mayor LGU San Jose

R. ELBERT C. EDANIOI SUC President III

AETHELWILDA G. CORONACION Provincial Science and Director

1. DOST MIMAROPA shall:

- 1.1 Provide funds amounting to SIX HUNDRED FORTY THOUSAND (PhP 640,000.00), for the implementation of the project as described in the Line-Item Budget of the proposal marked as Annex A which is made an integral part of this Agreement;
- 1.2 Implement the above project in accordance with the attached Work plan in the proposal marked as Annex B and which is also attached and made an integral part of this Agreement;
- 1.3 Facilitate the pull out of all materials, tools and /equipment procured out of project funds in the event that OMSC fails to implement the project as stipulated in the project proposal made as Annex C hereof;
- 1.4 Monitor, evaluate and document project activities and identify alternative courses of action to address technical problems met, if any, during the implementation of the project.

OMSC shall:

- 2.1 Ensure that technologies received from DOST-MIMAROPA are used according to the provisions stipulated in this agreement unless otherwise revoked with acknowledgement from all parties involved;
- 2.2 Implement project in accordance with the methodology stated in the proposal and seek permission/clearance from **DOST-MIMAROPA** regarding any major decision or action in the implementation of the project;
- 2.3 Allow **DOST-MIMAROPA** Representatives access to the premises and facilities of the identified cooperators of **OMSC** for activities relevant to the implementation of the project;
- 2.4 Provide counterparts necessary for the effective implementation of this project as specified in the project proposal and attached LIB;
- 2.5 Submit the following progress reports:
 - 2.5.1 Semi-annual progress reports marked as Annex D hereof <u>not later than</u>
 <u>15 days after the end of the semester</u>
 - 2.5.2 Annual progress report marked as Annex E hereof together with the List of Equipment Purchased marked as Annex F hereof <u>not later than 30</u> days after the <u>end of the year</u>
- 2.6 Submit the completion report two months after the project duration or after the achievement of the objectives as stated in the proposal;
 - 2.6.1 It shall include a publishable or pre-print manuscript;
 - 2.6.2 It shall also include evidence of intellectual property (IP) protection filing, whenever applicable

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- 2.7 Allow **DOST-MIMAROPA** to monitor and collect necessary data/information when required;
- 2.8 Allow **DOST-MIMAROPA** to place inventory tag stickers on the individual equipment acquired out of project funds.
- 2.9 Be responsible and accountable for the maintenance and safekeeping of the tools and equipment assigned to the cooperators. Ownership of the equipment shall remain with DOST-MIMAROPA until after full ownership shall have been requested and transferred.
- 2.10 Authorize/allow DOST-MIMAROPA to pull-out all the materials, tools and equipment and other assets procured out of projects funds in case of failure of project implementation or for any violation of the contract or agreement that may be entered into by DOST-MIMAROPA with the beneficiary.
- 2.11 Procure items on the LIB in accordance to the provisions of RA 9184; liquidate the funds received and submit an Audited Financial Report, including official receipts of expenditures and Property Acknowledgement Receipt (PAR) to DOST-MIMAROPA not later than six (6) months after the release of funds;
- 2.12 Put up at the project site a signboard (4 ft x 6 ft), two weeks after receipt of project funds following the recommended billboard format (Annex D);
- 2.13 Assist DOST MIMAROPA in baseline data gathering for the project and in final data gathering for assessment of project outcomes and impacts.

3. LGU SAN JOSE shall:

- 3.1 Coordinate through its Municipal Agriculture Office with OMSC to conduct an experiment on the effectiveness of Metarhizium anisoplae against Harabas onion;
- 3.2 Authorize the Municipal Agriculture Office to assist DOST-MIMAROPA and OMSC identify and select onion producers to implement the efficacy trial;
- 3.3 Shall provide the counterparts necessary for the implementation of the efficacy trial
- 3.4 Allow the Municipal Agriculture Office to designate a focal person to assist OMSC monitor the efficacy trials
- 3.5 Ensure that the Municipal Agriculture Office has assisted OMSC in submitting the completion report two months after the project duration or after the achievement of objectives, expected outcome as stated in the proposal for submission to DOST-MIMAROPA;

4. OTHER CONDITIONS

4.1 That this Agreement shall take effect upon signing hereof and shall remain in force for a period of one (1) year, unless otherwise extended or sooner terminated upon mutual consultation and written agreement of both parties;

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- 4.2 That this Agreement shall not prohibit both parties to publish technical papers that may be derived from the above activities given their mandate of developing and promoting science and technology;
- 4.3 That any changes, modifications and alterations on the foregoing provisions of this agreement shall only be made upon mutual consultation and agreement of all parties concerned.

PUBLICATION

Any publication arising from this contract and other related activities undertaken shall identify **DOST-MIMAROPA** as the source of assistance.

6. EFFECTIVITY

This Memorandum of Agreement shall take effect immediately upon signing of the parties hereto and shall remain in the force for the duration of the project unless sooner terminated by **DOST-MIMAROPA** for any, but not limited to the following:

• Failure of **OMSC** to submit the required financial and progress reports within the prescribed period; and

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Any violation of the condition that, as determined by DOST-MIMAROPA, will
prejudice the successful completion of the project.

7. PROGRAM DURATION

The project shall be completed within a period of FOURTEEN (14) months years, from 2022 to 2023. The project shall be implemented during the said period or immediately after the release of funds.

DR. MA. JOSEFINA P. ABILAY Regional Director. DOST-

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this Memorandum of Agreement this day of, 2022 at Bicutan, Taguig City.	
Munic	Dr. ELBERT C. EDANIOL SUC President III Occidental Mindoro State College Y C. LADAGA ipal Mayor San Joe
SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF:	
	DrGARRY L. CALITANG Project Leader Occidental Mindoro State College A BATILES, Jr. earcher idoro State College
CERTIFIED FUNDS AVAILABLE:	
	FATIMA C. CASTRONUEVO Municipal Accountant LGU San Jose Y D. VARELA countant

DOST-MIMAROPA

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REPUBLIC OF THE	PHILIPPINES)

TAGUIG CITY) S.S

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this Memorandum of Agreement this ____ day of _____, 2022 at Bicutan, Taguig City.

Before me, a Notary Public for and in the <u>TAGUIG CITY</u> this 2 8 SEP 2022 day of 2022, personally appeared

NAME

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Place/Date Issued

DR. MA. JOSEFINA P. ABILAY PO25592B

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DR. ELBERT C. EDANIOL

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Hon. REY C. LADAGA

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All known to me be the same person who executed the foregoing instrument and they acknowledged to me that the same is their free and voluntary act and deed as well as the voluntary act of the institution agencies they represent.

This instrument consists of six (6) pages including this page wherein the acknowledgement is written, duly signed by the parties and their witnesses on each and every page hereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL, on the date and the place first above written.

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