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Barangay Chairman
Brgy. San Jose, Palo, Leyte

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT BUREAU
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Dear **Brgy. Chairman Amolo**,

Environmental Greetings!

This has reference to the **Barangay Materials Recovery Facility (BMRF)** in **Brgy. San Jose** which is a Local Government Unit (LGU) – Initiated MRF.

In order to evaluate its operation, personnel from this Office conducted monitoring of the operationalization of said facility and obtained the following findings:

1. Brgy. MRF is functional and receives recyclables (e.g. bottles, cans, plastics, etc.) for storage;
2. Barangay has initiated the establishment of Barangay MRF receptacle;
3. Compartments of the MRF receptacle are not properly labeled;
4. Profit from the sale of recyclable waste materials are utilized for gasoline of the multicab owned and operated by the BLGU; and
5. Barangay has a functional and active BSWMC – Brgy. Resolution No. 93 s 2018, headed by Brgy. Chairperson and Committee Chairperson on Rules.

Relative to the abovementioned observations, the following are our recommendations:

1. Improve the operation and maintenance of cleanliness and orderliness of Brgy. MRF receptacles; and
2. The barangay must maintain a logbook for record keeping of quantity of biodegradable waste composted and recyclable waste materials sold to keep track if the barangay adheres to the waste diversion requirement.

Please inform us of any update on your compliance to the above recommendations.

Thank you and more power.

Very truly yours,

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