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Schools Division Superintendent Department of Education P2 Brgy. Hamorawon, Calbayog Ciy

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## Dear Dr. Quitalig:

A vital part of our basic learning and values formation, schools are a powerful vehicle for change. Comprising a significant portion of the national populace, the academe is indeed a great instrument towards achieving a sustainable future through environmental education.

In this year's observance of **World Water Day**, the Environmental Management Bureau (EMB) R8 taps the academic community of Calbayog City, Samar in awareness raising and mobilization of the public about taking care of the environment such as the implementation of programs and activities in the management of marine litter pollution. In this light, EMB R8 will conduct a two-day School Caravan on Water Conservation in Calbayog City on **March 22-23**, **2022** in celebration of World Water Day (March 22) where the following schools are invited, to wit:

- 1. San Policarpo National High School Milaner Oyo-a and all the Teachers
- 2. San Policarpo Central School Cynthia Tarrayo Principal II and 2 Teachers
- 3. Cagbayang Elementary School John Michael S. Jalayajay HT2 and 2 Teachers
- 4. Pinamorotan Clustered School Benjie Beduya HT1 and 2 Teachers
- 5. Seven Hills National High School Ma. Irene N. Paghunasan and 2 Teachers
- 6. Oquendo National High School Christopher Salino-OIC Principal and 2 Teachers
- 7. Calbayog Ciy Night National High School- Irene Dimakiling and 2 Teachers
- 8. Villahermosa Elementary School Nieves Javines Principal II and 2 Teachers
- 9. Joy Saldana Education Supervisor in Science
- 10. Sharon Balza Division Youth Formation Coordinator

The School Caravan on Marine Litter Management and Water Conservation comprises lectures on Strengthening Filipino Values in Water Conservation (World Water Day), the National Plan of Action for the Prevention, Reduction, and Management of Marine Litter (NPOA-ML), the Role of Men and Women in Water Conservation, livestream interview and poster-making contest.

Highlighting the significance of marine litter management and water conservation, this activity will boost the morale of the participants to encourage them conceptualize water conservation and management practices applicable in their locale while adopting the right values in caring for the environment.

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Very truly yours,

QIC-Regional Director