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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR  
 NO. 2015-13

TO : ALL PROVINCIAL GOVERNORS, CITY MAYORS, MUNICIPAL MAYORS, PUNONG BARANGAYS, ARMM REGIONAL GOVERNOR AND DILG REGIONAL DIRECTORS

SUBJECT : HIGHLIGHTING THE ASEAN ENVIRONMENT YEAR 2015 THROUGH VARIOUS NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The Environmental Management Bureau of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) has furnished this Department, a list of national and international environmental events for the year, with a request for the support of the LGUs to highlight the ASEAN Environment Year 2015, with the theme, "Empowering the Youth for a Clean and Green ASEAN." The DENR may also strengthen the implementation of Republic Act No. 9512 or the National Environmental Awareness and Education Act through these activities.

Events	Date
World Wildlife Day	March 3
World Forest Day	March 21
World Water Day	March 22
Philippine Water Week	4 <sup>th</sup> Week of March
Earth Hour	4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday of March (8:30-9:30 p.m.)
Philippine Earth Day	Whole Month of April
International Earth Day	April 22
Month of the Ocean	Whole Month of May
International Day for Biological Diversity	May 22
Philippine Environment Month	Whole of Month of June
Philippine Eagle Week	June 4-10
World Environment Day	June 5
World Day to Combat Desertification	June 17
National Arbor Day	June 25
National Disaster Consciousness Month	Whole Month of July
National Clean-Up Month and National Ozone Protection Month	Whole Month of September
International Coastal Clean-Up Weekend	3 <sup>rd</sup> Weekend of September
International Ozone Day	September 6
National Tamaraw Month	Whole Month of October
International Lead Prevention Poisoning Week	October 20-26
National Clean Air Month and National Environmental Awareness Month	Whole month of November
National Climate Change Consciousness Week	November 19-25

Relative to the above, all Local Chief Executives are enjoined to fully support these Calendar of Activities in their respective official calendar, with the involvement of other stakeholders to participate in conducting support environmental activities.

All DILG Regional Directors and the ARRM Regional Governor are hereby directed to cause the widest dissemination of this Memorandum Circular, to local government units within their areas of jurisdiction.

  
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Secretary 



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