

Republic of the Philippines Department of the Interior and Local Government

March 1, 2019

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

NO. 2019-34

TO

: ALL CITY MAYORS, MUNICIPAL MAYORS, DILG REGIONAL

DIRECTORS, ARMM REGIONAL GOVERNOR, AND OTHERS

CONCERNED

SUBJECT : CONFERENCE ON MAINSTREAMING PEACE, ORDER AND

SECURITY ACTIONS IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT DEVELOPMENT AGENDA OF THE VICE-MAYORS LEAGUE

OF THE PHILIPPINE (VMLP)

The Vice-Mayors League of the Philippines (VMLP) will be conducting a *Conference on Mainstreaming Peace, Order and Security Actions in the Local Government Development Agenda* on March 11-13, 2019 at Grand Xing Hotel, Iloilo City.

As represented, the activity provides a venue to discuss and share how peace, order and security actions be included in the local government development agenda.

In view of the above, and upon the request of Vice-Mayor Donnabel Joy F, Mejia, National President, VMLP, all City Mayors and Municipal Mayors are encouraged to allow their vice-mayors to attend the said activity, on official business.

The payment of applicable traveling expenses, and registration fee, if any, to cover the cost of hotel accommodation, meals and convention materials, per participant, may be authorized chargeable against available local funds, in accordance with, and subject to applicable limitations prescribed in COA Circular NO. 2012-003 dated October 29, 2012, to the usual accounting and auditing requirements and to all pertinent laws, rules and regulations. Likewise, the participating local government officials are reminded of the provisions of DILG Memorandum Circular No. 2018-25 dated February 28, 2018, prohibiting local government officials and employees from entering, staying and/or playing at gambling casinos. Provided finally that conduct of any election campaign and partisan political activity pursuant to Item 4, Section 1 of the Commission on Elections Resolution No. 10488 promulgated last January 30, 2019, is discouraged.

The VMLP National President shall submit a Post-Activity Report to the Secretary of the Interior and Local Government, through the Director of the Bureau of Local Government Supervision, within fifteen (15) days after the conduct of the said activity, with the following prescribed format:

- I. Executive Brief;
- II. List of Participants;
- III. Outputs of Technical Sessions;IV. Issues and Agreements or Recommendations, if any;
- V. Total Fees and Disbursements; and
- VI. Appendices, if any.

For the information and guidance of all concerned

EDUARDO M. AÑO Secretary, DILG