



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

On the **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT (EIS)** of the **PROPOSED SAMAR AGGREGATES PROJECT** of the **MAJESTIC EARTH CORE VENTURES INC (INC.)** located in **BARANGAYS SAN JOAQUIN, BA-AY, AND BINALIW, CITY OF CALBAYOG, SAMAR PROVINCE.**

Notice is hereby given to all parties who wish to give their opinion regarding the implementation of the **PROPOSED SAMAR AGGREGATES PROJECT** to attend the Public Hearing scheduled on:

Date	Time	Venue
13 July 2022 (Wednesday);	09:00 AM (Registration starts at 08:00 AM)	Barangay San Joaquin Covered Court, Brgy. San Joaquin, Calbayog City, Samar Province

The Public Hearing is being conducted in connection with the review of the EIS of the aforementioned project by the Environmental Management Bureau (EMB) of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR).

The following is the project information:

Project Name	Samar Aggregates Project	
Project Location	Barangays San Joaquin, Ba-ay, and Binaliw, City of Calbayog, Samar Province	
Project Capacity	561, 600 MT/yr	
Project Type	Resource Extractive Industry	
Project Rationale	With the quarrying of basalt and production of aggregates and base course, this proposed project will satisfy the requirements for road and bridge construction, and vertical structures construction. Because of the higher demand for quality aggregates brought by the Build, Build, Build Program of the current administration, continuous supply of construction materials must be satisfied.	
Project components	Component	Area/ Capacity
	• Quarry	• 15.5 Ha
	• Crusher	• 561, 600 MT/yr
	• Overburden/topsoil stockpile	• 3.1 hectares
	• Aggregate Stockpile	• 2,500 m ²
	• Mine (Haul Road)	• 12m x 540 m @max. 10% gradient
Proponent	Majestic Earth Core Ventures Inc.	

All interested parties who wish to attend or participate in this Public Hearing should preferably confirm their attendance/participation and may give their opinion(s) in a concise position paper to the **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT DIVISION (EIAMD)** of this Office through email at eia@emb.gov.ph, three (3) days before the Public Hearing schedule. Those who will not be able to register or submit written positions may be given the opportunity to share their issues on the day of the hearing itself.

The project’s EIS and Executive Summary for the Public are downloadable on our website: (*kindly access the Notice of Public Hearing/ Consultation link found in our website*) while copies will be available in the following offices:

- **EMB Region 8**
DENR Compound, Jones Street, Tacloban City
Tel. No. (053) 832-2319
- **City Environment & Natural Resources Office- Calbayog**
Calbayog City Hall, Calbayog City, Samar, Province

For more details, please contact the EIAMD Division at this Office at telephone number (02) 8539 4378 loc. 116 and look for the project case handlers **Engr. Joel Polintan** and **Engr. Jason Paolo Esguerra**.

