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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is entered into by and between Ecological Farm and Resource Management Institute (Eco-FARMI) of Visayas State University (VSU) and Office of Extension Services (OES) of Northwest Samar State University (NwSSU), collectively referred to as the Parties, for the Extension Project "Nursery Establishment of Vermicomposting Area in NwSSU Demonstration Farm, Calbayog City, Samar."

BACKGROUND

The Parties have agreed to collaborate and establish a partnership to promote sustainable farming practices through the establishment of a vermicomposting project in NwSSU Demonstration Farm, Calbayog City, Samar.

TERMS

1. Purpose

The purpose of this MOU is to outline the terms and conditions of the partnership between the Parties for the establishment of a vermicomposting project in NwSSU Demonstration Farm, Calbayog City, Samar.

2. Project Scope

Eco-FARMI will provide lectures, farm visits, and technical assistance, as necessary to facilitate the establishment of the vermicomposting project in NwSSU Demonstration Farm, Calbayog City, Samar.

NwSSU will be responsible for providing the necessary resources and infrastructure to support the establishment of the vermicomposting project. NwSSU will also ensure that the project is managed and maintained in accordance with best practices and local regulations.

3. Deliverables

The Parties shall undertake the following activities to achieve the objectives of this MOU:

- a. Eco-FARMI of VSU shall provide lectures and technical assistance to Extension Project Implementers of NwSSU on the establishment and management of the vermicomposting project.
- b. Eco-FARMI of VSU shall assist Extension Project Implementers of NwSSU in the identification of potential vermicomposting adopters.
- c. NwSSU shall establish a vermicomposting area in its Demonstration Farm in Calbayog City, Samar.
- d. NwSSU shall implement and manage the vermicomposting project in accordance with best practices and local regulations.



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e. NwSSU shall provide the transportation expenses, food and accommodation to Eco-FARMI representatives during the official site visit.

4. Duration

This MOU shall be effective for a period of two (2) years from the date of signing.

5. Confidentiality

The Parties agree to keep confidential any information obtained during the course of this partnership that is not in the public domain.

6. Termination

Either Party may terminate this MOU by giving written notice to the other Party thirty (30) days prior to the intended date of termination.

7. Amendments

This MOU may be amended by mutual written agreement of the Parties.

8. Governing Law

This MOU shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Philippines.

9. Counterparts

This MOU may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this MOU as of the date first above written.

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