RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE PROGRAMS OF NSWMC SUBMITTED TO NEDA INFRACOM FOR PUBLIC INVESTMENT IN CY 2015

WHEREAS, the enactment of RA 9003 institutionalized the creation of the National Solid Waste Management Commission (NSWMC), an inter-agency body that is mandated to oversee the implementation of the solid waste management plans and prescribes policies to achieve the objectives of the Act;

WHEREAS, Section 5 (g) of Republic Act 9003 states that the Commission adopt a program to provide technical and other capability building assistance and support to local government units in the development and implementation of source reduction program;

WHEREAS, the program will contribute to achieve the objectives of the Philippine Development Plan 2011-2016 particularly on Sustainable and Climate Resilient Environment and Natural Resources through increased solid waste diversion rate, increase coverage of solid waste collection and increase coverage of SWM facilities;

WHEREAS, NEDA is soliciting for addition proposals for Public Investment for Social Infrastructure in its letter to the DENR Secretary dated May 13, 2014;

WHEREAS, the objectives of the program are the following:
1. To support the establishment of MRFs per barangay as required by law;
2. To increase the collection of recyclable materials to trigger an increase in economic development opportunities through the entry of investments in the recycling industry;
3. To provide support in establishing categorized sanitary landfills;
4. To establish alternative technologies in solid waste management to promote the use of alternative processes for power generation;
5. To provide support to LGUs in Safe Closure and Rehabilitation of Disposal Sites;
6. To construct a building for the NEC showcasing alternative technologies on ESWM and best practices of LGUs to provide knowledge transfer and technical assistance in establishing bio-waste processing center per province.

WHEREAS, the NSWMC sees that there is a need to adopt the program and to strictly implement the objectives.

RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the attached matrix reviewed and endorsed by the NSWMC-TWG in its meeting held on June 5, 2014, be adopted by the NSWMC for immediate implementation and enforcement.

APPROVED this 24th day of June 2014.