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## ANNOUNCEMENT

FOR : ALL HEADS OF CONSTITUTIONAL BODIES; DEPARTMENTS, BUREAUS, AND AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT; LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS; GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS WITH ORIGINAL CHARTERS; AND STATE UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

## SUBJECT : Filipino Food Month or Buwan ng Kalutong Pilipino in April 2023

Pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 469, s. 2018, the Department of Agriculture (DA) shall lead the annual Filipino Food Month or *"Buwan ng Kalutong Pilipino"* Celebration in April 2023.

With the theme "*Pagkaing Sariling Atin, Mahalin at Pagyamanin*", the celebration aims to appreciate and preserve our vast culinary traditions and treasures to benefit future generations, and to support the various industries, farmers, and agri-communities which benefit therefrom.

To promote public awareness in the observance of the event, all government agencies are encouraged to extend their full support through the following activities:

- 1. Display of the 2023 Filipino Food Month poster or banner;
- 2. Reading of Proclamation 469, s. 2018 during the first Monday of April flag raising ceremony; and,
- 3. Participation in various Filipino Food Month activities.

For more information, agencies may coordinate with the DA-Agribusiness and Marketing Assistance Service (AMAS) FFM Secretariat at telephone number 8925-3795 or email at mdd@da.gov.ph.

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ATTY! KARLO A. B. NOGRALES Chairperson

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