

## THE AGENCY

The agency was created by virtue of Republic Act No. 3601, and was signed on June 22, 1963 by His Excellency President Diosdado Macapagal as a Government Owned and Controlled Corp. (GOCC) with an initial capitalization of P300M. The agency is mainly tasked with the development and operation of all irrigation systems all over the country. Its forerunner was the Irrigation Division of the defunct Bureau of Public Works. Presidential Decree No. 1 Issued by President Ferdinand E. Marcos on September 23, 1972 integrated all irrigation activities under NIA.

Presidential Decree No. 552 dated September 11, 1974 increased the Agency's capitalization and was further increased from P2B to P10B by Presidential Decree No. 1702 Issued on July 18, 1980.

## VISION

By 2022, NIA is a professional and efficient irrigation agency contributing to the Inclusive growth of the country and in the improvement of the farmers' quality of life.

## MISSION

To plan, construct, operate and maintain irrigation systems consistent with integrated water resource management principles to improve agricultural productivity and increase farmers' income.

## CORE VALUES



Commitment



Integrity



Professionalism

## QUALITY POLICY

We commit to provide efficient, effective, and sustainable irrigation services aimed towards the highest satisfaction of the Filipino farmers.

We strive for the attainment of our strategic themes of Technical and Operational Excellence, and Good Governance through Partnership with the farmers and other relevant interested parties.

We abide with applicable legal and international requirements.

We remain dedicated to the core values of Commitment, Integrity and Professionalism, to continually improve the NIA's Quality Management System.

## DIRECTORY OF NIA REGION IX OFFICIALS



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Regional Manager



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## IRRIGATION MANAGEMENT OFFICES



**BENEDICTO ISAGANI O. PULIS JR.**

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# REGIONAL PROFILE

As of March 31, 2023





## THE REGION

After the creation of NIA under RA 3601 in June 22, 1963, there was only one (1) Regional Center for Mindanao situated in Koronadal, South Cotabato. Later on, Mindanao was divided into two (2) regions, Region VII in Molave, Zamboanga del Sur and Region VIII-A at Koronadal, South Cotabato. Region VII composed the provinces of Zamboanga del Sur, Zamboanga del Norte, Sulu Archipelago, Misamis Occidental, Misamis Oriental, Camiguin Island, Lanao del Sur and was under the supervision of Engr. Jose Arce who was later on replaced by Engr. Depandian Ibrahim. With the issuance of NIA MC No. 12, series of 1978, a new regionalization scheme for Mindanao was created with headquarters in Zamboanga City, Region 7 which was later changed to Region 9 retained the provinces of Zamboanga del Sur, Zamboanga del Norte and Sulu Archipelago. Moreover, Zamboanga Sibugay came to be when attempts to divide Zamboanga del Sur was finally enacted in February 2001 by virtue of Republic Act No. 8973. Upon the approval and implementation of the NIA Rationalization Plan in April 2009, an irrigation management office was established in the area.

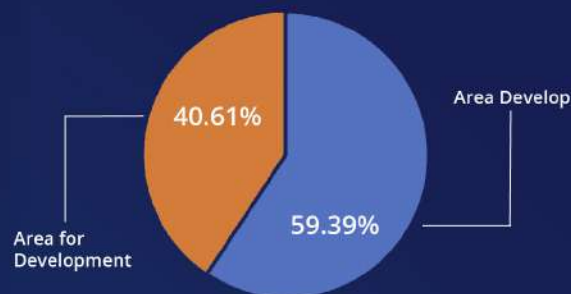
On August 1, 1989 RA No. 6734 otherwise known as the Organic Act for the Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (ARMM) was enacted into law and based on the plebiscite issued on November 19, 1989, the provinces of Maguindanao, Lanao del Sur, Basilan, Sulu and Tawi-tawi were covered by the ARMM. While the NIA ARMM were not yet established, the provinces of Basilan, Sulu and Tawi-tawi were still under the direct supervision of Region 9 per arrangement with the NIA Central Office. Meanwhile, Executive Order No. 429 dated October 12, 1990 was issued by Her Excellency Corazon C. Aquino, transferring the Regional Center from Zamboanga City to Pagadian City but retaining Zamboanga City as the commercial and industrial center. Pursuant to the said Executive Order, Executive Secretary Eduardo R. Ermita issued Memorandum Circular No. 75 dated November 12, 2004 directing the transfer of Regional Offices of all Departments and Agencies from Zamboanga City to Pagadian City as soon as practicable. NIA Region 9 eventually transferred to Pagadian City in two batches dated March 24 2008 and August 19, 2008.

Presently, the region has two Irrigation Management Offices - the Zamboanga del Sur and the Zamboanga Sibugay - and two regional sub-offices which are the Zamboanga del Norte and ZAMBASULTA (Zamboanga-Basila-Sulu-Tawi-tawi).



## IRRIGATION DEVELOPMENT

as of December 31, 2022



**Latest Farmers Satisfaction Survey**

**100%** National Irrigation System  
**90.9%** Communal Irrigation System

PROVINCE	POTENTIAL AREA (HAS.)	SERVICE AREA (HAS.)	DEV'D (%)	FOR DEV'T (HAS.)	FOR DEV'T (%)
Zambo. Del Sur	33,714	26,558.92	78.78%	7,155.08	21.22%
Zambo. Sibugay	23,441	14,565.41	62.14%	8,875.59	37.86%
Zambo. Del Norte	23,999	8,339.99	34.75	15,659.01	65.25%
Zamboanga City	6,928	3,598.00	51.93%	3,330.00	48.07%
Basilan	1,035	837.50	80.92%	197.50	19.08%
Sulu	2,905	2,592.00	89.23%	313.00	10.77%
Tawi-Tawi	6,049	1,751.00	28.95%	4,298.00	71.05%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>98,071</b>	<b>58,242.82</b>	<b>59.39%</b>	<b>39,828.18</b>	<b>40.61%</b>

## FY 2023 IRRIGATION PROJECT

FUND	AMOUNT (P'000)
SIP	104,000.00
ServiceRoads – NIS	45,000.00
RESTO – NIS	50,000.00
RESTO – CIS	117,047.00
REPAIR – NIS	100,000.00
REPAIR – CIS	114,000.00
OperatingSubsidy	232,287.00
LineProjects – LFP	153,595.00
IMTSS	7,027.00
Heavy-Equipment	45,647.00
FSDE	51,250.00
FarmLand – GIS	814.00
EGPIP – Solar	100,000.00
ClimateChange – NIS	247,744.00
CARP – IC	313,698.00
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>1,682,109.00</b>

## INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

PROVINCE/ SYSTEM	NO. OF IRRIGATORS' ASSOCIATION	FARMERS' BENEFICIARIES	MOA SIGNED 1 <sup>st</sup> QTR	MODIFIED IMT CONTRACT
<b>COMMUNAL IRRIGATION SYSTEM</b>				
Zambo. Del Sur	72	4,568	10	57
Zambo. Sibugay	46	3,199	7	40
Zambo. Del Norte	64	5,272	14	57
Zamboanga City	33	2,085	7	26
Basilan	18	476	-	4
Sulu	34	614	-	3
Tawi-Tawi	25	433	-	3
<b>TOTAL FOR CIS</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>16,647</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>190</b>
PROVINCE/ SYSTEM	NO. OF IRRIGATORS' ASSOCIATION	FARMERS' BENEFICIARIES	MOA SIGNED 1 <sup>st</sup> QTR	MODIFIED IMT CONTRACT
<b>NATIONAL IRRIGATION SYSTEM</b>				
SARIS & EXT'N	22	5,682	-	22
DIPRIS	3	845	-	3
LABRIS	29	1,531	-	29
SVIS	16	1,556	-	16
DITAYIS	4	292	-	4
DIPOLOG NIS	1	1,356	-	1
NIP	18	989	-	1
SRIP	6	400	-	-
<b>TOTAL FOR NIS</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>12,651</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>76</b>

## CROPPING OPERATION

PROVINCE/ SYSTEM	FUSA (HAS.)	IRRIGATED AREA (HAS.)				CI (%)
		WET	DRY	QTA	1st CROP	
<b>COMMUNAL IRRIGATION SYSTEM</b>						
Zambo. Del Sur	6,756.88	-	6,043.88	-	-	0.894
Zambo. Sibugay	6,043.19	-	5,010.05	-	-	0.829
Zambo. Del Norte	4,161.49	-	3,266.99	-	-	0.785
Zamboanga City	2,948.00	-	2,243.25	-	-	0.760
Basilan	625.30	-	272.30	-	-	0.435
Sulu	2,089.00	-	30	-	-	0.0143
Tawi-Tawi	991	-	18	-	-	0.0181
<b>TOTAL FOR CIS</b>	<b>23,614.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16,460.91</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	
PROVINCE/ SYSTEM	FUSA (HAS.)	IRRIGATED AREA (HAS.)				CI (%)
		WET	DRY	QTA	1st CROP	
<b>NATIONAL IRRIGATION SYSTEM</b>						
SARIS	7,817.59	-	7,524.18	-	-	0.962
DIPRIS	1,551.00	-	1,530.00	-	-	0.986
LABRIS	3,055.71	-	2,896.85	-	-	0.948
SVIS	3,382.82	-	2,967.90	-	-	0.877
DITAY	471.20	-	386.00	-	-	0.819
DIPOLOG	1,028.64	-	906.49	-	-	0.881
<b>TOTAL FOR NIS</b>	<b>17,306.95</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16,211.42</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	

## IRRIGATION PROJECT STATUS

PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION	2020	2021	2022
Physical Accomplishment	96.70	99.46	80.70
Financial Accomplishment	98.46	96.88	63.04
Area Generated (Has.)	553.00	978.00	526.00
Area Restored (Has.)	554.00	88.00	232.00
<b>Total Number of Projects</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98</b>