



Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands  
 Department of Lands and Natural Resources  
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## 2023 CITIZEN CENTRIC REPORT

### GENERAL OVERVIEW

The Department of Lands & Natural Resources' mission is to sustain, enhance, protect, and conserve Tinian & Aguiguan's natural, historic, and cultural resources for present and future generations. *(DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE)*

To provide efficient public services for the farming and ranching community and other community groups in all areas related to the natural resources development and for the promotion of local products. *(DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE)*

To enforce the protection and conservation of forests, wildlife, marine, and other related natural resources. To ensure the protection of the islands from the introduction of invasive species that will cause harmful effects to our natural resources and community. *(DIVISION OF FISH & WILDLIFE)*

To maintain and improve historical sites, public parks, and other government facilities for recreation and economic purposes. *(DIVISION OF PARKS & RECREATION)*

#### **PERSONNEL LISTING**

RESIDENT DEPARTMENT HEAD:	Guillermo C. Borja
DEPUTY DIRECTOR :	Estevan P. Cabrera
ADMINISTRATIVE SUPERVISOR:	Corrine Sn. Cing
D.F.W. SUPERVISOR :	Chad B. Palacios
REPAIR SHOP SUPERVISOR :	Rudolfo S. Lazaro
HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPS. SUPV.:	Manuel N. Cruz, Jr.



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## HIGHLIGHTS



**TOP -** *DLNR staffs participating in beach clean-ups in coordination with Coastal Resources Management activities (Breakwater and White Cross Point).*

**BOTTOM** *Safety Equipment and Supplies for the Division of Fish & Wildlife.*



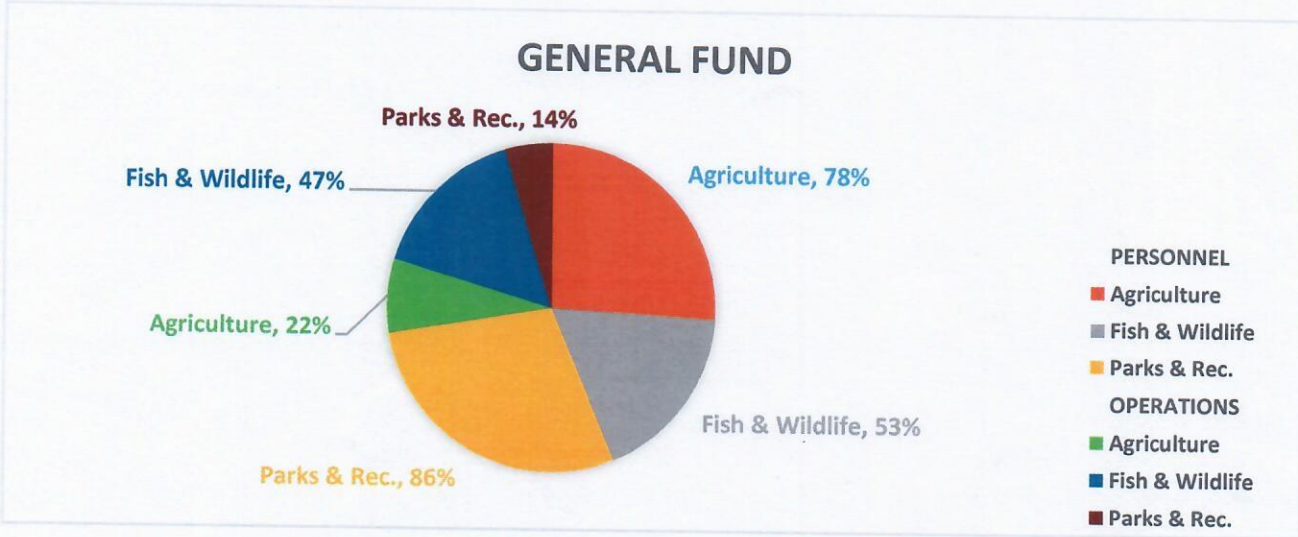
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1. DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE	PERSONNEL - \$208,379.00	OPERATIONS - \$57,599.00
2. DIVISION OF FISH & WILDLIFE	PERSONNEL - \$ 42,455.00	OPERATIONS - \$37,245.00
3. DIVISION OF PARKS & RECREATION	PERSONNEL - \$ 56,735.00	OPERATIONS - \$ 8,969.00

### OTHER REVENUE-GENERATING SOURCES – FISCAL YEAR 2023

1. Mowing Services for Ranchers/Farmers	\$3,504.00
2. Cattle Slaughter Permits	\$ 150.00
3. Fish & Games Permits	\$1,240.00

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 Admin. Assistant

**DATE:** 10/26/2023

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**CONCURRED BY:** Guillermo C. Borja  
 Resident Dept. Head


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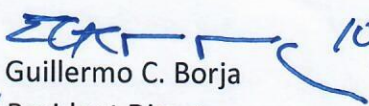


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	<u>F.Y. 2021</u>	<u>F.Y. 2022</u>	<u>F.Y. 2023</u>
MOWING SERVICE	144	103	119
CATTLE SLAUGHTER PERMIT	40	37	60
<b>CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>PLANT PERMIT</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
ANIMAL PERMIT	4	1	4
CASTING NET PERMIT	37	36	53
GILL NET PERMIT	7	5	2
GOAT HUNTING PERMIT	30	22	26
COCONUT CRAB HUNTING PERMIT	17	16	12
SEA CRAB PERMIT	6	7	2
PHILIPPINE TURTLE DOVE PERMIT	1	2	7
CORAL PERMIT(DEAD ONLY)	0	0	0
SAMBAR DEER	0	1	0

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**\*\* NOTE: Service no longer available starting Fiscal Year 2023 due to Biosecurity (formerly known as Quarantine Section) being transferred to Dept. of Finance under Division of Customs Services.**



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### ***CHALLENGES***

The lack of funding is a major obstacle affecting our department's plan for community gardening, backyard gardening at Tinian Elementary School program, and any related outreach gardening activities. It is equally critical to procure new vehicles for the Administrative Section(unavailable) and Heavy Equipment Operations Section (vehicle in fair condition). Funding is very critical for fuel, parts and repairs expenses, communications as they play a major role in our daily operations.

For more information about Tinian DLNR, please do not hesitate to contact us. Contact information can be seen on our General Overview page.