EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2015-02

RELATIVE TO AUTHORIZING THE DONATION OF SURPLUS TOPSOIL SAND, GRAVEL AND OTHER CONSTRUCTION BACKFILL MATERIALS TO SCHOOLS AND VILLAGE ORGANIZATIONS FOR USE IN EDUCATIONAL AND SPORTING ACTIVITIES

WHEREAS, from time to time, the Government of Guam has available to it an amount of surplus construction material such as topsoil, sand, gravel and similar that is suitable for use as backfill or in other construction applications; and

WHEREAS, the General Services Agency (GSA) has determined that surplus topsoil is not “supplies” or a tangible personal property as defined by the Guam Procurement Regulations (2 G.A.R. Section 8101), and therefore it may be disposed of without going through the state agency; and

WHEREAS, the Government of Guam is committed to supporting all Guam schools and community programs, including programs that promote physical activity, fitness and sports participation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDDIE BAZA CALVO, I Mga’Lahen Guåhan, Governor of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested by the Organic Act and laws of Guam do hereby order and direct as follows:

1. The Administrator of GSA or the Director of DPW may gift, donate or otherwise transfer topsoil, sand, gravel and other construction backfill materials to schools, educational non-profit organizations, and village-sponsored educational or sporting organizations to be used for the purpose of furthering educational or sports activities.
2. Any such donated materials shall be limited to those materials which are: (a) under the control of an executive agency; and (b) have been determined to be surplus property that is no longer required for the agency’s needs, as determined by the agency head or designee.

3. The GSA Administrator or the Director of DPW shall allocate and transfer surplus materials to be donated in a manner that is fair and equitable based upon the relative needs and resources of the donating agency, and as balanced with the needs and uses of the potential donees. Donations shall be on a first-come, first-served basis.

4. Donations made pursuant to this Executive Order shall be without cost to the donee, except for any costs associated with the transportation, packing, care or handling of the donated materials.

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Hagåtña, Guam, this 23rd day of January, 2015.

EDDIE BAZA CALVO
I Maka'Låhen Guåhan
Governor of Guam