



8 April 2019

## **MEMORANDUM No. 2019-019**

TO

: ALL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES

**SUBJECT** 

<u>Simultaneous Holding of the Thanksgiving</u> Celebration and Wearing of Solidarity Shirt

Part of the activities for the celebration of NEA's Golden Anniversary and 50 Years of the Rural Electrification Program (REP) is the Simultaneous Holding of a Thanksgiving Celebration tagged as *Gratitude for Gold* on July 29, 2019, the immediate Monday following the commemoration of the 50<sup>th</sup> year from whence RA 6038 was signed into law.

Gratitude for Gold is an activity which aims to acknowledge with deep appreciation and gratitude the opportunity to serve the Filipino people for five (5) decades and the continued commitment to a stronger partnership of NEA, ECs and the EC Allied Organizations in the pursuit of the REP. This will also be the time to give thanks for the blessings the NEA with 50 years of existence along with the ECS, have received over the years.

Thus, the ECs are enjoined to simultaneously hold a Thanksgiving Celebration by way of a Holy Mass or a Special Prayer Ceremony with the NEA and all ECs nationwide on said date at 7 am, presumably before the Monday Convocation of the ECs.

In addition, the EC Officers, Management and Staff are advised to wear the Solidarity Shirt during the said occasion.

This will serve as the official launching of the Solidarity Shirt which bears the NEA 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary official logo. This is a way of greeting the nation and letting the public and stakeholders know that the men and women of the REP stand together, conveying solidarity amongst the ECs with NEA.

Also, the wearing of the Solidarity Shirt during coop events, and in assemblies, meetings and gatherings of ECs and the EC Allied Organizations is also encouraged. The e-copy of the attached T-shirt design can be downloaded from the NEA Golden Anniversary portal in the NEA Website under the Thanksgiving celebration.

For your information, guidance and active participation.





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