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MEMORANDUM

FOR

REGIONAL EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS AND MAFAR MINISTER

RAFC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

RAFC EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

RAFC COORDINATORS

SUBJECT

ANNUAL SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING AFC, CHAIRPERSONS.

RAFC EXECUTIVE OFFICERS, SECRETARIAT COORDINATORS, AND

AFC SECTORAL COMMITTEES

The PCAF has been successfully conducting the Annual Search for Outstanding Agriculture and Fishery Councils (AFCs) through the National Volunteers Day Celebration since 2015 to commemorate the achievements and services the AFCs have been providing for the agriculture and fisheries sectors. The Search aims to reward and recognize the AFCs' continued fervor through volunteerism, as enshrined in Section 16 of the Volunteer Act of 2007 (R.A. No. 9418).

The winners of the Search shall be determined based on the accomplishments from October 2023 to 2024, as evidenced by the submitted documents on or before October 7, 2024. On top of the cash prizes, the winners will receive plaques while runners-up will be given the certificates of recognition.

Corollary to this, enclosed herewith is the **Guidelines for the 2024 PCAF Search for Outstanding**AFCs, Chairpersons, RAFC Executive Officers, Secretariat-Coordinators, and AFC Sectoral Committees for 2024.

For your information and reference.

JULIETA E. OPULENCIA
OIC - Executive Director





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April 26, 2024

MEMORANDUM FOR THE OIC - EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

FROM

CYRIL LI SOLIABAN

IC-Deputy Executive Director and Chairperson

Working Group for the Search for Outstanding AFCs, Chairpersons, RAFC Executive Officer, Secretariat-Coordinators and AFC Sectoral

Committees

SUBJECT

GUIDELINES ON THE SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING AFCS,

CHAIRPERSONS, RAFC EXECUTIVE OFFICER,

SECRETARIAT-COORDINATORS AND AFC SECTORAL

COMMITTEES

We are pleased to submit to you the final copy of the Guidelines of the 2024 PCAF Search for Outstanding AFCs, Chairpersons, RAFC Executive Officer, Secretariat-Coordinators, and AFC Sectoral Committee for 2024.

The Committee is proposing to give awards for the following categories with the following cash prizes:

Name of Award/Category		Cash Prize (Php)
1. Oı	itstanding Achiever Award (Council)	
R.A	AFC	
•	Champion	Php 50,000.00
•	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
•	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
PA	FC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC	
•	Champion	Php 50,000.00
•	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
•	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
M	AFC/CAFC	
•	Champion	Php 50,000.00
•	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
•	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00

2. (Outstanding Sectoral Committees	
F	RAFC	
	Champion	Php 30,000.00
	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
• 2	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
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1	PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC	FI 00 000 00
	Champion	Php 30,000.00
1	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
• 2	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
3. (Outstanding Chairperson	
1	RAFC	
	Champion	Php 30,000.00
	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
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F	PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC	D
•	Champion	Php 30,000.00
	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
· •	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
1	MAFC/CAFC	
	• Champion	Php 30,000.00
1	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
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4. (Outstanding RAFC Executive Officer	
	Champion	DI 20 000 00
	Champion	Php 30,000.00
	1st Runner up 2nd Runner up	Php 20,000.00 Php 10,000.00
	Zhu Kumer up	F11p 10,000.00
5. (Outstanding Secretariat Coordinator	
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1	RAFC	7
		Php 30,000.00
	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
F	PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC	
	Champion	Php 30,000.00
	-	
	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
	-	
N	MAFC/CAFC	
	Champion	Php 30,000.00
	1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00
•	2nd Runner up	Php 10,000.00
I I	1st Runner up 2nd Runner up MAFC/CAFC Champion 1st Runner up	Php 20,000.00 Php 10,000.00 Php 30,000.00

Supportive)	Local Partnership Champion Innovation Expert Special Award for AFC Co-chairperson (Government) Special Award for LGU (Most Supportive LGU) Special Award for NGA Partner (Most	Php 15,000.00 Php 15,000.00 Php 15,000.00 Php 15,000.00 Php 15,000.00
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7. Pillars of the Agricultural and Fishery Council

The Pillars of Agricultural and Fishery Council will be awarded to the RAFC and PAFC Chairpersons who have served the AFC for twenty (20) years. Each will receive Ten Thousand Pesos (Php 10,000.00).

The winners of the Search will be determined based on their accomplishments from the last quarter of the prior year and the first three quarters of the current year.

On top of the cash prizes, the winners will also receive plaques, while the runners-up will receive certificates of recognition.

Below is the proposed timeline for the conduct of the Search:

Date	Activity
October 7, 2024	Deadline for submission of supporting documents
October 8-11, 2024	Table evaluation (Shortlisting of Top 3 Finalists)
October 14-November 6, 2024	Field validation
November 7-8, 2024	Finalization of the results of the validation
November 11, 2023	Presentation to the Board of Judges

The budgetary requirement of the Search shall be sourced from the Partnership Development Division-Volunteer Management Section Fund 101 Allocation subject to funds availability and the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Also attached is the memorandum addressed to all Regional Executive Directors, RAFC Chairpersons, RAFC Executive Officers, and RAFC Secretariat-Coordinators disseminating the Search Guidelines, for your signature.

FOR APPROVAL	
Approved	_ Disapproved
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JULIETA E. OPULENCIA OIC-Executive Director	

Also attached is the memorandum addressed to all Regional Executive Directors, RAFC Chairpersons, RAFC Executive Officers, and RAFC Secretariat-Coordinators disseminating the Search Guidelines, for your signature.

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JULIETA E. OPULENCIA OIC-Executive Director
Date:

GUIDELINES ON THE SEARCH FOR OUTSTANDING AGRICULTURAL AND FISHERY COUNCILS (AFCs), CHAIRPERSONS, RAFC EXECUTIVE OFFICER, AFC SECRETARIAT-COORDINATORS AND AFC SECTORAL COMMITTEES

I. RATIONALE

The Philippine Council for Agriculture and Fisheries (PCAF), an attached agency of the Department of Agriculture (DA), has an established network of the Agricultural and Fishery Councils (AFCs) at the regional, provincial, and city/municipal levels. Most of the members of the AFCs are volunteer partners who have rendered selfless and dedicated services for the development of the agriculture and fisheries sectors since 1987 up to the present. To ensure effective and meaningful stakeholder partnerships, they are ably supported by the RAFC Executive Officers (REOs) and Secretariat-Coordinators designated by the DA Field Offices and local government units (LGUs). These leaders have committed and shared their valued time, talent, skills, and resources in performing their duties in the AFCs.

The DA recognized the AFCs' contributions to the development of agriculture and fisheries when the Search for Outstanding Provincial and Municipal AFCs were included in the Annual Gawad Saka Search for Outstanding Achievers in Agriculture and Fisheries categories. PCAF, on the other hand, has its share of motivational programs for its consultative bodies, which started in 2015. It has successfully conducted nine (9) annual National Agriculture and Fisheries Volunteers' Day (NVD) Celebrations from 2015 to 2023, wherein the AFCs at the regional and local levels, Chairpersons, and Secretariat-Coordinators were given due recognition. Subsequently, in 2020, the Outstanding National Sectoral Committee was included in the Search. In 2022, the Outstanding REO was also added.

The event serves as a reward and recognition mechanism for all CBs for their continued fervor in helping develop the agri-fishery sector through volunteerism, as enshrined in Section 16 of the Volunteer Act of 2007 (R.A. No. 9418).

II. OBJECTIVES

The Search intends to recognize deserving Regional, Provincial, and City/Municipal AFCs, Chairpersons, RAFC Executive Officers (REO), Secretariat-Coordinators, and AFC sectoral committees for their significant achievements in developing the agriculture and fisheries sectors.

Specifically, it aims to:

- a. recognize and provide awards for their outstanding accomplishments;
- b. inspire Chairpersons, REOs, Secretariat-Coordinators, and Sectoral Committees to excel in their performance; and
- c. document and disseminate the best practices and innovative approaches of the awardees that they developed as part of their

outstanding accomplishments worthy of emulation by other AFCs and other development-oriented organizations.

III. SCOPE

The Search shall cover all AFCs, Chairpersons at the Regional, Provincial, and Municipal/City levels, REOs, and Secretariat-Coordinators at the Regional, Provincial, and Municipal/City levels.

The following are the categories:

1.	Outstanding Achiever (Council)		
	RAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	=	1
	2nd Runner up		1
	PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	-	1
	MAFC/CAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	÷	1
2.	Outstanding Sectoral Committees RAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	-	1
	PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	-	1
3.	Outstanding Chairperson RAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	-	1
	PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1

	2nd Runner up	-	1
	MAFC/CAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	-	1
4.	Outstanding RAFC Executive Officer		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	-	1
5.	Outstanding Secretariat-Coordinator	rs	
	RAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	-	1
	PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC		
	Champion	=	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	-	1
	MAFC/CAFC		
	Champion	-	1
	Ist Runner up	-	1
	2nd Runner up	-	1

6. Special Awards (For All Levels)

- Best in Advocacy
- Local Partnership Champion
- Innovation Expert
- Special Award for AFC Co-chairperson (Government)
- Special Award for LGU (Most Supportive)
- Special Award for NGA Partner (Most Supportive)

7. Pillars of Agricultural and Fishery Council

IV. QUALIFICATIONS

The following are the minimum qualifications for the individual awards:

Private Sector

1. Must be a full-fledged member of the AFC (complete submission of membership requirements to the Partnership Development Division-Volunteer

Management Section);

- 2. Must not have any pending administrative or criminal case; and
- 3. Must have already joined as a member of the AFC for at least two years.

Government Sector

- 1. Must have served at least two years; and
- 2. Must not have any pending administrative or criminal case.

The AFCs, Chairpersons, REOs, and Secretariat-Coordinators who were awardees for three (3) consecutive years are declared Hall of Famers. Hall of Famers cannot join the Search for three years. The Hall of Fame award is given a year after they receive their third consecutive award.

V. PERIOD OF SEARCH

The Search will cover accomplishments from the last quarter of 2023 and the first three quarters of 2024.

VI. CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION

Attached (Annexes) are the various categories cum the corresponding criteria to determine the top three (3) finalists who pass the threshold

CATEGORY: OUTSTANDING ACHIEVER - COUNCIL RAFC, PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC, AND MAFC/CAFC

CRITERIA	POINT SYSTEM (M	lax of 100 points)
1. Conduct of executive, sectoral, and special consultation meetings	Maximum of Ten (10)) points
Evidence:	No. of meetings	Points
 Minutes/Highlights of meetings 	≥ 5	10
	4	8
	3	6
	2	4
	1	2
	1	

2. Policy resolutions endorsed in 30 days (for RAFC/PAFC/ HUCAFC/ICCAFC) copy furnished PCAF or Local Issues identified (for MAFC/CAFC);

Evidence:

- Copies of resolutions and endorsement documents
- Copies of Matrix of local issues

Maximum of Ten (10) points

RAFC (endorsed in 30 days)		
No. of Policy Resolutions	Points	
≥ 5	10	
4	8	
3	6	
2	4	
1	2	

PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC (endorsed in 30 days)		
≥ 5 10		
4	8	

3	6
2	4

MAFC/CAFC (endorsed in 30 days)	
No. of Local Issues Identified	Points
≥ 5	10
4	8
3	6
2	4

3. Adopted Policy Resolutions (for RAFC and PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC levels) / Local Issues Resolved or Policy Resolutions/Recommendations Endorsed (for MAFC/CAFC)

Adopted Resolutions - refers to policy recommendations /resolutions favorably endorsed by the DA Secretary.

Evidence (any of the following):

- Memorandum and Briefer approved by the DA
- Copy of the response letter from the concerned Agency
- Copy of the Program/Policy implemented by the concerned agency
- Matrix of Local Issues Resolved
- Endorsement Documents with a copy of Resolutions/Recommendations

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

RAFC and PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC	
No. of Policy Resolutions Adopted	Points
<u>></u> 5	15
4	12
3	9
2	6
1	3

No. of Local Issues Resolved or Policy Resolution/ Recommendation endorsed	Points
≥ 5	15

4	12
3	9
2	6
1	3

4. Alignment of policy or legislative agenda in the consultation topics

Evidence (any of the following):

- Highlights of Meeting
- Meeting Agenda
- Matrix of Regional Policy Agenda

Maximum of Ten (10) points

No. of meetings aligned with policy or legislative agenda	Points
≥ 5	15
4	12
3	9
2	6
1	3

- 5. Conduct of/participation in monitoring and validation activities such as:
 - a. Participation in the monitoring activities
 - b. Preparation of report
 - c. Conduct follow-through activities (e.g. inclusion in the meeting agenda)
 - d. Agreement on actions to be taken (as indicated in the HOM)
 - e. Action taken (e.g. coordination with concerned agencies, etc

Evidence (any of the following):

- Monitoring Report
- Highlights of the Meeting
- Any proof that supports Monitoring and Validation activities

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

No. of activities	Points
<u>≥</u> 5	15
4	12
3	9
2	6
1	3

6. Increase in AFC membership

Evidence (any of the following):

- Council Resolution
- Approved Memorandum of Membership Application

Maximum of Ten (10) points

%* Increase in Total Membership	Points
≥ 7%	10
7%	6
≤ 7%	2

*% increase from the previous year

7. Fund sourcing from DA-RFO, LGU, and other sources to augment the AFC budget

Evidence (any of the following):

- Memorandum of Agreement
- Certificate of fund support
- Work and Financial Plan
- Activity Proposal
- Accomplishment Report

Maximum of Ten (10) points

RAFC	
Fund Source	Points
International or national fund sources outside DA	10
Local fund sources outside DA	6
DA fund source only	2

	C/ICCAFC and /CAFC
Fund Source	Points
International, national, or regional fund sources outside DA	10
DA RFO and its attached bureaus and agencies	6
Local fund source	2

8. Capacity building conducted for and by the council (non-PCAF funded or with counterpart fund)

Evidence (any of the following):

- a. Majority of the council members trained:
 - Documentation of activities, Copy of request to and approval of the concerned agency, Certificate (w/ request letter or invitation), Activity Report
- b. Minority of the council member/s trained:
 - Certificate (w/request letter or invitation), Highlights of the meeting stating that the training was re-echoed

Maximum of Five (5) points

RA	FC
No. of Capacity Building Activities	Points
≥ 3	5
2	3
1	1

PAFC/HUCA	AFC/ICCAFC
<u>≥</u> 2	5
1	3

MAFC	/CAFC
≥ 1	5

9. Forging of partnership agreements with allied groups to push advocacies and expand the network initiated by the AFCs

Evidence:

 Copy of Partnership Agreements Forged

Maximum of Ten (10) points

RAFC	
No. of Partnership Agreement Forged	Points
≥ 5	10
4	8
3	6
2	4
1	2

PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC

≥ 4	10
3	8
2	6
1	4

MAFC/CAFC	
<u>≥</u> 3	10
<u>2</u>	6
<u>1</u>	4

10. Mainstreaming of GESI

Evidence (any of the following):
• Highlights of Meeting

- Agenda
- Other Proof of Documentation (Photo with narrative)

No. of Consultations with GESI Agenda	Points
≥ 2	2
1	1

Other Activities Related to GESI	Points
≥1	3

CATEGORY: OUTSTANDING ACHIEVER - SECTORAL COMMITTEES (RAFC AND PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC)

CRITERIA	POINT SYSTEM (N	lax of 100 points)
1. Conduct of sectoral meetings	Maximum of Twenty	r-Five (25) points
Evidence: • Minutes/Highlights of meetings	No. of meetings	Points
, 6 6 , 6	≥ 3	25
	2	20
	1	15

2. Policy Resolutions/Recommendations endorsed to ExeCom

Evidence:

 Copies of resolutions and endorsement documents

Maximum of Twenty-Five (25) points

No. of Policy Resolutions	Points
≥ 3	25
2	20
1	15

3. Adopted Policy Resolutions

Adopted Resolutions - refers to policy recommendations /resolutions favorably endorsed by the DA Secretary

Evidence (if applicable):

- Copy of Policy Resolutions
- Memorandum and Briefer approved by the DA
- Copy of the response letter from the concerned Agency

Maximum of Twenty-Five (25) points

Points
25
20
15

- Copy of the Program/Policy implemented by the concerned agency
- 4. Mainstreaming of AFC advocacies with LGUs, NGAs, and other NGOs (e.g., dialogues, FGD, interviews, distribution of advocacy materials, and related activities)

AFC advocacies Mainstreaming promoting inclusive means agriculture fisheries and development by ensuring local stakeholders' voices and priorities are heard. Through public gatherings and media exposure, AFCs engage diverse audiences and promote the AFC brand as a tool to influence decision-making at all levels.

Evidence:

- Any documentation of activities for public gatherings/activities
- Media Appearances (e.g. print, radio, local TV, social media)

Maximum of Twenty-Five (25) points

No. of Advocacy Activities	Points
≥ 3	25
2	20
1	15

CATEGORY: OUTSTANDING CHAIRPERSONS RAFC, PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC, AND MAFC/CAFC

CRITERIA	POINT SYSTEM (M	lax of 100 points)
1. Conduct of executive, sectoral, and special consultation meetings	Maximum of Ten (10)) points
Evidence:	No. of meetings	Points
 Minutes/Highlights of meetings 	≥ 5	10
	4	8
,	3	6
	2	4
	1	2

2. Policy Resolutions endorsed in 30 days (for RAFC/PAFC/ HUCAFC/ICCAFC) or Local Issues identified (for MAFC/CAFC);

Evidence:

- Copies of resolutions and endorsement documents
- Copies of Matrix of local issues

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

RAFC and PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC	
No. of Policy Points Resolutions	
≥ 5 15	
4	12
3	9
2	6
1	3

MAFC/CAFC (endorsed in 30 days)	
No. of Local Issues Points Identified	
≥ 5 15	

4	12
3	9
2	6

- 3. Conduct of/participation in monitoring and validation activities such as:
 - a. Participation in the monitoring activities
 - b. Preparation of report
 - c. Conduct follow-through activities (e.g. inclusion in the meeting agenda)
 - d. Agreement on actions to be taken (as indicated in the HOM)
 - e. Action taken (e.g. coordination with concerned agencies, etc

Evidence (any of the following):

- Monitoring Report
- Highlights of the Meeting
- Any proof that supports Monitoring and Validation activities

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

No. of activities	Points
≥ 5	15
4	12
3	9
2	6
1	3

4. Mainstreaming of AFC advocacies (except GESI-related advocacies)

AFC advocacies Mainstreaming inclusive means promoting agriculture fisheries and development by ensuring local stakeholders' voices and priorities are heard. Through public gatherings and media exposure, AFCs engage diverse audiences and promote the AFC brand as a tool to influence decision-making at all levels.

Evidence (any of the following):

- Any documentation of activities for public gatherings/activities
- Media Appearances (e.g. newspaper, radio, local TV)
- Highlights of Meeting

No. of Advocacy Activities	Points
<u>≥</u> 5	5
4	4
3	3
2	2
1	1

5. Mainstreaming of GESI

Evidence (any of the following):

- Highlights of Meeting
- Agenda
- Other Proof of Documentation (Photo with narrative)

Maximum of Five (5) points

No. of Consultations with GESI Agenda	Points
≥ 2	2
1	1

Other Activities Related to GESI	Points
≥ 1	3

6. Fund sourcing from DA-RFO, LGU, and other sources to augment AFC budget

Evidence (any of the following):

- Memorandum of Agreement
- Certificate of fund support
- Work and Financial Plan
- Activity Proposal
- Accomplishment Report

Maximum of Ten (10) points

RAFC	
Fund Source	Points
International or national fund sources outside DA	10
Local fund sources outside DA	6
DA fund source only	2

PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC and MAFC/CAFC	
Fund Source	Points
International, national, or regional fund sources outside DA	10

DA RFO and its attached bureaus and agencies	6
Local fund sources	2

7. Membership/Participation in Local Development Council (LDC) and other similar groups

Evidence (any of the following):
• Certification of Membership

- Photos with narrative
- Proof of Attendance

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

Government	Points
Membership and participation in the LDC/BEDC or other similar groups (e.g.: PDC, LPPC)	7
Participation in other gov't activities (e.g.: DepEd, DOH, DILG, DAR, DENR, etc.)	5

CSOs/NGOs	Points
Membership and participation in Civic/Non Government/Peop le/Voluntary Organizations (e.g.: Pilipinas Kontra Gutom, Rotary Club, Unicef, World Vision)	8
Participation in Civic/Non Government/Peop le/Voluntary Organizations (e.g.: rescue,	4

calamity,	
rehabilitation,	
outreach	
programs)	

8. Acted as Resource Person in Training, Congress, Fora. etc.

Resource persons are invited to contribute their insights, provide information, answer questions, or offer guidance on topics within their expertise.

Evidence (any of the following):

- Copy of Certificates of Appreciation as a Resource Person
- Programme or Photos with narrative

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

RAFC	
Scope of Activity	Points
International	5
National	4
Regional	3
Provincial	2
Municipal	1

PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC		
International and 7 National		
Regional	5	
Provincial	2	
Municipal	1	

MAFC/CAFC		
International, National, and Regional	7	
Provincial	5	
Municipal	2	
Barangay./District	1	

9. Other Individual Awards and Recognition Received

Awards or recognitions for outstanding contributions to the community, innovative ideas, excellent performance, service contributions, or outstanding leadership qualities

Maximum	of	Five	(5)	points

Awards/Recogniti on	Points
Awardee	5
Nominee	1

Evidence (any of the following):

- Certificates
- Plaques
- Trophies
- Medals

10. Conduct of/participation in Community Service (other than AFC activities)

Community service refers to voluntary work or activities undertaken within a community, utilizing one's time, skills, and resources

Evidence (any of the following):

- Documentation of Activities
- Highlights of Meeting
- Recognition or Certificate of Participation
- Photo with narrative

RAFC and PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC		
No. of Community Points Service Conducted		
<u>≥</u> 5	5	
3-4	3	
1-2	1	

MAFC/CAFC		
≥2	5	
1	3	

CATEGORY: OUTSTANDING RAFC EXECUTIVE OFFICER

CRITERIA	POINT SYSTEM (Max of 100 points)
1. Fund sourcing from DA-RFO, LGU, and other sources to augment the AFC	Maximum of Ten (10) points
budget	Fund Source Points
 Evidence (any of the following): Resolution Memorandum of Agreement Certificate of Fund Support Work and Financial Plan Activity Proposal Accomplishment Report 	International or 10 national fund sources outside DA
	Local fund 5 sources outside DA
	DA fund source 2 only

2. Adherence to the provisions in their duties & responsibilities based on the Guidelines on the Engagement of Consultative Bodies

Evidence:

- Any evidence that supports the accomplishment
- Highlights of Meeting

Maximum of Twenty-Five (25) points

No. of Duties and Responsibilities Accomplished	Points
≥ 7	20
6	16
5	12
4	8
<u>≤</u> 3	4

Conduct of RAFC Meeting	Points
100% Conducted as scheduled based on GoECB	5

3. Compliance and adherence to Consultation and Monitoring Activities

Evidence (any of the following):

- Highlights of Meeting
- Monitoring Report
- Participation to Activity Report
- Approved Work and Financial Plan

Maximum of Twenty (20) points

Activities conducted based on the WFPs as scheduled (Physical Accomplishments)

No. of Consultations Conducted	Points
<u>≥</u> 6	15
5	12
4	9
3	6
≤ 2	3

Monitoring Activities	Points
Conducted of/participated	5

4. Budget Utilization Rate (BUR) of funds from PCAF

Evidence:

 Certification from Regional Budget Officer

Maximum of Ten (10) points

Obligation Rate	Points
95-100%	10
75-74%	7
≤ 74%	5

5. Membership and Participation in Civic / Non-Government / People / Voluntary Organizations

Evidence:

- Certification of Membership
- Photos with narrative

Maximum of Ten (10) points

Indicator	Points
Membership and participation in	10

Civic/Non-Govern ment/People/Volu ntary Organizations	
Participation in Civic/Non-Govern ment/People/Volu ntary Organizations (e.g.: rescue, calamity, recovery, rehabilitation, outreach programs)	5

6. Acted as Resource Person in Training, Congress, Fora. etc.

Resource persons are invited to contribute their insights, provide information, answer questions, or offer guidance on topics within their expertise.

Evidence (any of the following):

- Copy of Certificates of Appreciation as Resource Person
- Programme or Photos with narrative

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

Scope of Activity	Points
International	5
National	4
Regional	3
Provincial	2
Municipal	1

7. Mainstreaming of AFC advocacies (except GESI-related advocacies)

AFC advocacies Mainstreaming means promoting inclusive agriculture and fisheries development by ensuring local stakeholders' voices and priorities are heard. Through public gatherings and media exposure, AFCs engage diverse audiences and promote the AFC brand as a tool to influence decision-making at all levels.

No. of Advocacy Activities	Points
<u>≥</u> 5	5
4	4
3	3
2	2
1	1

Evidence (any of the following):

- Documentation of activities (photos with caption)
- Media Appearances (e.g. newspaper, radio, local TV)
- Highlights of Meeting

8. Mainstreaming of GESI

Evidence (any of the following):

- Highlights of Meeting
- Agenda
- Other Proof of Documentation (Photo with caption)

No. of Consultations with GESI Agenda	Points
≥ 2	2
1	1

Other Activities Related to GESI	Points
≥1	3

CATEGORY: OUTSTANDING SECRETARIAT-COORDINATOR RAFC, PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC, AND MAFC/CAFC

CRITERIA	POINT SYSTEM (N	Max of 100 points)	
1. Fund sourcing from DA-RFO, LGU, and other sources to augment the AFC	Maximum of Fifteen (15) points		
budget	RAFC		
Evidence (any of the following):	Fund Source	Points	
 Resolution Memorandum of Agreement Certificate of Fund Support Work and Financial Plan Activity Proposal Accomplishment Report 	International or national fund sources outside DA	10	
	Local fund sources outside DA	5	
	DA fund source only	2	
	PAFC/HUCAFC MAFC		
	Fund Source	Points	
	International or national fund sources outside DA	15	
	DA RFO and its attached bureaus and agencies	9	
	Local fund sources	3	

2.	Facilitatio	on	of	th	e	conduct	of
con	sultation	act	ivities	S	(for	RAFC	and
PAF	C/HUCAF	C/I	CCAF	C le	evel	s only)	

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

Evidence:

• Minutes/Highlights of meetings

No. of meetings	Points
≥ 5	15
4	12
3	9
2	6
1	3

3. Policy Resolutions (for RAFC and PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC levels) / Local Issues Identified (for MAFC/CAFC)

Evidence (any of the following):

- Endorsement Documents with copy of Resolutions/Recommendations
- Matrix of Local Issues Resolved

Maximum of Twenty (20) points

RAFC and PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC (endorsed in 30 days)		
No. of Policy Resolutions	Points	
≥ 5	20	
4	16	
3	12	
2	8	
1	4	

MAFC/CAFC		
Local Issues Identified	Points	
<u>≥</u> 5	20	
4	16	
3	12	
2	8	
1	4	

4. Adherence to the provisions in their duties & responsibilities based on the Guidelines on the Engagement of Consultative Bodies

Evidence:

• Any evidence that supports accomplishment

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

No. of Duties and Responsibilities Accomplished	Points
≥ 17	15
15-16	12
13-14	9
11-12	6
≤ 10	3

5. Membership and Participation in Civic / Non-Government / People / Voluntary Organizations

Evidence:

- Certification of Membership
- Photos with narrative

Maximum of Ten (10) points

Indicator	Points
Membership and participation in Civic/Non-Govern ment/People/Volu ntary Organizations	10
Participation in Civic/Non-Govern ment/People/Volu ntary Organizations (e.g.: rescue, calamity, recovery, rehabilitation, outreach programs)	5

8. Acted as Resource Person in Training, Congress, Fora. etc.

Resource persons are invited to contribute their insights, provide information, answer questions, or offer guidance on topics within their expertise.

Evidence (any of the following):

- Copy of Certificates of Appreciation as Resource Person
- Programme or Photos with narrative

Maximum of Fifteen (15) points

RAFC	
Scope of Activity	Points
International	5
National	4
Regional	3
Provincial	2
Municipal	1

PAFC/HUCAFC/ICCAFC	
International and National	7
Regional	5
Provincial	2
Municipal	1

MAFC/CAFC	
International, National, and Regional	7
Provincial	5
Municipal	2
Barangay./District	1

7. Mainstreaming of AFC advocacies (except GESI related advocacies)

Mainstreaming AFC advocacies means promoting inclusive agriculture and fisheries development by ensuring local stakeholders' voices and priorities

No. of Advocacy Activities	Points
≥ 5	5

are heard. Through public gatherings and media exposure, AFCs engage diverse audiences and promote the AFC brand as a tool to influence decision-making at all levels.

4	4
3	3
2	2
1	1

Evidence (any of the following):

- Documentation of activities (photos with narrative)
- Media Appearances (e.g. newspaper, radio, local TV)
- Highlights of Meeting

8. Mainstreaming of GESI

Evidence (any of the following):

- Highlights of Meeting
- Agenda
- Other Proof of Documentation (Photo with narrative)

No. of Consultations with GESI Agenda	Points
≥ 2	2
1	1

Other Activities Related to GESI	Points
≥1	3

NEXT LEVEL CRITERIA FOR SHORTLIST NOMINEES

WENT DEVELOREMENT OR SHORTERST NOWINGLES	
CRITERIA	CATEGORIES
 1. Timeliness (submission of documents on or before the set deadline and conduct of consultation and monitoring activities as scheduled) Means of verification: Minutes/Highlights of meetings Resolutions Monitoring Reports (30 working days after the conduct of the activity) Revalidation Report (REO) 	a. Outstanding AFC Council b. Outstanding AFC Sectoral Committee c. Outstanding AFC Chairpersons d. Outstanding RAFC Executive Officer e. Outstanding Secretariat-Coordinators
2. Implementation of Policy Resolutions Adopted	a. Outstanding AFC b. Outstanding AFC Sectoral Committee c. Outstanding AFC Chairpersons

Means of verification:

- Ordinances
- Executive Orders
- Provincial/Municipal Resolutions
- Special Order with Accomplishment Report
- Guidelines

- d. Outstanding RAFC Executive Officer
- e. Outstanding Secretariat-Coordinators

3. Impact and Results of Adopted Policies

Means of verification:

- Narrative Report
- Articles
- Any documents that support the criteria
- a. Outstanding AFC Council
- b. Outstanding AFC Sectoral Committee
- c. Outstanding AFC Chairpersons
- d. Outstanding RAFC Executive Officer
- e. Outstanding Secretariat-Coordinators
- 4. Stakeholder/Community Engagement (impact/result of the forged partnership agreement)
- a. Outstanding AFC
- b. Outstanding AFC Chairpersons
- c. Outstanding Secretariat-Coordinators

Means of verification:

 Documentation (i.e. terminal reports, progress reports,

photo/video documentation or any evidence that supports the impact	
5. Recognition and Awards outside AFC Means of verification:	a. Outstanding AFC Council b. Outstanding AFC Sectoral Committee c. Outstanding AFC Chairpersons d. Outstanding RAFC Executive Officer e. Outstanding Secretariat-Coordinators
6. Sustainability of the implemented policy/project Means of verification: Documents that support the criteria	a. Outstanding AFC Council b. Outstanding AFC Sectoral Committee c. Outstanding AFC Chairpersons d. Outstanding RAFC Executive Officer e. Outstanding Secretariat-Coordinators
7. Organization/Reactivation of AFCs	a. Outstanding AFC b. Outstanding AFC Chairpersons
8. Systematic and organized maintenance of records and data recording (Coordinator) proof: any documents that support the criteria Means of verification: • Filed VMS Forms • Filed Meeting Outputs • Filed Highlights of Meeting with Attendance Sheet	a. Outstanding Secretariat-Coordinators
9. Ethical Conduct and Integrity	a. Outstanding AFC Council b. Outstanding AFC Sectoral Committee c. Outstanding AFC Chairpersons d. Outstanding RAFC Executive Officer e. Outstanding Secretariat-Coordinators
10. 100% Disbursement of Prior Year's End Release (for REO)	a. Outstanding RAFC Executive Officer