



PEMERINTAH PROVINSI PAPUA BARAT
DINAS KELAUTAN DAN PERIKANAN
UNIT PELAKSANA TEKNIS DAERAH
PENGELOLAAN KAWASAN KONSERVASI PERAIRAN
KEPULAUAN RAJA AMPAT

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Attachment : 1 (one) page
Subject : *Supervision, Control, Utilization of Raja Ampat Islands Marine Protected Areas*

To whom it may concern

1. Owners of Tourism Vessel/LoB
2. Owners of Resort/Homestay
3. Management of HPI Raja Ampat
4. Dive Center Management
5. Other users of Raja Ampat Islands Marine Protected Areas

CIRCULAR LETTER

Basis:

1. Act No. 23 of the Year 2014 on Regional Government;
2. Government Regulation No. 60 of the Year 2007 on Conservation of Fishery Resources;
3. Minister of Marine and Fisheries Regulation No. 47 of the Year 2016 on Utilization of Marine Protected Area;
4. Governor of West Papua Regulation No. 4 of the Year 2019 on Environmental Service Fee on Raja Ampat Islands MPA's BLUD UPTD;
5. Governor of West Papua Decree No. 523/124/7/2019 on Zoning and Management Plan of Raja Ampat Islands' MPA in West Papua Province.

In relation with the implementation of "Tourism's New Normal in Raja Ampat" we need to convey the following:

1. Each domestic/international user/tourist, researcher/surveyor are obliged to obtain entry permit, which is the Environmental Service Fee card, to enter Raja Ampat Islands Marine Protected Areas (MPAs);
2. In cooperation with Raja Ampat Tourism Agency, and as a part of the recently implemented one gate service system, Raja Ampat Islands' BLUD UPTD KKP Kepulauan Raja Ampat (Raja Ampat Islands' MPAs management unit) will reactivate Environmental Service Fee's Post in Falaya
3. Service related to purchase of Environmental Service Fee for domestic/international visitors is applicable in Raja Ampat (tentative):
 - a. IDR 425,000 for domestic/local tourist/researcher;
 - b. IDR 700,000 for international tourist/researcher.
4. The aforementioned fee are obligatory for each person benefitting, entering, visiting Raja Ampat Islands' MPAs for the purpose of tourism, ecotourism, or research;
5. Environmental Service Fee card can be purchased through:
 - a. E-mail to environmentalfee.r4@gmail.com;
 - b. Contact telephone number +62 821 3405 9338 (Allan/Yoan);
 - c. Visit Raja Ampat Islands MPAs management unit's temporary office at Jenderal Sudirman Street, Waisai – District of Waisai – Raja Ampat Regency (see site plan on Attachment I)
6. The Raja Ampat Islands MPAs management unit's Jaga Laut (rangers) conduct supervision, control of utilization by checking Environmental Service Fee card in dive sites with high utilization intensity or other marine tourism objects within the MPAs;

7. Limitation of dive spots' utilization of maximum 5 daily trips per day with 10 divers maximum each trip;
8. Maximum 2 boats per trip allowed in a dive site;
9. Each dive guide is responsible for maximum 3 to 5 divers;
10. Glove, stick, spear gun are not allowed to be carried/used;
11. Underwater cameras' flash cover is obligatory;
12. Standard operating procedures from each dive center, diving association are applicable as long as not in conflict with existing regulation applies within MPAs;
13. Implementation of Covid-19 health protocol issued by the Raja Ampat Regency is obligatory.

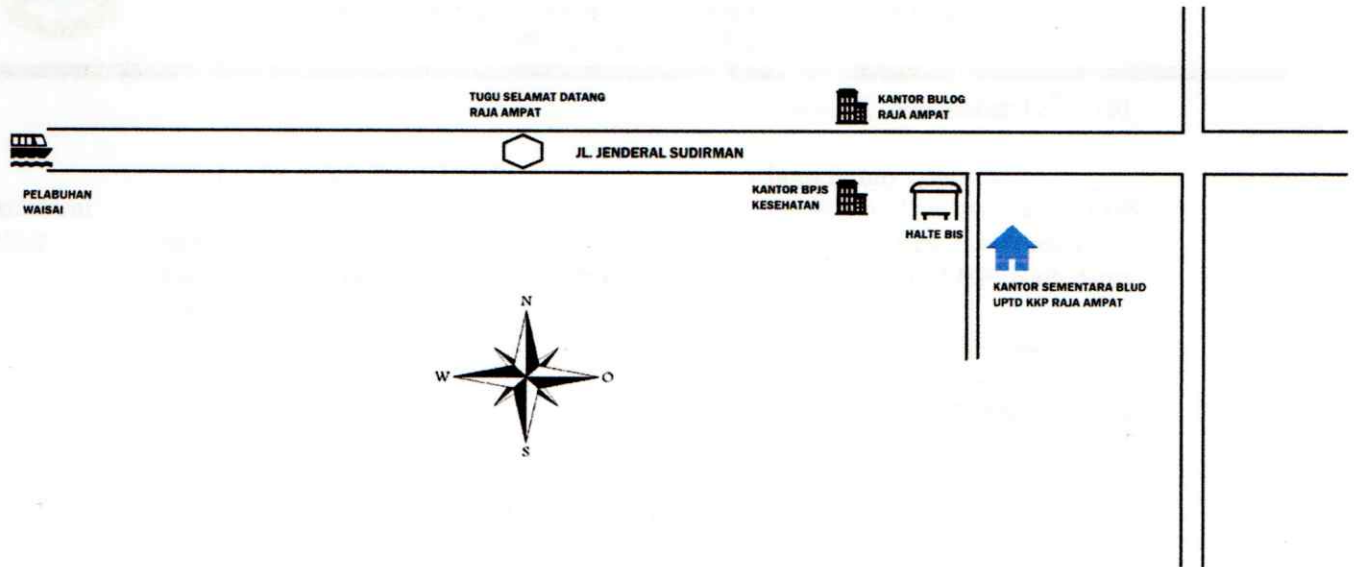
Thank you


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Copy of letter:

1. Governor of West Papua in Manokwari (as a report);
2. Secretary of West Papua Province in Manokwari;
3. West Papua's Head of Marine and Fisheries Agency in Manokwari;
4. West Papua's Head of Tourism Agency in Manokwari;
5. Raja Ampat's Tourism Agency in Waisai;
6. Head of the Saonek's Class III Port Operator Unit in Waisai;
7. Archive.

Attachment I: Site Plan of Raja Ampat Islands MPAs Management Unit's Temporary Office



Port of Waisai – Welcome to Raja Ampat Monument – Jenderal Sudirman Street – BPJS Kesehatan Office – Raja Ampat's BULOG Office – Bus Stop – Raja Ampat Islands MPAs Management Unit's Temporary Office