



**Environmental Management Bureau – CALABARZON Region** through its Environmental Education and Information Section celebrated Earth Day and Month of Planet Earth by organizing an Online Short Story Writing Contest via their official Facebook page In April 2022 to tap into the enthusiasm and creativity of the youth in order to emphasize planet Earth's sustainability and how we can make the world a better place through short story writing. It aspires to motivate the society to learn from young people and consider how each of us may make a difference in the world. Three (3) winners were announced on May 6, 2021, namely: Mary Clarisse Besares from Iloilo, 1<sup>st</sup> prize; Renz Marelle Noval from General Santos, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize; and Airon Sire Adan from Batangas, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize. Each winners received Certificate of Recognition and cash prize of Php 20,000, Php 15,000 and Php 10,000 respectively.