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DAVAO CITY – The Philippine Eagle Foundation (PEF) is knocking to everyone’s heart for donations, to sustain the needs of the eagles and other wildlife at Philippine Eagle Center (PEC) in Barangay Malagos in Calinan District of this city.

As the battle against coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) continues, the government has no choice but to take the necessary measures, including the prohibition of gatherings and travel for leisure, to ensure good health and safety of everyone.

The announcement due to COVID-19 led to many businesses to close. And this also affects the income of the zoos and conservation centers around the world like PEC, which rely on visitors’ admission fees for their maintenance.

PEF confirmed the indefinite closure of the center in a statement. It said that with the temporary closure of the PEC, comes losing the foundation’s largest source of revenue – admission to the center.

“As a non-profit organization, PEF primarily relies on this and donations to fund its day-to-day operations. With the center closed indefinitely, the foundation faces depleting resources for the food and care of over 100 animals,” the PEF said.

The PEF added that as a home to Philippine Eagles and other wildlife, the foundation needs to provide not only nourishment for these animals but also safety from threat to their health and well-being.

“Through your donations to this campaign, you can help the PEF and PEC provide the animals not only with proper care, but with the necessary measures to ensure also their safety during this difficult time,” the PEF added.

The foundation said that any amount one can spare will benefit the important work of looking after the eagles and other wildlife at the center, as they can purchase personal protective equipment (PPEs) for their animal keepers and provide daily subsistence for the animals.

It added that their animal keepers are the frontliners in conservation. They carry on with their daily tasks of taking care of the national bird, which everyone knows that is already endangered nowadays, and other animals at the PEC.

The PEC is the only breeding and rehabilitation facility for eagles. It is the home to 36 Philippine eagles and 81 endangered raptors, mammals, and reptiles. But the center had to temporarily close until further notice due to COVID-19 and avian flu.

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