



**Payment for Ecosystem Services**  
Petuanan Kataloka Marine & Coastal Ecosystem



## LET'S CONTRIBUTE FOR THE CONSERVATION OF KATALOKA'S MARINE AND COASTAL ECOSYSTEM



**Thank you for helping the conservation of one of the richest waters in Indonesia.**

The fund that you have provided will be used to support the conservation of Petuanan Kataloka's sea and coastal. This ecosystem service fund also ensures that the area can preserve its natural function in providing resources for sustainable living. Support the creation of new Marine Protected Area in Koon Island of Petuanan Kataloka to protect marine and coastal ecosystem. The land of

Petuanan Kataloka is a kingdom whose territory consists of Koon Island, Grogos Island, and a part of Gorom Island; which is also a part of Eastern Seram District, Maluku Province, Indonesia

### **Ecosystem and biodiversity services**

Koon is a 2,479.45 hectares island in Petuanan Kataloka that serves as a critical part of the coral reef in East Seram District. Koon waters is an important habitat for marine biota and various reef fish species with high economic value. Based on the initial assessment conducted by WWF-Indonesia in 2010, Koon's water area was the biggest reef fish spawning site/ aggregation in Eastern Indonesia (with a rather high indicator of total biomass/ fish species density).

### **Social and Cultural Services**

The society in Petuanan Kataloka consists of 15 clans who live in 33 Wanu (villages). They have known the local wisdom Ngam – also known as Sasi – since the 8th century. Through the Ngam tradition, Petuanan Kataloka established the prohibition of capturing marine resources or closing any areas to ensure a sustainable population of their marine resources.

### **Provisioning Services**

No less than 12000 people in Kataloka rely upon the sea for their livelihood. Approximately 80% of the Petuanan Kataloka people work as fishermen. The abundant results of fishery resources in Kataloka area – especially in Koon Island waters – help meet the food sector for 1.7 million people in the Maluku Province.



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**YOUR VALUABLE CONTRIBUTION.** By paying for the ecosystem service, you have contributed in the conservation effort conducted by the community, such as, areal supervision, coral transplantation and nursery, mangrove tree plantation and restoration, environmental education and outreach activities, as well as development of community-based tourism.



**HOW IS THE UTILIZATION OF FUNDS THAT YOU HAVE MADE?** Leawana will manage the ecosystem service fund that will be distributed to protect the marine conservation area of Petuanan Kataloka, as well as the community activities such as custom protection; education and tourism development.



## HOW IS THE PAYMENT MECHANISM OF THE ECOSYSTEM SERVICE IN PETUANAN KATALOKA CONSERVATION AREA?

- ◆ An entrance fee is charged for all visitors who enter the marine conservation area of Petuanan Kataloka
- ◆ Based on the custom regulations of Petuanan Kataloka regarding the payment for ecosystem service applied starting from November 19th 2015, the amount of tariff imposed is as follows:
  - IDR 50,000 / person / visit-3 days for domestic tourists
  - IDR 100,000 / person / visit-3 days for foreign tourists
  - IDR 150,000 / person / year for domestic tourists
  - IDR 250,000 / person / year for foreign tourists

### Where to pay the entrance fee?

The payment can be proceeded through authorized agencies of Kataloka entrance fees who have received a mandate from the Lembaga Adat Wanu Atalo'a (Leawana). Permit can be paid for by bank transfer to: Acc no 070-000-690-1255, Mandiri Bank, PT Samudera Eco Anugrah Indonesia, or else in case in Indonesian Rupiah in Gorom.

*The mechanism of ecosystem service payment in the marine conservation area of Petuanan Kataloka was arranged by various parties, one of which is the Recreational Vessel Network (JANGKAR). This association has stated its commitment in supporting the continuous mechanism that provides benefits for the environment and the people of Petuanan Kataloka.*

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You will receive payment receipt and a bag tag to indicate the ecosystem service payment for the marine conservation area of Petuanan Kataloka.

**TAKE AN ACTION SHARE YOUR STORY ABOUT PETUANAN KATALOKA MARINE CONSERVATION AREA!**  
**EXPERIENCE MORE VISIT AND EXPLORE THE ISLANDS WITH THE COMMUNITY OF PETUANAN KATALOKA**