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22nd LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE ANNIVERSARY

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In line with the celebration of 22nd Local Government Code Anniversary, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) Region 1 is issuing this Special Edition of the Paganninawan showcasing some of the documented Performance Challenge Fund (PCF) Projects.



Presidential Proclamation No. 63, series of 1992, signed in October 2, 1992 declared October as the Local Government Month, the second week of October as the Local Government Week and the 10th day of October as Local Government Day in the country. This is in line with the signing of the Local Government Code of 1991.

The Local Government Code of 1991 strengthened local autonomy in the country by allowing local governments to innovate in transforming communities into self-sustaining and self-reliant localities.



To mark the 22nd Anniversary of the Local Government Code of the Philippines, the local governments were encouraged to showcase their programs and practices that led to good governance.

The trend of events in the last two years showed a breakdown of good governance in the three co-equal branches of government starting from the executive, judiciary, and lately in the legislative branch. However, hope springs from vibrant and strengthened democratic processes starting from the grassroots, with basic communities airing their voice and action in unison with their ideals and aspirations (vigilance and volunteerism).
(DILG PACS)



2012 PERFORMANCE CHALLENGE

LGUs/BENEFICIARIES	AMOUNT OF SUBSIDY	UTILIZED/RELEASED TO LGUs			DATE OF RELEASE
		DATE OF CHECK	CHECK NO.	AMOUNT	
ILOCOS NORTE					
PG Ilocos Norte	7,000,000.00	December 28, 2012	1156628	7,000,000.00	March 8, 2013
1. BACARRA	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125742	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
2. BADOCS	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125758	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
3. DINGRAS	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125718	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
4. SAN NICOLAS	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125719	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
5. SOLSONA	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125743	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
6. VINTAR	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125734	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
7. BATAK CITY	3,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125741	3,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
8. LAOAG CITY	3,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125717	3,000,000.00	July 10, 2012

FUND IMPLEMENTATION STATUS

LGU'S OFFICIAL RECEIPT NO.	PROPOSED PROJECTS			REMARKS Project Duration
	PROJECT TITLE/DESCRIPTION	PROJECT COST		
		LGU COUNTERPART	PCF COUNTERPART	
897015	Continuation of UNESCO Heritage Site commercial Archade and Plaza Arcade, Phase III	7,000,000.00	7,000,000.00	on-going
0565905	Concrete paving of Various barangay roads at Brgy. 19 Nambaran, 19A Tambidao, 21 Libtong, 26 Teppang & 29 Pasngal			
	1. Brgy. 19 Nambaran		200,000.00	100% Completed
	2. Brgy. 19A Tambidao		200,000.00	100% Completed
	3. Brgy. 21 Libtong		200,000.00	100% Completed
	4. Brgy. 26 Teppang		200,000.00	100% Completed
	5. Brgy. 29 Pasngal		200,000.00	100% Completed
06100701	Rehabilitation/Improvement of Luna Park(Phase II)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
1049170	Improvement of FMR at Brgys. Mandaloque-Sagpatan Road & Lanas-Elizabeth Road		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
0769011	Concreting of FMR at Sitio 1 of Brgy. 16, San Marcos		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
3041389	Improvement of FMR of Brgys. Aguitap & Darasdas		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
2092384	Asphalting/ Improvement of the Alejo Malasig-Margaay FMR (Brgy. 7 Alejo Malasig)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
0203703	Concreting of FMR of 30 Farming Barangays	3,000,000.00	3,000,000.00	100% Completed
0489823	Purchase of Medical Equipment for the Laoag City General Hospital	356,000.00	3,000,000.00	100% Completed

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LA UNION					
PG La Union	7,000,000.00	December 28, 2012	1156630	7,000,000.00	February 14, 2013
1. AGOO	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125722	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
2. ARINGAY	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125747	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
3. BACNOTAN	1,000,000.00	August 13, 2012	1125774	1,000,000.00	August 28, 2012
4. BALAOAN	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125749	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
5. BANGAR	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125748	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
6. BAUANG	1,000,000.00	July 30, 2012	1125769	1,000,000.00	July 31, 2012
7. LUNA	1,000,000.00	July 24, 2012	1125768	1,000,000.00	August 6, 2012
8. NAGUILLIAN	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	112746	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
9. ROSARIO	1,000,000.00	August 6, 2012	1125771	1,000,000.00	August 7, 2012
10. SAN JUAN	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125725	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012

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	PROJECT TITLE/DESCRIPTION	PROJECT COST		
		LGU COUNTERPART	PCF COUNTERPART	
				100% Completed
7627161	Construction of Wastewater Treatment Facility, Bacnotan District (Phase I), Bacnotan, La Union		2,500,000.00	100% Completed
	Construction of LUMC Water System (Transmission Line), Agoo, La Union		2,200,000.00	100% Completed
	Concreting of Siboaan-otong-Masicong Cabarsican Farm to Market Road, San Fernando city, La Union		1,336,000.00	100% Completed
	Construction of Perimeter Fence at Mabanag Quadrangle, San Fernando City, La Union		964,000.00	100% Completed
6804590	1. Rip-rapping of Irrigation @ San Jose Sur along San Jose-San Joaquin Elementary School		350,000.00	100% Completed
	2. Construction/Improvement of Barangay Health Center @ San Roque West		455,000.00	100% Completed
	2. Construction/Improvement of Barangay Health Center @ San Nicolas East		195,000.00	100% Completed
				100% Completed
				100% Completed
7076052	Concrete paving of Aringay-Tubao Road		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6243896	1. Mushroom Production and Expansion of Mushroom Rearing Building		500,000.00	100% Completed
	2. Apiculture Technology as a Tool for Rural Development		500,000.00	100% Completed
6766677	Rehabilitation of Rural Health Unit Building (Phase 2)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
7406565	Construction of Farmer's Trading Center		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
5306975	Improvement of Bauang RHU Building & Senior Citizen center/ Doña Corazon Campos Ortega Lying-In, Maaternity, Geriatrics & Therapeutic Center		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6464040	Procurement of Slaughter Facilities including Installation (Hog and Cattle Dressing Equipment and other Accessories)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
7294676	Construction of Two-Storey Health Center (Phase 1)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
7434117	Improvement of Barangay Road-Brgy. Marcos, Rosario		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
7417601	Rehabilitation of the Health Center	447,000.00	1,000,000.00	100% Completed



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11. SAN FERNANDO CITY	3,000,000.00	August 7, 2012	1125773	3,000,000.00	August 8, 2012
12. PUGO (2011)	1,000,000.00	Sept. 28, 2012	1155945	1,000,000.00	October 15, 2013
PANGASINAN					
PG Pangasinan	7,000,000.00	December 28, 2012	1156631	7,000,000.00	March 11, 2013
AGNO	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125756	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
AGUILAR	1,000,000.00	July 11, 2012	1125765	1,000,000.00	July 13, 2012
ALCALA	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125754	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
ANDA	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125759	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
ASINGAN	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125752	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
BANI	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125732	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
BINMALEY	1,000,000.00				
BOLINAO	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125727	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
BUGALLON	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125762	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
CALASIAO	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125736	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012

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7475601	Construction of Drainage Canal, Road Widening and improvement of Tanqui-Subuan-Otong Road (Tanqui Portion)		3,000,000.00	100% Completed
7303848	Construction of Slaughterhouse	3,000,000.00	1,000,000.00	on-going
				100% Completed
3406504	Construction Of Tambobong-Bobonot Road, Dasol		7,000,000.00	100% Completed
2786814	Construction/ Improvement of Concrete Cottage		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6411796	Construction of Open Market Building/Trading Post (Phase I)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6336165	1) Construction of drainage System in Brgys Poblacion west and San Juan		400,000.00	100% Completed
	2) Completion of the Municipal Slaughterhouse		250,000.00	100% Completed
	3) Concreting of FMR in Brgy. Caranglaan		100,000.00	100% Completed
	4) Regravelling of Various FMR - Brgys. Pindangan west, Bersamin, San Pedro Apartado, Canarvacanan & Vacante		250,000.00	100% Completed
9111853	1) Improvement/Rehabilitation & Concreting of Namagbagan-Agoso Sabli Road		500,000.00	100% Completed
	2) Improvement/Rehabilitation & Concreting of San Jose Cabungan Road		500,000.00	100% Completed
6679892	1) Construction (Phase 2) of 2-Classroom Building at the Teofilo Gante Elementary School		500,000.00	100% Completed
	Construction of Comfort Room at the Public Plaza		250,000.00	100% Completed
	Reblocking of Cerezo Street	50,000.00	250,000.00	100% Completed
7028406	Solis Waste Management Program (Fencing of Dumpsite and & Improvement of MRF)			100% Completed
	1) Brgy. Quinaoayanan - fencing of dumpsite		300,000.00	100% Completed
	2) Brgy. Arwas - repair/enhancement of MRF		700,000.00	100% Completed
3748739	Bolinao Water System Level III Expansion Project		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6640846	Construction of Multi-Purpose Livestock Market Building (Phase II)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
0662551	Improvement of FMR @ Brgy. Songkoy (Sitio Buca Road connecting Callejon 3& 4- Phase i)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed

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DASOL	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125757	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
INFANTA	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125731	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
LINGAYEN	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125721	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
MABINI	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125733	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
MALASIQUI	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125739	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
MANGALDAN	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125730	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
MANGATAREM	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125729	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
MAPANDAN	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125745	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
POZORRUBIO	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125726	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
ROSALES	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125753	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
SAN FABIAN	1,000,000.00				
SAN JACINTO	1,000,000.00				
SAN NICOLAS	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125755	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
SAN QUINTIN	1,000,000.00	July 19, 2012	1125767	1,000,000.00	August 1, 2012
SISON	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125723	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
TAYUG	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125724	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
UMINGAN	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125763	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
URBIZTONDO	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125720	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012

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5933536	Concreting of FMR @ Sitio Tagalog, Amalbalan		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
7343920	Concreting of FMR @ Sitio Tabtaban, Brgy. Bamban to Sitio Maringindingin, Brgy. Patima	600,000.00	1,000,000.00	100% Completed
1059044	Construction of Slope Protection(Riverbank Protection) at Agno Revier Aliwekwek Section		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
4705151	Concreting of Barlo- San Pedro Barangay Road	1,300,610.00	1,000,000.00	100% Completed
925825	Concreting of FMR at Brgys. Cabatling & Malimpec			100% Completed
2140441	Rehabilitation of the Magaldan Slaughterhouse (Repair & Replacement of Slaughterhouse Roofing)	1,000,000.00	1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6977796	Concrete Paving of Martinez-Solis Road @ Brgy. Torre II		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6992851	Improvement of Mapandan Slaughterhouse Facility to Double "A" Standard (Phase I)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6800301	Widening and Concreting of FMR leading to Brgys. Inoman & Sugcong	50,000.00	1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6973366	Concreting of the Eco-tourism Road in Brgy. Acop		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
				100% Completed
				100% Completed
6999801	Improvement of San Nicolas Multi-purpose Covered Gym(Construction of concrete bleachers)	620,000.00	1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6935951	Concreting of Barangay Roads (Gonzalo-Nangapugan-Dipalo Road)		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
7002651	Level II Potable Water Supply Project @ Brgys. Poblacion Norte & Caurigan		500,000.00	100% Completed
	Improvement/Rehabilitation of the Municipal Health Center and Construction of Birthing Area in the MHC	200,000.00	500,000.00	100% Completed
7967374	Installation of Streetlighting System @ Brgys. Barangobong, Magallanes, Poblacion A, poblacion B & Poblacion C		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
4800631	Construction of Multi-Purpose Building (Phase I)	1,000,000.00	1,000,000.00	100% Completed
6932180	Extension of Water Transmission Line		1,000,000.00	100% Completed

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VILLASIS	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125735	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
DAGUPAN CITY	3,000,000.00	September 6, 2012	1125785	3,000,000.00	September 6, 2012
SAN CARLOS CITY	3,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125764	3,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
URDANETA CITY	3,000,000.00	July 6, 2011	1125744	3,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
TOTAL	96,000,000.00			93,000,000.00	

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ILOCOS SUR					
PG Ilocos Sur	7,000,000.00	December 28, 2012	1156629	7,000,000.00	February 18, 2013
1. BANTAY	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125714	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
2. CABUGAO	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125751	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
3. MAGSINGAL	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125738	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
4. NARVACAN	1,000,000.00	July 19, 2012	1125766	1,000,000.00	July 23, 2012
5. SAN JUAN	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125716	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
6. STA. CRUZ	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125737	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
7. STA. LUCIA	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125750	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
8. STA. MARIA	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125715	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
9. SINAIT	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125712	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
10. STO. DOMINGO	1,000,000.00	July 6, 2012	1125713	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012
11. TAGUDIN	1,000,000.00	July 9, 2012	1125760	1,000,000.00	July 10, 2012

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	PROJECT TITLE/DESCRIPTION	PROJECT COST		
		LGU COUNTERPART	PCF COUNTERPART	
6100311	Widening & Concreting of Sta. Cruz Street with Drainage Construction	100,000.00	1,000,000.00	100% Completed
882598	Revival of Dead Creeks (Construction of Lateral Drainage at Santiago Creek)	11,261.76	3,000,000.00	100% Completed
1463360	Construction of Rural Health Center @ Brgy. Agdao		3,000,000.00	100% Completed
677432	Construction of a Two-Storey CDRRMC Multi-Purpose Building	1,000,000.00	3,000,000.00	40% - on-going

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	PROJECT TITLE/DESCRIPTION	PROJECT COST		
		LGU COUNTERPART	PCF COUNTERPART	
				100% Completed
1474988	Concreting of Farm to Market Road (3 Brgys.)		7,000,000.00	100% Completed
946867	Construction of Flood Control Project @ Brgy. Bulag & Cabalanggan		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
1122449	Construction of Storm Drainage via Covered Canal @ Brgy. Bonifacio		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
1250951	Concreting of Brgy. Manzante FMR		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
0621414	Development of Bantay Abot as Tourism Destination - Construction of six (6) units food stalls		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
893554	Construction of Flood Control along Brgy. Cabanglutan and Camindoroan		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
1145030	Road Concreting of Mantanas Road, Sevilla		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
1164176	Construction/Rehabilitation of Drainage Canals @ Brgy. Barangobong		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
1269351	Road Concreting going to Sanitary Landfill		1,000,000.00	100% Completed
1072559	Concreting of FMR @ Brgy. Cabangtalan			100% Completed
1199602	Construction of Business Development Center	1,535,058.58	1,000,000.00	100% Completed
1239479	Concreting of Ambalayay Sitio Pandayan FMR		150,000.00	100% Completed
	Concreting of Ambalayay-Pallogan Approach		150,000.00	100% Completed
	Procurement of One Unit Meat Van		700,000.00	100% Completed



Concreting of Cabusligan – Guimod Tay-ac – Lingsat Farm to Market Road

Province of
Ilocos Sur

LG00 V CYNTHIA P. PE BENITO

Objectives of the Project

To provide the residents a better and safe road to easily transport their farm produce and cut the cost of transportation by 15%.

Background

The access road which traverses the four (4) barangays, stretching about 2 kilometers, is dusty and rough. An estimate of 9,247 residents from 9 Barangays, namely: Guimod, Cabusligan, Tay-ac, Lingsat, Capangdanan, Sagneb, An-annam, Quimmarayan and Malingeb, benefited of the project.

Strategies of Implementation

The Provincial Engineering Office directly supervised the implementation of the Project. The Project Committee (PMC) closely monitored to ensure 100% completion and to make sure that the contractor complied with the specifications. The project was completed at earlier time than the target date.

Impact

The project provided more accessible and convenient transport facility for the barangay residents in going to the trading center, educational and health facilities, and other government service providers. Moreover, it reduced the high cost in transporting farm products.



The Alilem Daya-Batbato-Abatan Farm to Market Road Phase I

Alilem, Ilocos Sur

LGOU V ARVIN C. DAUZ

Objectives of the Project

The main objective is to partially ease the burden of the 1,258 commuting residents of Barangays Batbato and Daddaay who are mostly Indigenous People and marginalized farmers. Priority concerns were concentrated on undulating portions, sharp curves and other risky road section since the amount of Two Million Pesos (P 2,000,000.00) PCF Fund and LGU counterpart was insufficient to finish the whole project.

Background

Considering the difficulty of mobility in the Barangays of Batbato and Daddaay especially during the rainy season, the local government decided to channel the PCF grant as well as the LGU counterpart to the improvement of FMR.

Strategies of Implementation

The ladies organization in the barangays, such as the Rural Improvement Club (RIC), First Ladies (spouses of incumbent Barangay Officials), contributed by cooking and preparing meals for the laborers. They cooked root crops like “kamote” and “gabi” for their snacks, native chicken, goat, “aba”, and vegetables grown by the residents were cooked for lunch. Each household in the barangays also donated one (1) ganta of rice.

Impact

In the completion of the project, 1,258 residents benefited, making their travel time from the barangays of Alilem Daya and Batbato to Poblacion faster and easier. Their local products can now be easily transported to nearby towns. Generally, the impact of the project boosted the economic development of the barangays and reduced the poverty incidents in the municipality.



Construction of Parapet Wall and Concreting along Bateria-Apatot Road

San Esteban, Ilocos Sur

LG00 V RUSSEL O. DE PERALTA

Objectives of the Project

For the construction of Parapet Wall, the following are the objectives:

- to prevent sea waves from reaching the seawalls which leaves the road impassable, posing danger to lives and properties of people
- to enhance its physical form in order to attract more tourists

For the concreting along Bateria-Apatot Road, the aim is to make it wider in order to accommodate the growing number of commuters and bring comfort to the people living in the coastal areas as well

Background

During typhoons, destructive sea waves reaches over the seawalls leaving the road impassable and posing danger to lives and properties of people. Road shoulders also needed concreting to make them wider to accommodate the growing number of commuters and bring comfort to the people living in the coastal areas. Moreover, seawalls were already constructed along the coastal road however, there was a need to further enhance its physical form in order to attract more tourists.

Strategies of Implementation

San Esteban has a very big potential on tourism. It is accessible by any kind of transportation, and notably, the good peace and order situation of the town. Tourist attractions are concentrated along the shoreline, offering panoramic views of white beaches and clear, blue sea. One of the tourists' attractions with historical and social values in the municipality is the Moro Watchtower in Barangay Bateria. But the road leading to this attraction brings danger to travelers. The present administration proposed for the construction of parapet wall to provide a barrier preventing vacationers from falling from the edge of the road, safeguard them from accidents and where travelers can sit to watch the beautiful sunset at the West Philippine Sea. The widening of the road made even safer for travelers to drive while looking at the beautiful sceneries of the place.



Construction of Farmers Training Center and Multi-Purpose Building

Lidlidda, Ilocos Sur

LG00 V MILDRED T. VILLARUZ

Objectives of the Project

The project aims to support the vision of the municipality to become a progressive eco-cultural tourism destination of the North, more particularly to provide an all-weather facility for sustainable group activities such as meetings, seminars, conference, and the like, indeed a socio-cultural development.

Background

The local officials and employees, and Non-Government Organizations (NGOs) as well as the private and religious sectors, have envisioned Lidlidda to become “a progressive eco-cultural tourism destination of the North”. Congruent to this, the local officials have finally decided to establish a multi-purpose building where the third floor should be designed as safe and convenient place to cater services for larger group of costumers/constituents and guests.

Strategies of Implementation

Stemmed from the spirit of “bayanihan”, the officialdom and its functionaries together with the constituents in a constant forum were able to come up with unanimous decision to establish facilities congruent to the vision as “Eco-Cultural Tourism Destination of the North”. And to cope up from fund constraints, sharing scheme has been applied where the Municipal Government first allotted fund for the project before soliciting support from higher authorities such as the Office of the Congressman of the Second District of Ilocos Sur, the Provincial Government of Ilocos Sur, and other agencies. Moreover, the LGU enhanced public service delivery to garner the Seal of Good Housekeeping (SGH) award where the PCF was utilized for the desired project.

Impact

The establishment of the farmers’ training center greatly lessened the burden of the community in conducting group undertakings as it no longer required funds for the venue, and the participants can now attend the undertaking without sacrificing house and farm works. Moreover, undertakings have been conducted at the desired schedule date for it is accessible, safe and an all-weather facility. The facility is one factor of regaining the cultural practice especially the “ragragup” or “bayanihan” as indicated by the increasing number of group undertakings at the said facility that resulted to greater sense of cooperation in their respective community activities. To date, there were at least three (3) major activities conducted at the said facility excluding those conducted activities by small groups such as officers of NGOs, Committees, and other special bodies.



Road Concreting to the Municipal Sanitary Landfill

Sta. Maria, Ilocos Sur

LGOO V RANDY S. DE LA ROSA

Objectives of the Project

- To re-gravel 180m length of the road as sub-base course preparation prior to concreting by year end (2012).
- To riprap about 100 cu. m. at some portion of the road prior to concreting by 2012
- To install 20 pieces of pipe culvert as stone drain / cross drain at strategic location as slope protection before paving the road by yearend (2012).
- To concrete 180m length of the newly opened road by the end of 2012.
- To have access to the site for possible development as eco-environmental tourism area.

Background

The Municipality of Sta. Maria has about ten hectares of land located at Barangay Tangaoan to be developed as Sanitary Landfill. Since it is in the uppermost part of the barangay, the road leading to the site is underdeveloped, making it hard for garbage trucks to deliver their loads. An estimated total length of 180m of dirt, loose stones and gravel make up the road leading to the dump site. This has made the dumping of garbage a challenging task, especially during rainy season when the road is slippery because of mud and some eroded parts. There are also houses that are near the dumpsite which traverse the same road. It is estimated that 3,000 residents from barangays Lubong, Dunlayan and Tangaoan use the road going to their farmlands.

Strategies of Implementation

- Regular monitoring of work accomplishment
- Adherence to the project plan

Impact

The direct beneficiaries of the project are the people living in and near Barangay Tangaoan and the people of Sta. Maria in general with about 5,000 resident. About 3,000 residents of Lubong, Dunlayan and Tangaoan benefitted the most as they would have access not only to the site but also to maximize the potential of their farm and their products. This would mean traversing the old road would now be faster, easier and safer with the new road fully paved.



Construction of Suyo-Toyeng Farm to Market Road

Sugpon, Ilocos Sur

LGOO V ELOISA R. RIGUCERA

The construction of Suyo-Toyeng Farm-to-Market Road is very essential for building up networks for trade and industry and development of any area abounding with rich agricultural attributes. These undertakings will spur economic progress for far-flung barangays as well as enhancing the urban area linkages and the exchange of goods and services. Further, it is a vital indicator towards sustainable development of the different barangays of the Municipality of Sugpon.

Generally, the goal of this project is to uplift the living condition of the constituents in the barangays through the economic and other income generating activities. Specifically, it aimed to provide the barangay residents the following: facilitate generation of much needed economic opportunities; easy access to transportation and communication where they can transport their local products to the market; enhance income generating activities especially in the field of business (buy and sell) thereby increasing the income of the municipality and residents in particular; generate employment opportunities, and; facilitate the municipality's drive through tourism development.

The beneficiaries of this project are the 3,811 residents especially the 497 farmers of the municipality. The residents of Barangays Licungan, Danac, Caoayan, Banga, Poblacion/Balbalayang and Pangotan who directly benefits from this project because this will improve their access to market and support facilities.

The implementation of the project became successful because of the proper coordination and on-time preparation of needed documents. The contractor did not fail to give the best results despite of the geographical challenge and unexpected weather disturbances. Regular monitoring and evaluation was also conducted by the organized Municipal Performance Challenge Fund Management Team and the Municipal Project Monitoring Committee.

Based on comments gathered from barangay residents, the project was very important to them because it facilitated the transport and marketing of their products. Better road condition helped them have greater access in other barangays and to the Poblacion area unlike before when make it was hard for them to traverse the fields, creeks and muddy areas during wet season.



Construction of Eight Room Multi - Purpose Building

Banayoyo, Ilocos Sur

LGOO V MARIA ALELI F. MOLINA

Objectives of the Project

To construct a Multi-Purpose Building at the Banayoyo Central Project School, which can be used as a classroom for children.

Background

The Municipal Officials and other key functionaries found this project necessary because the old classrooms situated across the highway, were already dilapidated, and are dangerous and difficult for pupils to cross in going to the main school campus. Likewise, there is a need to construct a municipal plaza and basketball court, where these classrooms were situated thus, the need for the old classrooms to be relocated. Further, the school needs to have a building where various activities can be conducted, like meetings, fora, and seminars and other, especially during rainy season. A total of 386 pupils, including the 146 teachers/administrators of the District shall benefit from the project.

Strategies of Implementation

It started with consultations and discussions with the concerned officials, from the school administrators and municipal functionaries. Surveys were done, the bidding process was completed, the preparation of the necessary documents, and other activities required for this purpose were also accomplished..

Impact

When the project was completed in February, 2012, it has already been used by pupils/teachers.



Expansion of Water Supply Facility

San Vicente, Ilocos Sur

LGOO V GLORIA Y. REYES

Objectives of the Project

- to provide sufficient safe potable drinking water to the residents
- to uplift their living condition
- to minimize expenses for potable water supplies
- to minimize cases of water-borne diseases

Background

San Vicente, Ilocos Sur has 3 meter above sea level elevation which often cause saline water to flood the western portion of the municipality. Because of this, establishment or provision of water supply facility in the Western part of the municipality is very much needed to mitigate their immediate concern.

Since this PCF Project was established, the living conditions of the more or less 569 households were able to live comfortably. The burdens in fetching safe potable drinking water for their everyday consumption was lessened.

Strategies of Implementation

The Spirit of Bayanihan and proper management were the strategies used in the implementation.

Impact

Establishment of the project diminished burdens of the households in fetching and providing for potable water supply for their everyday consumption.



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Improvement of Barangay Health Center

Agoo, La Union

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Basic facilities, to include the Barangay Health Center (BHC) are mandated to be established in every barangay. In the Municipality of Agoo with its continuing commitment to provide quality health care services at the doorstep of the citizens prioritized the construction/improvement of BHCs in several barangays .

One of the planned BHCs for improvement as contained in the CY 2012 Annual Investment Plan (AIP) of the Municipality is San Nicolas East. This aims to provide quality health care facility that is accessible to the barangay citizens, especially children and mothers. The Centers will also serve as a venue for mothers' classes, consultations, and other health and nutrition-related activities necessary in the improvement of the citizens' health conditions.

The improvement of the BHC started July 9, 2012 and ended July 21, 2012. The LGU's Planning and Development Coordinator and Engineer in coordination with the Barangay Council led the completion of the project with a total amount of One Hundred Eighty Seven Thousand Four Hundred Pesos (P187,400.00) from the Performance Challenge Fund (PCF).

With the improved facility, the barangay citizens with 115 school children, and 54 mothers greatly benefited from the project. Monitoring of the health conditions of the barangay citizens have been regularly conducted in which all the children (0-1 year old) are fully-immunized, pregnant women and lactating mothers get at least four (4) pre- and post-natal check-ups, and medical needs of every patient is given immediate attention. Also, with the empowered and capacitated Barangay Health Workers (BHWs), the advocacy on the promotion of healthy lifestyle has been intensified. Lastly, the citizens especially the indigents is no longer incurring travel expenses in going to the center for immunization and consultation.



Establishment of Municipal Sanitary Landfill

Sto. Tomas, La Union

LGOO V KRISHAN FAYE G. BIASON

Objectives of the Project

- To purchase a 1.8 hectare lot for the establishment of a Municipal Sanitary landfill.
- To reduce the volume of solid wastes within the municipality.

Background

One of the pressing problems of Sto. Tomas, La Union is the absence of a sanitary landfill. This poses a threat to environmental development due to the proliferation of solid wastes within the municipality. The increasing volume of wastes may also trigger the spread of diseases such as respiratory illnesses, and others, thereby affecting the health condition of the people.

The purchase of lot for the establishment of a sanitary landfill is in compliance to Section 17 of RA 9003, stating that all LGUs shall close their open and controlled dumpsite facility. Further, the Act also mandates LGUs to convert their existing dumpsite into a sanitary landfill as the final disposing facility.

Strategies of Implementation

The Local Government Unit used its Performance Challenge Fund (PCF) in purchasing the lot while the Local Government Support Fund (LGSF) in the amount of P700,000.00 was for the concreting of road leading to the Sanitary landfill.

The purchase of lot was already implemented but as to the construction of the sanitary landfill, it is still on its Phase III for CY 2013. It is expected that upon its completion and operationalization, the 35,999 residents of Sto. Tomas will be able to avail of the benefits of having a sanitary landfill.



Improvement of Slaughterhouse Facility

Mapandan, Pangasinan

LGOU V RAMON R. CUYA

Objectives of the Project

The main objective of the project is to upgrade the class standard of the LGU's Slaughter House from Class Single "A" into Class Double "A" Standard, such that many meat vendors will be attracted to utilize the Slaughter House. One beef supplier who is a resident of Mapandan pledged that once this project is implemented, he will triple the number of his cattle being slaughtered in a week from 7 heads of cattle to 20.

Background

The project was very necessary to complement the implementation of the Updated Revenue Code and the increasing demands for meat by the local meat vendors and large scale meat suppliers at the new public market and nearby LGU like Manaoag and Urdaneta City.

The present Mapandan Abattoir/Slaughter House is classified as Class Single "A" and utilized to cater to small meat vendors. As time passes, the Municipality developed its public market facilities through the construction of a new Public Market. There was an increased in the demands for meat being sold due to the increased volume of consumers from the Municipality and adjacent barangays of other Municipalities. Local meat suppliers at the same time, managed to increase their clout in the meat market not only in the locality but in other municipalities. These situations denoted that there was an urgent need to make improve or upgrade the slaughterhouse facility.

Strategies of Implementation

The conceptualization and implementation of the project was the product of countless multi-sectoral consultations from the private sector (local meat vendors & large scale meat supplier), neighboring LGUs, the local finance committee and National Meat Inspection Service (NMIS).

The whole townspeople of Mapandan and the neighboring barangays of adjacent towns now enjoy the benefit of having better health from consuming fresh and clean daily supply of quality meat.

Once the Slaughterhouse will operate as "Double A" Standard: The local large scale beef supplier of MAGIC Supermarkets pledged to triple the number of his cattle being slaughtered in a week from 7 heads of cattle to 20 heads. The LGU's income from the Slaughter House will then be increased to almost 300 percent.

Based from the NMIS Standards, the structural or physical set-up of the slaughter house is now a "Double A" compliant. The LGU still needs to procure new equipment in order to operate as "Double A" class slaughterhouse.

Umingan, Pangasinan

Construction of Multi-Purpose Building

LGOO V CARMEN ROSARIO C. RAFANAN

Objectives of the Project

The Municipal Government of Umingan aims to strengthen the municipality's disaster preparedness capability through the establishment of a multi-purpose building which will serve primarily as an evacuation center.

Background

Before the project was built, only the Umingan Gymnasium serves as evacuation center, cultural activities and other social gathering such as graduation rites, venue for seminars, and others. Since the municipal government aims to boost its capability on disaster preparedness, the construction of the Multi-purpose Building will fill the demand for a spacious infrastructure which will be used primarily for evacuation, and for other purposes.

Strategies of Implementation

Aside from the PCF, LGU counterpart in the sum of PhP2,000,000.00 was appropriated.

Impact

The immediate result of the project is that the completed project is now being used for cultural activities and social gathering; but most importantly, the Multi-purpose Building can now be readily used as evacuation center anytime.

Calasiao, Pangasinan

Improvement of Brgy. Songkoy Farm to Market Road

LGOO V JOHANNA T. MONTOYA

Objectives of the Project

- To reduce the travel time of farmers to transport their products, as well as the students, vendors and constituents by 20-30 minutes;
- Accessibility to adjacent barangays, and;
- To create opportunities for agri-business in the said barangay.

Background

The project proposal for the Improvement of Farm to Market road at Barangay Songkoy, Calasiao, Pangasinan is a way of achieving its goal towards modernization.

The primary means of income for Barangay Songkoy's residents is farming. The Farm to Market Road will enable the farmers to have an easy access to the market, reducing the travel time from 20-30 minutes, and will help them to have their harvested goods maintain its freshness.

Impact

- Create opportunities for agribusiness in the said barangay;
- Students are already able to attend their classes on time; and
- Enable the farmers to have an easy access to the market.

Concreting of Farm to Market Road

Batac City, Ilocos Norte

LGOO VI JANETTE P. DUARTE

Objectives of the Project

Provide accessibility intended to enhance the economic growth and social development of rural barangays and communities affected.

Background

The Concreting of Farm to Market is necessary because transportation system provides the means for people, goods and information to circulate and to revitalize the areas' economy and socio-cultural life. Accessibility increases people's mobility, which in turn allows a greater interchange of ideas and cultural accomplishments and likewise reduces isolation.

Most part of the Farm to Market road of the 30 Farming barangays of the city are of gravel/earth type, hence, during the wet season, portion of these roads are impassable. During these times when constituents from the areas are unreachable resulting to, high hauling cost of farm produce and agriculture inputs, are additional burden for the farmers.

Strategies of Implementation

The project was embraced with so much enthusiasm by the barangay officials and residents, thereby providing full support and concern in monitoring its effective implementation.

Commitment from the 30 farming barangay beneficiaries - During the project implementation, all of the 30 Farming barangay beneficiaries offered their existing resources such as form lumber and one (1) bagger - concrete mixer to be used in the concreting of the Farm to Market road in their respective areas. For this reason, the City Government of Batac decided not to purchase form lumbars, likewise, instead of utilizing the transit mixer of the City Government, these 30 farming barangay beneficiaries utilized their own.

Hence, the intended amount for the purchase of form lumber, fuel & oil to transit the mixer, and the labor cost for the heavy as well as the light equipment operator were used to purchase additional cement, coarse & fine aggregates, and reinforcing steel bars. As a result, the project length funded under PCF was increased from 29.00 to 33.30 linear meters per barangay.

Sense of ownership can be felt by the Barangay officials and residents because of the provision of their respective counterparts. Sustainability shall be spearheaded by end-users/30 farming barangay beneficiaries through their barangay officials.

Impact

- Better access to the business centers and public market;
- Better education - easy access to education since most of the secondary schools and the Mariano Marcos State University are located in the poblacion;
- Health services are easily within reach specifically when emergency arises, all the private hospitals and the Mariano Marcos Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, in addition to the soon operational. City Lying Inn Hospital are located in the poblacion;
- During the project construction, productive employment opportunities were realized, unskilled and skilled labor from the unemployed bona fide and actual residents of the barangays were hired;
- Maximum comfort and ease of travel year round;
- Easier accessibility and mobility; Transported their farm produce without damage of production, and;
- Transport of farm produce to the public market are easier with less cost.

Burgos, Ilocos Norte

Maintenance of Irrigation Canal

LGOO V FLORA MAY F. AGBAYANI

Objectives of the Project

- To increase farmers income by 10.5% in 2012;
- To improve irrigation water conveyance by 15% in 2012.

Background

Burgos, Ilocos Norte is primarily an agricultural town despite being located in a coastal area. The onset of the global warming, however, has aggravated the shortage in irrigation water. To mitigate this adverse situation, there is a need to keep the irrigation canals in good state to avoid unnecessary spillage of water.

To ensure the sustainability of the project, the Local Government Unit shall provide the necessary funding requirements through its Local Development Fund, with support from the respective Irrigators Association, for proper maintenance of the project.

It is expected that with the implementation and completion of the project will bring about controlled and efficient flow of irrigation water enabling wider areas to be cultivated and irrigated and subsequently increase farm production.

Dumalneg, Ilocos Norte

Construction of Hanging Foot Bridge

LGOO V KERWIN C. HERNANDO

Objectives of the Project

The Construction of Hanging Bridge at Quibel River serve as alternative route for the residents and members of the Iglesia Filipina Independiente from other towns who would like to worship God in the Hidden Church. Tourists, as well are ensured of their safety, in times that river waters high. It is considered as a preventive measure since crossing the river when water flow is strong might endanger the lives of everyone.

Background

Before the project, in times that the river water is high, residents find it difficult to cross the river to get mountain root crops for living hence the construction of the project benefitted the residents and coming tourist.

The LGU thru its "Oplan Linis Ganda" (OLGA) conducted regular monthly beautification like planting of trees along the quibel river, weeding and clean and green activities.

22nd LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE ANNIVERSARY



The theme of the 22nd Local Government Code Anniversary Celebration is "KILOS PROGRESO: MAKILAHOK SA PAG-ASENSO". The theme embodies a call for united and concerted action for national progress. United action entails transparency (advocates accountability and open governance), vigilance (intensifying citizen's engagement) and volunteerism (strengthen peoples' participation) on the part of the people in governance.

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