



DAGYAW 2024

STAKEHOLDER FEEDBACK REPORT

Region: XI

Dagyaw Topic:	BARANGAYANIHAN sa PAMAMAHALA sa PAMUMUHAY PANAGTAGBO SA BAGONG PILIPINAS
Date & Time:	August 16, 2024, 8:00 A.M.- 6:00 P.M.
Venue:	Digos City Gymnasium, Digos City, Davao del Sur
Total No. of Participants	In-person: 1,418 pax Online: 150

Question	Response	Action Taken
1. Highly politicized selection of CSOs in the Barangay Based Institutions (Noel Bautista LSB CSO Rep of Kiblawan Davao del Sur)	Per existing policies on CSO Accreditation and Reconstitution of Local Special Bodies, the CSOs should be given the independence to choose their representatives. There is still a need to strengthen the capacities of CSOs, especially at the barangay level (Jobe C. Tubigon, Executive Director, KDFI)	Emphasized during the implementation of capacity development programs for CSOs the independence of their selection of representatives to the barangay-based institutions and local special bodies.
2. BBIs welfare and benefit packages, the long over-due passage of the Magna Carta for the Barangay Officials and Functionaries (PB Guling Preglo LnB President, Sulop Chapter)	It is timely to advocate and lobby for the adoption of the Magna Carta for Barangays to support and strengthen the barangays and improve service delivery (Dir. Gary R. Martel, CESO III, Regional Director, DBM XI)	Advocated for the adoption of the Magna Carta for Barangays through the DILG and Liga ng mga Barangays during the signing of the Sectoral Manifesto on the Future of Transparency and Open Government.
3. Issue on lack of inclusivity in the selection of the members of Peoples Councils, discrimination in the accreditation process at the city and municipal levels (Dir. Maribel Guera, CJC Bro Polycarp Foundation Inc)	CSOs should be empowered to allow their meaningful participation in local governance. The Local People's Councils should be strengthened and all sectoral organizations at the city/municipal levels should have proper representation. The implementation of the capacity development programs for the CSOs shall	Considered in the development of modules for the CSO capacity development programs the topics that will contribute to ensuring their meaningful and inclusive participation in the local special bodies and local people's councils. Local People's Councils Forum will be conducted to



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	be enhanced by the DILG to respond to the specific needs of the CSOs (Richard L. Villacorte, Project Manager II, SLGP-PMO)	address organizational needs and gaps and strengthen their capacities.
4. High inflation which resulted in high prices of basic commodities, support programs for local farmers, and the need for some local government units to prioritize the installation of water system facilities (Prof. Roel of Davao del Sur State College- LGPRC MSAC Member)	The DBM and DILG are implementing the Local Government Support Fund and Assistance Fund to Participatory Budgeting under the 2024 General Appropriations Act. One of the purposes of the Program is to support the needs of the municipal governments in terms of funding proposed water system projects. The Program should be expanded to cater to more communities (Dir. Gary R. Martel, Regional Director, CESO III, DBM XI)	Recommended the expansion of the coverage and increase of funding for the Local Government Support Fund and Assistance Fund to Participatory Budgeting. For LGUs with water system needs to include the project in the LDIP and AIP.
5. Issue on the Localization of the 4Ps Program on Sustainable Livelihood (LGU Level) for those 4Ps beneficiaries (Families) who graduated/exited from the program (Mr. Reynan Malvar President Pantawid Pamilya Federation of Davao del Sur)	DSWD conducts Family Development Sessions to strengthen the capacities of 4Ps beneficiary families (Jobe C. Tubigon, Executive Director, KDFI)	Coordinated with the DSWD on the need to strengthen the localization of the 4Ps Program on Sustainable Livelihood for the beneficiaries to ensure sustainability.
6. How can the Local Business Chamber like the Davao del Sur Chamber of Commerce ensure the support of DILG in ensuring that LGUs are compliant with the Ease of Doing Business (May Cervantes, President, DavSur Chamber of Commerce Inc)	DILG continues to provide capacity-development activities to LGUs on Ease of Doing Business in partnership with other national government agencies. Business Friendliness and Competitive LGUs are some of the DILG's targets. DILG also partners with local business groups to promote Open Government Partnership and strengthen the participation of civil society organizations in local governance. (Assistant	Strengthened the implementation of capacity-development activities for LGUs on Ease of Doing Business. Tracked the compliance of LGUs on Business Friendliness and Competitiveness under the Seal of Good Local Governance assessment.



	Secretary Lilian M. De Leon, DILG)	
<p>General Feedback: Summarize the feedback provided by participants, by categorizing it by key themes and suggestions regarding the town hall’s implementation.</p> <p>The multi-sectoral representatives who were selected as panelists raised major issues and concerns. The issues and concerns were processed during the Pre-Dagyaw Focus Group Discussion and were also discussed in the NGA briefer which was submitted to the DILG PMO XI before the actual conduct of the Dagyaw Town Hall meeting.</p> <p>6 members of CSO Panelists were allowed to interface with senior Cabinet Officials from the DILG Central Office, DBM Region XI, and Mindanao Development Authority.</p> <p>There were 1,418 participants from various sectors and Barangay Functionaires flocked to City Gymnasium of Digos, Davao del Sur in support of the call for the passage of the MAGNA CARTA FOR THE BARANGAYS as highlighted Topic discussion for the Dagyaw 2024 Open Government and Participatory Governance Regional Town Hall Meetings.</p> <p>The activity is envisioned to be one of the government’s strategies in providing avenues for productive, valuable, sincere, and visible engagement between the government and the people at the local levels.</p> <p>Dagyaw 2024 is one way of bringing the government closer to the people through Civil Society Organizations and citizens in addressing various issues and concerns through national and regional officials of government agencies.</p> <p>Among the key issues that surfaced during the dialogue were the highly politicized selection of CSOs in the Barangay Based Institutions; BBIs welfare and benefit packages, the long overdue passage of the Magna Carta for the Barangay Officials and Functionaries, the issue on lack of inclusivity in the selection of the members of Peoples Councils, discrimination in the accreditation process at the city and municipal levels, and the issue on the localization of the establishments of Peoples Councils and the conflicting roles between the latter and the Local Special Bodies, the high inflation which resulted to high prices of basic commodities, support programs to local farmers, less responsive LGU Officials to the Localization of 4Ps Program (Graduated Beneficiaries avails Sustainable livelihood Support) and the need for some local government units to prioritize installation of water system facilities which the concerned resource persons reaffirms their commitment to bring all of these issues to the national leadership and engage the lawmakers in crafting meaning structural and policy reforms in order to strengthen and ensure more inclusive participation at the barangay levels.</p> <p>SLGP PMO Richard Villacorte said that through open government and participatory governance, the citizens can actively participate in good governance, especially in Davao del Sur likewise highlighted the need to bring the government closer to the people. “Our task here is to gather all your stories and take them to desks where programs and decisions are made. It is here in the town halls where questions are to be answered,” SLGP PMO Manager said.</p> <p>DILG Assistant Secretary Lilian M. De Leon said “Dagyaw is in line with the desire to finally put an end to the 50-year-long insurgency and sustain the gains of an insurgency-free Davao del</p>		



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Sur and ultimately to the entire Davao Region through the whole-of-nation approach Dagyaw Townhalls want to showcase to our people that the government is doing not just 'something' but 'everything' for the general welfare of our people."

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