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DESIGNATING THE *DAVAO ORIENTAL BAYANIHAN: ALLEVIATING POVERTY AND SUSTAINING THE PEACE* PROJECT MANAGER, ITS TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP, AND PROVIDING FUNDS THEREOF

WHEREAS, the Province of Davao Oriental recognizes the urgent need to address socio-economic challenges in Geographically Isolated and Disadvantaged Areas (GIDAs) and to sustain peace in conflict-affected communities;

WHEREAS, the "Davao Oriental Bayanihan: Alleviating Poverty and Sustaining the Peace" project is initiated to transform the lives of residents in these areas through multi-sectoral collaboration, community engagement, sustainable development, and peace-building initiatives;

WHEREAS, the Government of Davao Oriental is committed to the Whole-of-Nation to End Local Communist Armed Conflict approach also known as Executive Order 70 to achieve inclusive and sustainable peace;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, NIÑO SOTERO L. UY, JR., Governor of Davao Oriental, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

Section 1. DESIGNATION OF PROJECT MANAGER. Mr. Rod John Pandili is hereby designated as the Project Manager of the Davao Oriental Bayanihan Project. He shall be responsible for the strategic planning, implementation, monitoring, and evaluation of the project.

Section 2. CREATION OF TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP. A Technical Working Group, of the Davao Oriental Bayanihan Project is hereby created to oversee and implement the project across GIDAs and priority barangays of Davao Oriental:

Chairman: Rod John D. Pandili – PTF ELCAC Action Officer

Members:

Dr. Roy G. Ponce – President, Davao Oriental State University
BGen Oliver C. Maquiling – Commander, 701ST Infantry Brigade
PCOL Julius E. Silagan – Provincial Director, Davao Oriental Police Provincial Office
Major Rowel A. Tirro – Executive Officer, 1104th Ready Reserve Infantry Battalion, PA
Ma Joycelyn Banlasan – Prov'l Director, Department of Trade and Industry DO
Rodolfo T. Castro Jr. – Prov'l Head, Department of Employment Davao Oriental
Garrey Segumban – Head, Barangay Affairs and Social Services Office
Emily P. Tomogdon – OIC, Provincial Statistics Authority
Dr. Edito Sumile – Prov'l Agriculturist, Provincial Agriculture Office
Dr. Eric Dagmang – Prov'l Veterinarian, Provincial Veterinary Office
Atty. Lady Hope Macayra – Prov'l Legal Officer, Provincial Legal Office

Section 3. DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS. The Technical Working Group (TWG) shall have the following functions:

1. **Project-Specific Planning:** Lead in the formulation of a comprehensive plan specifically for the "Davao Oriental Bayanihan" project, integrating aspects of poverty alleviation and peacebuilding.
2. **Community Profiling and Engagement:** Prepare and utilize documents for profiling strategic directions, community needs, and issues related to peace and public safety. Engage actively with local communities for data gathering, understanding their unique challenges and aspirations.
3. **Stakeholder Collaboration:** Facilitate stakeholder consultations to gather diverse perspectives and insights. Coordinate closely with sub-committee heads and other relevant parties for the integration of various initiatives into the project plan.
4. **Data Analysis and Strategy Development:** Analyze data collected from communities and stakeholders to inform the development of targeted strategies for poverty alleviation and peacebuilding.
5. **Presentation and Approval of Plans:** Present the developed plan to the Provincial Governor for discussion, approval, and action. Coordinate with the Mayor and other key officials for the convening of necessary meetings and discussions.
6. **Monitoring and Implementation:** Oversee the implementation of the project, coordinating with internal and external stakeholders for effective communication and monitoring.
7. **Inclusion of Key Programs:** Ensure that essential programs and strategies, such as conflict sensitivity and community-oriented policing, are integrated into the project plan.
8. **Reporting:** Submit regular reports, including semestral and annual accomplishment reports, to document progress and challenges.
9. **Adaptive Management:** Perform additional tasks as directed by the Provincial Governor, demonstrating flexibility to adapt strategies based on evolving project needs and community feedback.

The Davao Oriental Bayanihan Project shall operate in accordance with the objectives and strategies outlined in the project design, focusing on economic empowerment, healthcare access, educational opportunities, infrastructure development, and peace and reconciliation.

Section 4. FUNDING. Allocation of funds under the general appropriation with the provision for annual budget inclusion in the Office of the Provincial Governor.

Section 5. EFFECTIVITY. This Order shall take effect immediately upon its signing and remain in force until otherwise revoked.

Issued this DEC 15 day of 2023, in the City of Mati, Davao Oriental, Philippines.


NIÑO SOTERO L. UY JR.
Governor