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**SUBJECT** : **Weekly Accomplishment Report of Provincial Agriculture Office covering the period September 22 to 26, 2014**

Hereunder are the highlights of our office accomplishments to wit:

PROGRAM /PROJECT/ACTIVITY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	STATUS/REMARKS/ACCOMPLISHMENT
<b>I. RICE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM</b>		
a. Early Dry Season Rice Production	The DA-Initiated project which involved the distribution of rice seeds to be planted this 2014 early dry season to attain incremental production for the year.	1. Monitored cropping status 2014 Early Dry Rice Production Program in the following municipalities : Burgos 130 has. , Quirino 288 has, Cabatuan 166 has.
b. Pest Surveillance System	It is a procedure to closely watch pest and disease occurrence.	1. Undertook pest surveillance operation in Reina Mercedes with reported presence of insect pests to rice crops. A total of 19.91 has. of rice crops involving 10 farmers were affected by Rice Tungro Virus (RTV) at 10-30% assessed degree of damage to rice farms.
c. Techno Demo through Farmer Led Extensionist	Technology demonstration showcasing package of technology through trained farmers as extensionist	Facilitated rice Techno demo field day at SACDECO, Rizal Santiago City on calibrated NPK fertilizer rate for irrigated rice ecosystem participated by 75 farmers.
d. Seed Production	The production of quality rice seed variety/ies for planting.	Monitored seed production farm of seed growers in San Mateo, Cauayan and San Manuel and assure availability of seeds for succeeding cropping season.

<p>e . Monitoring of Planting Status</p>	<p>Data collection on rice production of different municipalities</p>	<p>As of Sept 15,2014 Wet Season 2014 Area Planted (has.) : 122,349 Dry Season 2014-2015 Area Planted (has.) : 7,061.95</p>
<p>f. Price Monitoring</p>	<p>Data collection on price per kilo prevailing in the market of different commercial centers</p>	<p>Price per kilo Dry 22.60 Fresh 17.80</p>
<p><b>II. CORN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM</b></p>		
<p>a. Sustainable Corn Production in Sloping Areas (SCOPSA)</p>	<p>DA-Initiated Technology demonstration project using Sloping Agricultural Land Technology (SALT) approach to improve soil fertility and control soil erosion causing nutrient depletion. For Wet Season 2014, the 3.0 hectares demo site is located at Brgy. San Lorenzo, Ilagan City involving 2 cooperators .</p>	<p>The SCOPSA project site at Brgy San Lorenzo, City of Ilagan will have its field day tentatively scheduled 1<sup>st</sup> week of October, 2014</p>
<p>b. Farmers-Scientist RDE Training Program</p>	<p>It is a three-phase RDE methodology of transferring agricultural technologies to develop values of farmers engaged in corn-based production system in adopting scientific and sustainable method of farming. The project is located at Mozzozin Sur, Sta. Maria where 8 groups are organized from 48 selected farmer participants . Specific trial is given to each group to undertake. The 8 trials to be given emphasis of study :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Integrated Pest Management</li> <li>2. Detasseling</li> <li>3. Population Density</li> <li>4. Varietal trial</li> <li>5. Germination Trial</li> <li>6. Land Preparation</li> <li>7. Fertilizer trial</li> <li>8. Corn-based Intercropping</li> </ol>	<p>1.The FSTP site is currently undergoing crop maintenance and activities in preparation for the forthcoming graduation of 32 farmer cooperators and at the same time harvest festival y scheduled on October 14, 2014. The FSTP cooperators as a manifestation of gratitude are preparing folk media presentation to be staged during their graduation.</p>
<p>c. Farmer –led Extensionist Technology Demonstration</p>	<p>Demonstration project promoting yield boosting</p>	<p>No. of FLE/sites : 80 No. of municipalities : 22</p>

<p>d. Monitoring Planting and Harvesting Status</p>	<p>technologies in corn production through trained farmers as extension workers</p> <p>Data collection on corn production of different municipalities</p>	<p>No. of FLE established: 68 No. of field day conducted : 9</p> <p>Wet Season 2014 (as of Sept 15) Area Harvested (has.) : 44,088.00 Production (mt) : 207,591.84</p> <p>Dry Season 2014-2015 Area Planted (has) Yellow : 2,468.43 White : 40.00 TOTAL : 2,508.43</p>
<p>e. Price Monitoring</p>	<p>Data collection of price per kilo prevailing in the market Of different commercial centers</p>	<p>Price per kilo Dry 14.50 Fresh 9.50</p>
<p><b>II. HIGH VALUE COMMERCIAL CROPS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM</b></p>		
<p>a. Nursery Development</p>	<p>Sustainable production of sexually and asexually fruit trees and production of assorted vegetable seedlings for distribution.</p>	<p>1. Distributed 17,200 pieces vegetable seedlings to 93 recipients. 2. Produced 230 pieces of assorted fruit tree seedlings ( papaya, guapple, pomelo and atis) 3. Distributed 340 pieces assorted fruit tree seedlings to 7 beneficiaries. 5. Performed clearing activity of surroundings of new nursery site and regular maintenance of fruit tree and vegetable seedlings propagated at nursery.</p>
<p>b. Gulayan sa Paaralan</p>	<p>To established school gardens in support to the Nutrition Program of school children.</p>	<p>Monitored production of 8 school gardens in Alicia, Angadanan &amp; San Guillermo Area : 1,700 sgm. Production : 165 kls of assorted veg. No. of pupils benefitted : 268</p>
<p>c. Municipal/Barangay Food Terminal</p>	<p>DA funded project which provided initial fund and materials for consolidating farmers produce, as food depository and source of low-cost agri products in the barangay</p>	<p>Regular monitoring of San Pablo Food terminal business operation under the management of Awitan Rural Improvement Club (RIC)</p>
<p><b>III. FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM</b></p>		
<p>1. Production Support Services a.1 Fingerling Production</p>	<p>Operation of fish farm to produce fingerlings for dispersal to</p>	<p>1. Produced 5,000 pieces of fingerlings</p>

<p>a.2 Fingerling Dispersal</p>	<p>fisherfolks &amp; as show window on aquaculture technologies</p>	<p>2. Dispersed 5,000 pieces of fingerlings to Five (5) beneficiaries  3. Operation and management of San Pablo Fish Farm facilities.  4. Monitored private hatchery operators production &amp; dispersal.  5. Preparation of draft layout plan and design of proposed hatchery project at Cabagan Breeding Station as satellite project of San Pablo Fish Farm</p>
<p>2. Extension Support/Services Delivery</p>	<p>Private hatchery farms monitoring of BFAR accredited and non-accredited hatcheries.</p> <p>Provision of on-farm &amp; off farm advisory and consultancy services to clients.</p>	<p>Identification and validation of area/ site for Smallhold Cluster Project  *Roxas - identified 9 newly constructed at Brgy Simimbaan, SWIP as source of water  *San Manuel - at Brgy Pisang 10 sites Are feasible for the project. Cooperators still to be identified  *Provided technical services:  No. of backyard fishpond visisted : 26  No. of fisherfolk assisted : 31  Area covered (has.) : 2.48</p>
<p>3. Provision of Fisherfolk Insurance</p>	<p>A protection and security strategy of Provincial Government among fisherfolk family for them to maximize their fishing efforts.</p>	<p>Total fisherfolks enrolled - 352  Previous week - 2,911  Total --- 3,263</p>
<p>4. Regulatory Services  4.1 Exploratory Fishing on Ludong)</p>	<p>A regulatory cum research project on the conservation and protection of Ludong, a rare and exotic species going on extinction.</p>	<p>Provided regulatory services on Sagip Ludong to 2 municipalities :  Info dissemination conducted : 2  No. of participants : 100  No. of IEC materials distributed : 100</p>
<p>4.2 FARMC Strengthening</p>	<p>A project geared towards empowering the fisherfolks from private sector as advisory body and partners in fisheries development.</p>	<p>Conduct organizational meeting of FARMC :  No. organizaed - 2  Municipalities - Ramon &amp; Cordon  No. of participants - 90</p>
<p>5. Monitoring and Evaluation</p>		<p>Gathered data on the fingerlings produced by fish hatcheries of different municipalities in the province:</p>

<p>Tilapia Price Monitoring</p>		<p>Fish production stages:  Fingerlings - 2,914,500 pcs.  Post Fingerlings - 3,500,200 pcs.  Juveniles - 1,571,500 pcs.</p> <p>Farmgate Price – P100.00  Market Retail price – P110.00</p>
<p><b>IV. ENGINEERING SUPPORT</b></p>		<p>Assessment of SWISA Trinidad/Manano , Mallig and Manga, Quezon for possible nomination to Outstanding SWISA</p>
<p><b>V. FARMERS INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY SERVICES</b></p>	<p>A PGI facility that provides timely data and information on agricultural programs and technologies thru its library services and tri media.</p>	<p>1. Provided 5 walk-in clients information on BRO for Agriculture Program and IEC/referrals on agriculture and technology needs.</p>
<p><b>VI. GAWAD SAKA</b></p>	<p>A Yearly DA-PLGU search program recognizing exemplary accomplishment/contribution to agriculture and fishery development.</p>	<p>Received achievement book for Gawad Saka Outstanding Agricultural Researcher for evaluation.</p>
<p><b>VI. BRO for Agriculture</b></p> <p><b>a. BRO LAMFP (2012-2014 report)</b></p> <p><b>b. BRO Ayuda sa Presyo (January 2 – Sept.26, 2014)</b></p> <p><b>c. BRO Pantawid Pamasaha Program (January 2 – Sept. 26, 2014)</b></p>	<p>A Provincial Government initiated program for small farmers whose total area of landholdings ranges from .25 to 1.0 hectare to increase their production and income.</p> <p>Marketing and price support program of PGI providing premium price to NFA as a tool to stabilize palay and corn market prices .</p> <p>A PGI-NFA collaborative undertaking where the PGI provides transport cost of P0.50 for every kilo sold by small</p>	<p>Total loan granted Phase I&amp;II : P 32,253.986.00  No. of borrowers : 11,572  Amount collected for the week – 15,450  No. of borrowers w/ payment - 62  Collection as of September 19, 2014  Amount collected: <b>Ph1,146,850.00</b>  Repayment rate: 3.55%  Provided 303 IECs about the program serving 303 farmers during the farmers congress at <b>Tumauini &amp; Cordon</b></p> <p>Quantity procured (kgs.):2,090,921.84  Premium price support: <b>Ph5,227,304.60</b>  Farmers Served : 904  Provided 303 IEC about the program serving 303 farmers during the farmers congress at <b>Tumauini &amp; Cordon</b></p> <p>Quantity procured (kgs.): 2,090,921.84  Premium transport cost: <b>P1,045,460.92</b>  Farmers Served : 904  Provided 303 IEC about the program</p>

<p><b>d. BRO Paneguro sa Pananim</b> (May to Sept 26, 2014)</p> <p><b>VIII. COLLABORATIVE</b></p>	<p>farmers to NFA.</p> <p>Crop Insurance partnership between PGI and PCIC providing protection and security for small farmers as PGI's climate change mitigation strategy.</p> <p>Program funded by National Government Agencies and implemented in the province in partnership with P/M Local Government Units.</p>	<p>serving 303 farmers during the farmers congress at <b>Tumauni &amp; Cordon</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forwarded application for crop insurance of 1 farmers from Cabagan.</li> <li>2. Provided 303 IEC about the program 303 farmers during the farmers congress at <b>Tumauni &amp; Cordon</b></li> </ol> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. HVCC Provincial Coordinator attended training course on Good Agricultural Practices for Onion at ATI-RTC, San Mateo.</li> <li>2. One OPA staff attended the meeting and joined the Provincial Team in the ocular visitation of Eco-Tourism sites in San Guillermo and Tumauni.</li> <li>3. Technical staff of OPA attended the field day on Highly Innovative Technology or the so called HIT 10 Technology at Cagayan Valley Research Center on September 25 . The demonstration project showcased that 10 tons/hectare of yield can be achieved using required intervention.</li> <li>4. Attendance to Magat Task Force meeting.</li> </ol>
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