



Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF ISABELA
Tanggapan ng Punong Lalawigan

BRO *Farmer Assistance Program Office*
ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR SMALL FARMERS

BRO PAG-IBIG

SAVINGS PROGRAM AND AFFORBLE HOUSING PROGRAM FOR EVERY SMALL FARMERS

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

BRO PAG IBIG is the twelfth program of the Provincial Government of Isabela (PGI) launched in January 2015.

BRO PAG IBIG is a climate change adaptation program of the PGI. It aims to help farmers lessen their vulnerability to the effects of climate change by helping them build sturdy houses through affordable housing program.

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

BRO PAG IBIG program aims to enroll 10,000 small farmers of the Province of Isabela to be a member PAG-IBIG fund for them to enjoy the benefits of the program such as:

- a.) **Savings**
- b.) **Tax free dividends**
- c.) **Death Benefit grants**
- d.) **Short-term or Multi-Purpose loans for:**
 - Emergency
 - Tuition Fees
 - Medical Needs
 - In case of calamity
- e.) **Affordable housing loans with low interest rates and longer repayment periods.**

ACCOMPLISHMENT

In the first year of operation of the program, a total of five thousand forty (5,040) farmers from different municipalities were already enrolled by the PGI. Now, we have two thousand six hundred seventy three (2673) wherein 2,242 of them are still enrolled in the program and 431 have already been paid 24 months of contribution. For the year 2021, the program has catered to 1153 Tobacco Farmers, 1075 NMIAC Members and 14 Rebel Returnees of which all of them are still currently paying. (Through the funds of the PGI)

Nagkaisa Para sa Isabela!

The table below shows the distribution of BRO PAG IBIG as December 2021.

MUNICIPALITY	NMIAC		REBEL RETURNEES		TOBACCO FARMERS	
	CURRENTLY PAYING	GRADUATED	CURRENTLY PAYING	GRADUATED	CURRENTLY PAYING	GRADUATED
ALICIA	29					
ANGADANAN	33	29				
AURORA	32				28	
BENITO SOLIVEN	42	14			27	
BURGOS	29	16				
CABAGAN		32			53	
CABATUAN						
CAUAYAN	11				11	
CITY OF ILAGAN	74				204	
CORDON	10					
DELFIN ALBANO	49				8	
DINAPIGUE		39				
DIVILACAN		27				
ECHAGUE		16				
GAMU	124				48	
JONES	6					
LUNA	58				44	
MALLIG					224	
MACONACON	52	32				
NAGUILIAN	9				9	
PALANAN		12				
QUEZON	18				54	
QUIRINO	54				375	
RAMON	42					
REINA MERCEDES	53					
ROXAS		69				
SAN AGUSTIN	12					
SAN ISIDRO		62				
SAN GUILLERMO	23					
SAN MANUEL	3					
SAN MARIANO	18	27				
SAN MATEO	84				7	
SAN PABLO	24	8				
STA. MARIA	6	16			7	
STO. TOMAS	131	12			45	
TUMAUINI	49	20			9	
REBEL RETURNEES			14			
TOTAL	1,075	431	14		1,153	

The PAG IBIG Fund also recognizes the Province of Isabela for incorporating PAG IBIG Fund as the 12th component in the BRO Program, thus enabling the Fund to reach out to its 8,000 member-farmers.

IMPACT

An overwhelming response was received by the PGI from the constituents of Isabela for the BRO PAG IBIG Program.

Nagkaisa Para sa Isabela!

In the Provincial Government of Isabela's desire to give more assistance to our farmer-members, this office has already assisted several members with regards to their corresponding claims. (See table below)

NAME OF MEMBER	ADDRESS	TYPE OF CLAIM
HERNANDEZ, MARILOU VILLANUEVA	DOLORES, QUIRINO	CALAMITY LOAN
GADAYOS, JULIETA VALDEZ	STA. ISABEL, CITY OF ILAGAN	SHORT TERM LOAN

With the continuous effort of the PGI to help farmers improve over-all living condition of the farmers, the BRO PAG IBIG program will help them save for the future and put-up their dream houses.

SUSTAINABILITY

The Provincial Government of Isabela through the Sangguniang Panlalawigan passed Resolution No. 154 series of 2014 to ensure the sustainability of the program, officially designating the Provincial Treasurer of her authorized representative as the person responsible to remit the allotted voluntary monthly contributions to the PAG IBIG Fund Branch. The PGI has allocated P8, 200, 000 for BRO PAG IBIG thru Appropriation Ordinance no. 21, series of 2015. A Memorandum of Agreement was also entered into between the PAGIBIG and the Provincial Local Government Unit of Isabela (PLGU-Isabela.)

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