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SUBJECT : **Weekly Accomplishment Report of Provincial Agriculture Office covering the period October 20 to October 24, 2014**

Hereunder are the highlights of our office accomplishments to wit:

PROGRAM /PROJECT/ACTIVITY	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	STATUS/REMARKS/ACCOMPLISHMENT
I. RICE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM		
a. Dry Season Rice Production	The DA-Initiated project which involved the distribution of rice seeds and foliar fertilizers to identified IAs to attain incremental increase in production this year.	Identified Irrigators Association as recipients of 2600 bags certified seeds and foliar fertilizer in various municipalities in the province. For the week, Maligaya IA of Angadanan withdrawn 100 bags of rice seeds and Minsan Pa Nga IA is scheduled to withdraw their seeds next week.
b. Chinese Hybrid Production	Demonstration project featuring adaptation of Chinese hybrid rice varieties our locality.	Supervised pulling of seeds and seed sowing of 2.5 hectares Chinese hybrid rice demo farm at San Manuel. LP937 and LP940 varieties is used.
b. . Monitoring of Planting Status	Data collection on rice production of different municipalities	As of October 3, 2014 Wet Season 2014 Total Area Planted (has.) : 141,355 Irrigated : 131,484 Rainfed : 8,574 Upland : 993 Total Harvested Area : 60,055 Dry Season 2014-2015 Area Planted (has.) : 1,862
d. Price Monitoring	Data collection on price per kilo prevailing in the market of different commercial centers	Price per kilo Dry 22.30 Fresh 17.8

<p>II. CORN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM a. 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"> 1. Integrated Pest Management 2. Detasseling 3. Population Density 4. Varietal trial 5. Germination Trial 6. Land Preparation 7. Fertilizer trial 8. Corn-based Intercropping 	<p>Results of the farmer-sxcientist group experiments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Land Preparation trial with 2 plowing abd weeding treatment gave the highest yield of 5 tons /ha. 2) Fertilizer trial showed treatment based on soil analysis gave the highest yield of 6.1 tons/ha. 3)Varietal trial revealed IPB Var6 gave the highest yield of 6 tonsa/ha. 4)Detasseling trial proved 2 rows out 4 rows detasseled gave the highest yield of 6.96 tons/ha. 5) IPM trial presented the released of trichogramma at 20th, 27th, 35th DAP gave the highest yield of 6.58 tons/ha. 6)Population Density trial confirmed that 1 plant/hill gave the yield of 7.35 tons/ha. 7)The germination trial showed that seeds soaked for 8 hours produced the highest yield of 6.58 tons/ha. 8) Intercropping trial , corn+camote gave the higher yield of 5.42 tons/ha.
<p>c. Farmer –led Extensionist Technology Demonstration</p>	<p>Demonstration project promoting yield boosting technologies in corn production through trained farmers as extension workers</p>	<p>No. of FLE/sites : 80 No. of municipalities : 22 No. of FLE established: 68 No. of field day conducted : 18 Served as facilitator in corn techno field day at Brgys.San Lorenzo and Mlnabang, City of Ilagan.</p>
<p>d. Monitoring Planting and Harvesting Status</p>	<p>Data collection on corn production of different municipalities</p>	<p>Wet Season 2014 (as of Oct15) Area Harvested (has.) : 74,469.37 Production (mt) : 346,790.25 Dry Season2014-2015 Area Planted (has) Yellow :8,345.88 White : 230.5 TOTAL : 8,575.88</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 13.80 Fresh 9.50</p>
<p>II. HIGH VALUE COMMERCIAL CROPS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM a. Nursery Development</p>	<p>Sustainable production of sexually and asexually fruit trees and production of assorted</p>	<p>1. Produced 9,768 pieces of assorted (pepper ,eggplant and tomato)vegetable seedlings.</p>

<p>b. Greenhouse Project</p>	<p>vegetable seedlings for distribution.</p> <p>DA-Initiated greenhouse project utilized for the production of vegetable seedlings to sustain seedling requirements of the respective municipalities</p>	<p>2. Distributed 7,900 pieces of eggplant and pepper vegetable seedlings to 90 recipients.</p> <p>3. Distributed 162 assorted fruit tree seedlings to 15 recipients.</p> <p>Monitored production status of 8 municipalities (D. Albano, Gamu, Luna, Maconacon, Mallig, Naguilian, Quezon & R. Mercedes) . A total of 46,041 pieces of assorted vegetables seedlings were produced and distributed 45,916 pieces to 651 recipients.</p>
<p>III. FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM</p>		
<p>1. Production Support Services a.1 Fingerling Production</p>	<p>Operation of fish farm to produce fingerlings for dispersal to fisherfolks & as show window on aquaculture technologies</p>	<p>No. of municipalities : 10 No. of fingerlings dispersed : 275,000 No. of beneficiaries : 150 Source of fingerlings</p>
<p>a.2 Fingerling Dispersal</p>		<p>BFAR : 250,000 SPFF : 25,000</p>
<p>2. Extension Support/Services Delivery</p>	<p>Provision of on-farm & off farm advisory and consultancy services to clients.</p>	<p>Technical briefing conducted : 1 No. of participants : 50 No. of IEC materials provided : 50</p>
<p>3. Fisherfolk Registration</p>		<p>No. of municipalities completed FishR : 4 No. of municipalities with on-going FishR : 33</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>Conducted information campaign on Oplan Sagip Ludong Project: No. of municipalities : 3 No. of student participants : 200 No. of IEC materials distributed : 200</p>
<p>IV. FARMERS INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY SERVICES</p>		
<p>V. GAWAD SAKA</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 information materials on BRO for Agriculture Program and referrals on agriculture and technology needs.</p>
	<p>A Yearly DA-PLGU search program recognizing exemplary accomplishment/contribution to agriculture and fishery</p>	<p>Conducted evaluation of nominee for 2014 Gawad Saka Search for Outstanding Agricultural Achievers on the following Categories:</p>

<p>VI. BRO for Agriculture</p> <p>a. BRO LAMFP (2012-2014 report)</p> <p>b. BRO Ayuda sa Presyo (January 2 – Sept.26, 2014)</p> <p>c. BRO Pantawid Pamasaha Program (January 2 – Sept. 26, 2014)</p> <p>d. BRO Paneguro sa Pananim (May to Sept 26, 2014)</p> <p>VII. COLLABORATIVE</p>	<p>development.</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 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</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Outstanding Fish Culture *Outstanding Barangay/Municipal Food Terminal * Outstanding HVCC Farmer *Outstanding Small Farmer Organization *Outstanding RIC *Outstanding 4H Club *Outstanding Sugarcane Farmer *Outstanding Rice Farmer *Outstanding Organic Farmer Outstanding Farm Family <p>Total loan granted Phase I&II : P 32,253.986.00</p> <p>No. of borrowers : 11,572</p> <p>Amount collected for the week – 46,250</p> <p>No. of borrowers w/ payment - 18</p> <p>Collection as of October 3, 2014</p> <p>Amount collected: Ph1,222,200.00</p> <p>Repayment rate: 3.78%</p> <p>Provided 108 IECs about the program serving 108 farmers during the farmers congress at City of Ilagan.</p> <p>Quantity procured (kgs.):2,090,921.84</p> <p>Premium price support: Ph5,227,304.60</p> <p>Farmers Served : 904</p> <p>Fund turnover by NFA to PGI covering the sales of BRO ASAP/PPP corn stocks - P3,951,209.37</p> <p>Provided 108 IEC about the program serving 108 farmers during the farmers congress at City of Ilagan.</p> <p>Quantity procured (kgs.): 2,090,921.84</p> <p>Premium transport cost: P1,045,460.92</p> <p>Farmers Served : 904</p> <p>Provided 108 IEC about the program serving 108 farmers during the farmers congress at City of Ilagan.</p> <p>1.Provided 108 IEC about the program to 108 farmers during the farmers congress at City of Ilagan.</p> <p>1. The Provincial Agriculturist attended meeting with Korean Consultants on</p>
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	<p>partnership with P/M Local Government Units.</p>	<p>Biomass Power Plant Project for the province.</p> <p>2. The Provincial Agriculturist attended special meeting on the Provincial Project Management .</p> <p>3. Eight (8) OPA Fishery staff attended the seminar on Health and Wellness at ATI Cabagan, Isabela.</p> <p>4. Two OPA staff evaluated 40 hectares at Dinapigue for possible production of cacao and coffee.</p> <p>5. Two OPA staff attended training on System for Rice Intensification at Divisoria, Santiago City conducted by Episcopal Diocese of Iagan</p>
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