Putting Agriculture and Fisheries at the Heart of Economic Recovery

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Province of Iloilo Vision and Mission



VISION

LIVABLE, RESILIENT, PROGRESSIVE and GLOBALLY COMPETITIVE ILOILO

MISSION

Create an environment conducive to the transformation of the Province of Iloilo into a socially, economically and spiritually vibrant community with a body politic that is strong and unassailable.

The "Iloilo Economic Team"

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The Governor ...

with his PA Atty: Suzette Mamon, Planning and Development Coordinator, Mr. Mario Nillos, and LED Champion, Dr. Raul Banias

Investment Promotion Board

The Hollo Investment Facilitation Network(IIFN) Members

Provincial TourismOffice Mr.GilbertMari

<u>Vice Governor Christine Garin</u> presiding over the first "paperless" session of the 13th Sangguniang Panlalawigan

Local Economic Development and **Investment**Promotion Team headed by Provincial LEIPO, Ms. Velma Jane Lao ILOILO INVESTMENT FORUM

EXIT

Main Economic Challenges

- Healthcare Systems Capacity
- Agricultural Productivity
- Sustainability of Fisheries
- Tourism Recovery

On Healthcare Systems Capacity

Problems affecting hospital system:

- Capacities of the provincial and district hospitals in health service remains a challenge
- Need to expand infrastructure and upgrade services
- Lack of upgraded IT infrastructure for digital records management

Why is it important?

 Affects ability of IPG hospital system to comply with the requirements of Universal Healthcare Law

Target Beneficiaries

 Residents of the Province of Iloilo, Tourists and visitors



On Agricultural Productivity

Problems and Significance*

- Inadequate technology transfer mechanisms
- Expensive and inappropriate farm equipment for small farmers
- Marketing of commodities
- * Investments in technology will boost agricultural productivity and ensure food security

Target beneficiaries

• Farming households, agri-business entrepreneurs, food service sector



On Sustainability of Fisheries

Problem and Significance*

- Declining fish catch due to overfishing and the effects of climate change
- * Sustainable, productive fisheries and aquaculture improve food and nutrition security, improve income and livelihoods, promote economic growth and protect environment and natural resources

Target Beneficiaries

• Fishers, fish traders, consumers



Tourism Recovery

Problem and Significance*

- 99% decline in tourism demand
- Slow reopening of tourism establishments
- * Recovery is important as tourism interface with other sectors, foremost, are agriculture and service sectors

Target Beneficiaries:

 Tourism-related establishments and displaced service providers



The Solution: Plan RT-PCR*

Sustained Health Watch and Emergency Response

Enhance compliance monitoring of COVID-19 health protocols and contact tracing using RIsCTrAP

Maintain health surveillance of other infectious diseases

Strengthen emergency preparedness and response thru the establishment of the Provincial Civil Defense Center

Economic Recovery

Revive establishments, industries and livelihood sectors affected by the implementation of community quarantine measures

Restore income in businesses

Provide employment opportunities

*Plan for the Rehabilitation and Transformation of the Province to Catalyze Recovery

COVID-19 Health Response

- Provision of infections control barriers in the triage and high traffic areas of the hospitals
- Purchase of diagnostic and ancillary laboratory equipment for management of patients
- 3. Purchase of additional one(1) unit waste decomposer



COVID-19 Health Response

4. Capacity development/ Learning and Development of key hospital personnel on:

a. Molecular Biology Technology for MedTechs

b. Triage, infection control and prevention for nurses and nursing aides

5. Procurement and stockpiling f appropriate drugs and medicines, medical supplies, PPEs dedicated to ensure immediate availability of supplies in outbreaks and pandemics





ECONOMIC RECOVERY





 Boost agriculture and fishery to restore lost capital and income due to unsold products, price differential and disrupted supply lines



- Ensuring the availability and accessibility of agri-fishery products, through intensified and refocused programs, and by shifting to technology based methods
- 2. Promoting on-line marketing of agri-fishery products
- Intensifying support services
 in the form of farm machinery
 and equipment



2. Stimulate trade and the services industry to restore revenue

FREE ALL MARKED

Iloilo Farmers Weekend Market at GT Mall Pavia

- Providing credit access to MSMEs and returning OFWs, for resumption of business operations or start-up capital through the Expanded Micro-Business Recovery Assistance during Crisis and Emergency (EMBRACE) Program
- 2. Strengthening Online Marketing of products
- Establishing a central Agri-Fishery
 Information System through the
 Provincial Agri-Fishery Information
 System (PAIS)

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-669

RESOLUTION EMBODYING <u>PROVINCIAL ORDINANCE NO. 2020-242</u>, AN ORDINANCE IMPLEMENTING THE EXPANDED MICRO BUSINESS RECOVERY ASSISTANCE DURING CRISIS AND EMERGENCY (EMBRACE) PROGRAM

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4. Intensify value-adding in production and innovation of local products through Livelihood Skills Trainings, Product Development Programs and the Establishment of the Iloilo Provincial Packaging and Labelling Center (IPPLC)







- 5. Pursuing employment facilitation and protection
- 6. Capacitating MSMEs using digital platform
- 7. Capacitating tourism stakeholders in other tourism-related skills
- 8. Diversifying to other tourism related services
- 9. Capacitating displaced OFWs and other displaced workers in other livelihood skills by developing entrepreneurial mindset and skills for new livelihood projects





Iloilo Integrated Government Center and Urban Township Project



PERSPECTIVE

MAIN ENTRANCE WAY







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Project Components

Integrated Government Center

- High rise, energy-efficient, one-stop-shop
- Green/energy-efficient structure
- Resiliency command center

Urban Township Development

- Corporate offices for IT-BPO, trade and finance, etc.
- Residential (hotel, condo) commercial and retail establishments
- Barangay Center
- Rebuilding of school structures and facilities
- Common parking spaces and access road
- Power, water facilities, sewerage treatment and solid waste management











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Iloilo Sports, Recreation and Wellness Hub Project

The Project involves the **development of a worldclass and state-of-the-art Sports, Recreation and Wellness Hub** through the rehabilitation of the existing Iloilo Sports Complex facilities and establishment of recreational and wellness facilities

Existing Facilities:

- Main Grandstand
- Open Courts (Basketball and Volleyball)
- Tennis Court
- Track Oval
- Football Field
- Swimming Pool
- Basketball Gym with Hostel and Office Spaces



Project Objective and Components

The Project is expected to enable the lloilo **Provincial Government to** host and accommodate big local, national and international sporting events.



Comparative Advantages

LOILO PROVINCIAL CAPITO

Graft-free Governance

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Partnership for Enhancing Government Integrity



Grow Western Visayas

Accelerating Agricultural Investments for Global Markets

Dynamic Investment Promotion Team

(leading or supporting collaborations)





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Best Performing Province for Years 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 earning the HALL OF FAME AWARD

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Seal of Good Local Governance, Grand Slam Winner

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Grand Slam Winner, Best Public Employment Service Office (PESO) for 2016, 2017 & 2018, First-Class Province Category

2018 Most Business Friendly Finalist (2015 & 2018), **PCCI's Most Business**-Friendly LGU Award, Province Category 44TH PHILIPPINE BUSINESS CONFERENCE & EXPO hilippine Chamber of Commerce and Industry INFRASTRUCTURE & DIGITAL ECONOMY: THE GAME CHANGERS The Voice of Business 2018 Most Business-Friendly Local Government Unit Award Final Judging **CONFERENCE & EXPO** mmerce and Industry TH PHILIPPINE BUSINESS **Special Recognition** SPECIAL ECOGNITION Provincial Government of Iloilo Hon. Arthur D. Defensor Sr. Governor for being adjudged as one of the Finalists of the GOVERNOR 2015 Most Business-Friendly Local Government Unit Award Province Level 1 exemplifying commendable initiatives towards good governance reforms for being adjudged as one of the Finalists of the that promote trade and investments, and significantly contribute to local economic development. able initiatives towards good governance reforms that promote trade and invest Given this 21st day of October 2015 at the Don Emilio Yap Boardroom, and significantly contribute to local economic developmen 3/F Commerce and Industry Plaza, McKinley Town Center, Fort Bonifacio, Taquia City. Given this 9th day of October 2018 at the PCCI Headquarter and Industry Plans, McKinley Hill, Fort Bonifacio, Tapuig City JOSE S. ALEJANDRO MIGUEL B. VARELA Chairman, LGU Awards Chairman, PCCI hairman, 41" PBC Awards

Financing PLAN RT-PCR

- P171,730,600.00 to fully finance PLAN RT-PCR
- P48M for public health services and hospital management and technical support services
- P64M is required to fund economic recovery services for 12 months which include fund for loan assistance, training and capital expenses

