

KALILAYAN IP

A Comprehensive Development Program for the Indigenous Peoples of Quezon Province
of Governor David C. Suarez and the Provincial Government of Quezon

16 October 2017

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Municipal Mayor
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municipalities of Buenavista, Burdeos, Catanuan, General Nakar, Mauaban, Lopez, and Perez.

Attached are the matrix of the activity, the project brief, and the list of participants.

Hoping to hear from your positive response. Should there will be queries, please feel free to contact Mr. Rejulios M. Villenes, Education Program Specialist II and The Kalilayan IP TWG Member, at 0956-759-7402 or rejville10@yahoo.com.

Thank you!

Sincerely,



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The Provincial Government of Quezon
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PROJECT BRIEF

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

- Project Title : **The Kalilayan IP**
(Komprehensibong Aksyon sa Literasi, Lakang Pamayanan
at Kabuhayan para sa Indigenous Peoples)
- Project Nature : A Comprehensive Development Project for the Indigenous Peoples of Quezon Province
- Focus Programs : Strand 1 – Literasi (Education and Literacy)
Strand 2 – Lakang Pamayanan (Community Development)
Strand 3 – Kabuhayan (Livelihood)
- Project Recipients : Indigenous Peoples (IPs) Communities in Quezon
(*Target IPs: Dumagats of Northern Quezon
and Aetas of Southern Quezon*)
- Project Sites : Buenavista, Burdeos, Catanuan, General Nakar, Mauban, Lopez, and Perez

II. PROJECT BACKGROUND

The Kalilayan IP is a project conceptualized to provide Comprehensive Development Project for the Indigenous Peoples of Quezon Province. Kalilayan IP is an acronym for the key components of the project, which means Komprehensibong Aksyon sa Literasi, Lakang Pamayanan at Kabuhayan para sa Indigenous Peoples.

The project proponents used Kalilayan since it is the old name of the province before it was referred as Tayabas and to its current name, Quezon. Since the project aims to deliver a comprehensive development program for the IPs of Quezon, it is also significant to name the project after the *katutubong pangalan* of the province. Moreover, the term Kalilayan can be spelled out after its three (3) major project components which include the (1) education and literacy, (2) community development, and (3) livelihood.

Education and literacy shall focus on various programs that will address their basic education services. It will highlight youth and adult literacy as well as various literacy projects on social and civic dimensions. A component project also shall highlight this strand that shall focus on the indigenization of the learning process. This aims to preserve their culture, values and language while taking up basic education and literacy classes.

Community development aims to empower the families and members of the IP community in order to strengthen the project implementation and to uplift the status of their

communities. A council shall be established to coordinate various programs and government services to address the needs of their community. Moreover, this strand shall focus on providing the basic social services needed by the IP communities which include health, scholarship programs, and housing projects among others.

Livelihood strand focuses on merging the concept of income generation and literacy. This is to productively sustain their livelihood and income sources towards uplifting their way of life. Moreover, the government and the project management committee shall help the marketing of the products produced from the livelihood of the IP communities. Likewise, to make the project more indigenized, their livelihood shall focus on agricultural product production and processing.

The identified strands of this project shall be a collective effort and shall follow a synergistic approach in its delivery to make it more successful. The project is also comprehensively designed to address the needs of the IP communities while preserving and nurturing their culture, values and language and sustaining them towards progress.

III. PROJECT OBJECTIVES

This project aims to deliver a comprehensive development program for the IP communities in Quezon. Hence, the following objectives are identified:

1. Deliver basic education services for the IP communities;
2. Provide program support system for the delivery of literacy programs;
3. Craft a program addressing the preservation of their culture, values and language;
4. Organize an IP Council in partnership with concerned agencies and bodies to bridge the project and other government programs to the needs of their communities and families;
5. Provide basic social services and support;
6. Provide support mechanisms to empower their communities;
7. Establish livelihood projects integrating literacy context for IP communities; and,
8. Help the IP communities market and sell their products.

IV. PROJECT COMPONENTS AND SALIENT FEATURES

The Kalilayan IP is designed with various component projects comprised of education and literacy, community development, and livelihood. Presented as follows are the main projects and components in each strand:

- 1. Strand 1 – Literasi (Education and Literacy)**
 - a. Project IPLC: Indigenous Peoples Learning Center
 - b. Project 5K: Katutubong Kaalaman at Karunungan tungo sa Kaunlaran ng Kinabukasan
 - c. Social and Civic Empowerment Literacy (SCiEL)
- 2. Strand 2 – Lakang Pamayanan (Community Development)**
 - a. Kalilayan Indigenous People Development Council (KIPDC)
 - b. Provision of Social Services
 - c. Partnership with NGOs
- 3. Strand 3 – Kabuhayan (Livelihood)**
 - a. Project 2LIPs: Literacy-Livelihood for Indigenous Peoples
 - b. Partnership with NGOs and Other Service Providers

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As a comprehensive development program, it is composed of the following salient features that make this project a distinct one.

1. Trifocal Delivery System (Holistic and Integrative)

- Education (Children for the Formal Schools, Out-of-School Youth and Adults for the ALS' BLP and A&E thru Project IPLC, Community Members for the Project 5K, IP Empowerment thru Project SCiEL)
- Community Development (Council Development Formation, Delivery of Basic Social Services)
- Livelihood (Literacy + Income Generation and Sustainable Productivity thru Project 2LIPS)

2. Preservation of IP Culture

- Project 5K - Teaching of IP culture, values and language thru scheduled community circles
- Contextualization of materials (localization and indigenization)
- Training of Teachers on Teaching IP Learners (Indigogy and Contextualization)
- Production of Indigenized Learning Materials

3. Interagency Implementation Efforts

- Synergistic Implementation of Kalilayan IP Projects spearheaded by the Governor's Office
- Overall Management and Supervision thru the Governor's Office and Kalilayan IP Management Council/ Technical Working Group
- Education and Literacy thru DepEd
- Health Services thru Department of Health - Rural Health Units/ Centers
- Livelihood (Agriculture Production, Irrigation) thru Provincial Agriculture Office
- Marketing of Products thru Provincial Trade and Industry Office

4. Empowerment of IP Communities

- Formation and strengthening IP Community Development Council
- Provision of sustainable education, social services, and livelihood projects
- Proper program placement for each Kalilayan IP recipient
(e.g. IPs who will finish their secondary schooling shall be given opportunities for the College Scholarship Program of the Governor)

V. TECHNICAL WORKING GROUPS (TWGs)

Composition	Offices/ Units
Chair	Office of the Provincial Governor
Co-Chair	Office of the Provincial Administrator Office of the Schools Division Superintendent Office of the Provincial Social Welfare and Development
Secretariat	Office of the PGO Chief of Staff Office of the Curriculum Implementation Division Chief
Core TWG Member	Office of the Curriculum Implementation Division (Instructional Management Unit - ALS)

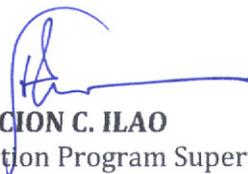
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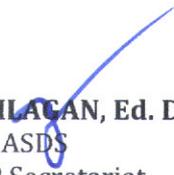
Partner Agencies	Office Chief/Head, Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Office Chief/Head, Integrated Provincial Health Office Office Chief/Head, Gender and Development Office Office Chief/Head, Public Employment and Services Office – Quezon Office Chief/Head, Labor and Employment – Quezon Office Chief/Head, TESDA Quezon Office Chief/Head, Trade and Industry – Quezon Office Chief/Head, National Irrigation Agency – Quezon Office Chief/Head, Agriculture Office – Quezon Office Chief/Head, Philippine Coconut Authority – Quezon Head/Program Director, Quezon Q1K Program
Finance Committee	Office of the Provincial Treasurer Office of the Provincial Budget Officer Office of the Provincial Accountant
Coordinators	LGU Designate Representatives for The Kalilayan IP

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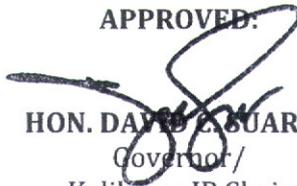

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