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REPORT

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SUBJECT : Weekly Accomplishment Report of Provincial Agriculture Office covering the period March 10-14, 2014

Hereunder are the highlights of our office accomplishments to wit;

PROGRAM/PROJECT/ACTIVITY	ACCOMPLISHMENT
I. RICE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM	
A. Rice Production Status	Total of 9,397.5 hectares of rice area were harvested yielding 40,708.72 metric tons as of February 28, 2014
B. Chinese Hybrid Rice Production	Gathered agronomic data and exact measurement per plot of Philscat techno demo on Chinese Hybrid Rice Production implemented in the province .
C. Extension Delivery Service	Served as resource person in the conduct of Farmers Field School in the municipalities of Roxas, Burgos, Gamu & Ilagan.
E. Coldspell Damage Assessment	Validated extent of damage to 5,542 hectares of rice areas affected by coldspell involving 10 municipalities. Assessment made disclosed that unfilled grains brought by coldspell will cause rice farmers 35-40% reduction in yield.
F. Drought Damage Assessment	Monitored 2,270 hectares of rice rainfed areas at reproductive stage that were affected by drought .
II. CORN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM	1. Total area harvested to corn as of this date is
A. Corn Production Status	34,359.94 hectares with a production of 155,256.14 metric tons. Obtaining an average yield of 4.52 metric tons per hectare.

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	2. Monitored and determined expected date of harvest of rice and corn areas of Ilagan City, Sn Mariano, Cauayan City and Jones, Pilot municipalities of NFA for their mobile procurement operation at the barangay this harvest season. This activity is an action of the Honorable Governor in response to the concern of farmers with difficulty of transporting and sell their produce to National Food Authority (NFA).
B. Drought Damage Assessment	1. Monitored a total of 15,958 hectares of corn areas at vegetative and reproductive stage that were affected by drought.
III. HIGH VALUE COMMERCIAI CROPS DEVT PROGRAM (HVCCDP)	
A.Nursery Operation and Management	 Produced 188 pieces of asexually propagated cacao and pomelo fruit trees seedlings. Distributed 36 pieces fruit tree seedlings to 3 beneficiaries. Produced 5,200 pieces (pepper) vegetable seedlings Distributed 9,505 pieces of assorted vegetable seedlings to 38 recipients.
C. Drought Damage Assessment	Monitored 1,699 hectares HVCC drought affected areas on flowering to fruiting stage.
IV. FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT	
A. San Pablo Fish Farm Operation	1. Dispersed 65,000 pieces of fingerlings to the municipalities of Sto. Tomas, San Pablo, Tumauini and Cabagan benefitting 30 fishpond operators.
	2. Provided 5,000 pieces of fingerlings to RIC, Eden, San Manuel. An assistance to the improvement of their livelihood fishpond project in preparation for the Regional Gawad Saka Evaluation.
B. Extension Service delivery	1. Inspected on-going techno demo projects on aquaculture located at Quezon, Mallig, San Manuel, Angadanan, Cabatuan , Reina Mercedes,And Delfin Albano
	 Validated proposed site for techno demo of Cabagan as to its technical suitability for Ricefish cum duckweed Validated newly constructed SWIP at Brgy Aneg,

	D. Albano potential for fingerling stocking.
C. Regulatory Services	1. Campaigned against the use of illegal fishing gadgets (Electro fishing paraphernalia)
	2. Coordinated with MLGUs relative to the organization of MFARMC
D. Management Support Services	1. Provided assistance to MLGU's of Delfin albano and Cabagan in the Fisheries Registration Program (Fish R) of the BFAR.
IV. SEARCH, RECOGNITION & AWARDING OF OUTSTANDING AGRICULTURAL PERFORMANCE	
A. Gawad Saka	Provided technical support to Gawad Saka Provincial Winners who qualify for the regional level competition. The following were the Gawad Saka Categories that bested other provincial entries after the regional deliberation held at Department of Agriculture Regional Office that were scheduled this week (March 12-14,2014) for the regional evaluation . a. Outstanding Rice Farmer b. Outstanding Agri-Entreprenuer c. Outstanding MAFC d. Outstanding Fisherfolk/Farmer Family e. Outstanding Small Animal Raiser f. Outstanding Small Animal Raiser f. Outstanding Small Fisherfolk/Farmer Org'n h. Outstanding Agricultural Scientist i. Outstanding Agricultural Researcher j. Outstanding Organic Farmer Org'n
V. FARMERS INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	1. Assisted walk-in clients for BRO inquiries and agriculture information and technology needs
	2. Served as host for Radio Program at DWD and Bombo Radio
V. COLLABORATIVE PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES	1.Joined the PLGU provincial officials in the Agri- pinoy Rice Achievers Awarding Ceremony at ATI,Diliman,Quezon City today, March 14, 2014. The Isabela province's was conferred 4M cash prize and 1M each for the three (3) muinicipalities (San Mateo, Alciia and Cauayan City). Also, P20,000 cash prize were given to 27 Agricultural Extension Workers of the province

	for their exemplary performance in carrying out Rice Production Programs in their respective area of responsibility. Number of AEWs breakdown as follows:
	a. Province - 5 b. San Mateo - 7 c. Alicia - 4 d. Cauayan City - 7 e. Santiago City - 1 f. Cabatuan - 1 g. Roxas - 2
VI. OTHERS	 1.One (1) staff attended the 3-day meeting/wokshop for trained participants on Rice Mechanization and Post-harvest Technology conducted by PhilMech, Munoz, Nueva Ecija. 2.Participated in the preparation of the Reforestation Plan of the 200 hectares watershed of Pasa Small River Irrigation Project on March 12, 2014. 3.Participated in the meeting regarding the National Convergence Initiative for Sustainable Development (NCI-SRD) on March 14, 2014. 4.Participated in the Regional Forum on Rubber on March 14, 2014 in Tuao, East , Cagayan.
VII. BRO - LAMFP	 Joined in the conduct of Farmers Congress held at Delfin Albano in disseminating BRO programs. Conducted information campaign relative to the repayment of loans to farmers who availed of loan assistance under the BRO-LAMFP Program. Provided Application for Passbook to farmers who wanted to sell their products to NFA.

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