## Activities Undertaken from May 19 to 23, 2014 Office of the Provincial Social Welfare & Development

On May 20, 2014 marked the beginning of construction of the Evacuation and Multi-Purpose Center, a provincial facility of the Provincial Government to be erected at the capitol grounds near the provincial gymnasium and Office of the Provincial Engineer. This center will serve as a temporary solace for internally displaced individuals/ families or disaster victims. The groundbreaking ceremony started at 8:30 AM which was attended by visitors from the Department of Social Welfare & Development Office (DSWD) Regional Office Field Office II, Provincial Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG), department heads and capitol employees. The ceremony was highlighted by the message of the Provincial Governor, Honourable Faustino G. Dy III expressing his concerns for response & recovery of every victim of a catastrophe. Welcoming the visitors and overview of the said center was presented by PSWDO Ms. Lucila Ambatali. Messages were also delivered by the DSWD FO2 Head of Disaster Management, Mr. Frank Lopez and Provincial DILG Director, Mr. Elpidio Durwin. The blessing of the site was solemnized by Reverend Father Alden Zulueta and was followed by the groundbreaking ceremony



Delivering a message by Provincial Governor Hon. Faustino G. Dy III during the groundbreaking ceremony of the evacuation and multi-purpose center on May 20, 2014.



The groundbreaking site



Blessing of the site solemnized by Rev. Fr. Alden Zulueta





The Honourable Faustino G. Dy III during the ceremonial groundbreaking together with Rev. Fr. Zulueta, DSWD representative Mr. Lopez, DILG Provincial Director Durwin, PSWDO Ambatali , Provincial Administrator Atty. Lopez, department heads and capitol employees.





➤ On May 19-21, 2014, about 183 Day Care Workers of the City of Ilagan were trained on the Revised Manual for Day Care Workers at CVIARD San Felipe, City of Ilagan, Isabela where one (1) of our staff, Mrs. Cruz, was requested to give lecture during the three-day training, part of the training is developing self-esteem, importance of partnership with the parents, families and the community as well as peer support group. The training was highlighted with planning and designing the curriculum that are relevant and realistic for young children. Various songs appropriate for the children were also introduced. It was indeed a meaningful and fruitful learning experience for the day care workers.





