# MUNICIPAL AGRICULTURE OFFICE

# ACCOMPLISHMENT REPORT FY- 2019

Republic of the Philippines Province of Romblon Municipality of Santa Fe oOo

## OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL AGRICULTURIST

September 14, 2020

## Hon. ELSIE D. VISCA

Municipal Mayor Santa Fe, Romblon

# Thru: Engr. Derrick E. Mayor

MPDC This municipality

Madam:

Submitting herewith the Municipal Agriculture Office's Annual Accomplishment Report from January 2019to December 2019.

For your information and perusal.

Very truly yours,

# CHARLIE T. ANDRES, JR, RPAE

Municipal Agriculturist

# HIGHLIGHTS OF AGRICULTURE ACCOMPLISHMENTS C.Y. - 2019

## I - CROP PRODUCTION AND MANAGEMENT

The area planted for rice by 1216 farmers during wet season for irrigated & rainfed areas was 565.9 hectares, the same area has been harvested in years prior. The average yield per hectare obtained from inbred variety was 4. 57 mt per hectare.

In the dry season, 566.9 hectare was planted in both irrigated and rainfed areas. It was noted that 566.9 hectare was also harvested during this season. The yield obtained from our 5 hectares hybrid farm located in barangay Danao Norte (2 ha) was 6.2 mt and 6.1 mt in the hybrid farm located in barangay Guinbirayan. For our Seed Exchange Program, 7.5 hectares of rice field located in barangay Pandan and barangay Guinbirayan was planted and harvested utilizing registered seeds. The average yield obtained during dry season was 5.3 mt per hectare and 5.34 mt during wet season. The total area planted during wet season was 30.04 hectares located in different barangays of this municipality. Our farmer beneficiaries enjoyed the free inputs that they received under the said program.



Hybrid rice farm located at barangay Danao Norte and barangay Guinbirayan



Flow of activities for SeedEx Program



Inputs for Seed Exchange (SeedEx) Program

A total of 270 farmers also received 270 bags (one bag per farmer) of certified seeds during wet season for our High-Yielding Technology Adaptation (HYTA) – Inbred Rice Project that was downloaded by DA-RFO.



Received and distribution of Certified Seeds to the farmer beneficiaries

## **II – ANIMAL PRODUCTION AND MANAGEMENT**

The DA RFU-IVB thru the Provincial Veterinary Office has supported the municipality in providing drugs and vaccines. De-worming of carabao was conducted. Seven carabao were de-wormed. 504 heads of dogs were vaccinated against rabies.

Treatment against various other diseases was administered to 4 swine and 2 goats.



Out of the previous animal dispersal program, 12 native pigs (10) gilt and (2) boar were redistributed to qualified beneficiaries. Only qualified raisers with good moral character and no record of any prior government transactions were considered and granted approval for redistribution. Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) was provided and signed by the concerned as signatories.



# III – HIGH VALUE COMMERCIAL CROPS (HVCC)

## **A) Vegetables Seeds**

In support of the Federal Food Security Program, through the Department of Agriculture Regional Field Office - MIMAROPA High Value Crops Development Program, our office has distributed 30 kilograms of assorted vegetables seeds to backyard growers, gardeners, schools and community garden representatives (4P's Communal Garden).



School & community garden

### **B) Fruit Trees Seedlings**

Through DA RFO - MIMAROPA High Value Crops Development Program, our office dispatched 1,068 pcs. Cacao and 625 budded Calamansi Seedlings to Calatong Fairyland Association in brgy. Guintigbasan. In which it is being distributed to their association member and other farmers within the municipality. Another 900 pcs. Mango seedlings for Samahan ng mga Magsasaka ng Danao Norte (SAMADAN) Farmers Association members and other farmers who engaged in Mango production. Lastly, LGU-Santa Fe purchased 200 pcs. Rambutan seedlings that was distributed to 100 farmers within the municipality.



Fruit trees seedlings for our beneficiaries

## **C)** Garden Tools and Equipment

Agmanic Farmer's Association in brgy. Agmanic, Santa Fe received 10 pieces of Plastic drums from the DA RFO-MIMAROPA under High Value Crops Production Program. The plastic drums were used as water impounding facility for backyard gardens to help in continued vegetable production during dry season.







Garden tools for our vegetable farmers

Danao Sur Farmer's Association in Danao Sur, Santa Fe, also received 500 meters of HDPE Pipe to be used for the production of vegetables and other high value crops







Portable water pump was also awarded to Santa Fe Mango Grower's Association

## **III.A HIGH VALUE COMMERCIAL CROPS (HVCC)**

Project Interventions	Number/Kg	Item/s	Recipient(s)/ Barangay(s)/ Farmers Association/ No. Of Farmers
Vegetable Seeds	30 kgs.	Okra Talong Squash Baguio beans Sitao Pechay Mustasa Kangkong Kamatis Ampalaya	All barangays
Fruit Trees Seedlings	1,068 625 900 200	Cacao Calamansi Mango Rambutan	75 farmers 44 farmers 55 farmers 50 farmers
Plastic Drums	10	Plastic drums	Agmanic Farmers Association
HDPE Pipe	500 m	1 Roll HDPE Pipe	Danao Sur Farmers Association
Portable Water Pump	1	Set	Mango Growers Association

#### **Other Project Interventions**

Other Intervention from the Department of Agriculture RFO-MIMAROPA through their Organic Agriculture Program was the "Kuliglig". The recipient for this project is Guinbirayan Vegetable Growers Association in brgy. Guinbirayan.







Kuliglig for vegetable growers of barangay Guinbirayan

### **IV – FISHERIES PROGRAM:**

#### A. COASTAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

The office of the Municipal Agriculturist together with Bantay Dagat conducted installation of marker at fish sanctuary located at Sitio Cabangahan, Guinbirayan with a total area of 220 hectares. Supervision, monitoring, evaluation and surveillance were conducted in the area to prevent encroachment of illegal fishers.



Installation of marker at fish sanctuary

A total of 105 green sea turtle were released by the Office of Municipal Agriculturist personnel at Barangay Canyayo coastline.





Release of sea turtle to the coastline of barangay Canyayo

# **ORIENTATION ON SUSTAINABLE FISHING**







Orientation on sustainable fishing at barangay Magsaysay and Canyayo

# FISHERFOLKS DAY CELEBRATION

The Local Government Unit, spearheaded by the office of the Municipal Agriculturist conducted Fisherfolks day celebration.

This activity was participated by local fisherfolks in this municipality.







Conduct of Fisherfolks day celebration



## **B. LIVELIHOD ASSISTANCE**

### a. Aquaculture

The Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) thru the Office of Municipal Agriculturist turned-over 3 units of fish cage and 5 thousand pcs. of red tilapia fingerlings to the qualified fisherfolks. This project was called Aquasilvi-culture program which is located at Sitio Cabalian, Agmanic. It is a mangrove-friendly aquaculture technique of producing fish in a watered area enclosed with net but does not allow cutting of mangrove tress.



Aquasilvi-culture program at Sitio Cabalian, Agmanic

## SEAWEEDS SEEDLINGS DISTRIBUTION

A total of 30 tons of seaweeds seedlings were distributed to the seaweed farmers of five Barangay's in this municipality (Danao Norte, Guinbirayan, Tabugon, Magsaysay& Agmanic).





Seaweeds seedlings distribution to the seaweed farmers

## b. Capture

### **BOTTOM SET GILL NET DISTRIBUTION**

A total of 20 sets of bottom set gill net were distributed to the qualified fisherfolks of different barangays in this municipality.



Bottom set gill net distribution to the qualified fisherfolks of different barangays in this municipality