



Provincial Government of Palawan  
**OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL AGRICULTURE**  
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# PROGRAMS, PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES

## CY 2018

# VISION:

**“ A progressive agriculture and fisheries economy in the context of market competitiveness, sustainable development & climate change resilient.”**

# MISSION:

**“ Increase and sustain productivity and profitability level among agri-based clientele and entrepreneurs in a well-managed and protected area.”**

# REGULAR TARGETS

## A. AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICES

- ✓ **Organization and assistance to the different Rural-Based Organizations (RBOs) and Agricultural & Fishery Councils;**
- ✓ **Conduct of Technology Trainings in Crops and Fisheries Production, Orientations and Workshops;**
- ✓ **Provision of technical assistance to farmers and fisher-folks;**
- ✓ **Assist and conduct of techno-clinics, congresses & for a.**

## B. MAINTENANCE OF FACILITIES/ AGRICULTURAL INPUT PRODUCTION SERVICES

- ✓ **Production of assorted fruit seedlings in the Provincial and Rural Agricultural Centers;**
- *To support the Organic Agriculture the office produce the following:*
  - ✓ ***Vermicast* for dispersal and use in the demonstration farms;**
  - ✓ ***Vermi-worms* for dispersal to the interested association that will be engage in organic fertilizer production; and**
  - ✓ **Bio N – for grains and vegetable production**

## C. AGRICULTURAL TECHNOLOGY PRODUCTION SERVICES

- ✓ **Establishment and maintenance of demonstration farms that will serve as show window of technology;**

## D. LOCATION-SPECIFIC RESEARCH SERVICES

- ✓ **Conduct of Farmers/ Climate Field School** – a 16-weeks long activity wherein rice/corn/vegetable farmers and agricultural extension workers meet once a week to discuss the different topics from land preparation to harvest. The activity is a combination of lecture, practicum, field demonstration and sharing of knowledge and experience in the production.

## E. FISHERIES MANAGEMENT SERVICES

- ✓ **Monitor Marine Protected Areas (MPA).** This activity use Management Effectiveness Assessment Tool (MEAT) to serve as a reference in gauging the management effectiveness of LGUs and concerned agencies and at the same time to track the status of the protected area.

## F. AGRICULTURE REGULATORY MEASURES AND ENFORCEMENT SERVICES

- ✓ **Assist seed growers in the application for Seed Certification;**
- ✓ **Red Tide Monitoring (Fish laboratory)**



## G. AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING SERVICES

- ✓ **Inventory of Agricultural Facilities and Machineries;**
- ✓ **Validation, Inspection & Monitoring of facilities and equipment;**
- ✓ **Preparation of proposal**

## H. NETWORKING AND LINKAGING SERVICES

NEW  
LIVELIHOOD  
PROGRAMS

RICE:

PRODUCTIVITY RICE  
ENHANCEMENT  
DEVELOPMENT (PRED)  
PROGRAM

# EXPECTED TANGIBLE OUTPUT

- ✓ 0.25- 0.5 tons/ hectare increase in overall rice yields of existing lowland-irrigated rice areas
- ✓ Demonstrated, developed and promoted Location Specific and Integrated Crop Management Practices in these areas;
- ✓ Sustained partnership among national and local government units, non-government organizations and private sectors;
- ✓ Accelerated adaptation and integration of climate-smart farming systems of participating rice farming communities;
- ✓ Significant poverty alleviations among rice farming communities;
- ✓ Decreased incidence of rice importations from neighboring provinces.

# **TARGET BENEFICIARIES:**

- ✓ OPA will prioritize rice farmers who has already undergone the model farm for hybrid rice demonstrations of DA-Regional Field Office
- ✓ Rice farmers who are willing to undergo the 16 weeks long Farmer's Field School (FFS) for hybrid rice productions and management from seed to harvest;
- ✓ Bonafide rice farmers who were endorsed by the Municipal Agriculture Office or the accredited/ registered farmer associations from various municipalities.

CORN:

CORN  
LIVELIHOOD  
ASSISTANCE  
PROGRAM (CLAP)

# EXPECTED TANGIBLE OUTPUT

- ✓ 3.0 to 7.0 tons per hectare increase in overall corn yields of existing corn areas;
- ✓ Increase corn farmers' income; and
- ✓ Empower corn farmers through technology transfer and strengthened corn farmers association.

# **TARGET BENEFICIARIES:**

- ✓ OPA will prioritize corn farmers who has already undergone the model farm for corn demonstrations of DA-Regional Field Office
- ✓ Corn farmers who are willing to undergo the 16 weeks long Farmer's Field School (FFS) for corn productions and management from seed to harvest;
- ✓ Bonafide corn farmers who were endorsed by the Municipal Agriculture Office or the accredited/ registered farmer associations from various municipalities.



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