CAV9TE Local Government Report 2012

Executive Summary

Annually, Local Government Units produces the Local Government Report. This report embodies four major parts of government operation. The first chapter contains the results of the Local Governance Performance Management System or the LGPMS. This chapter is the basis of evaluation on the performance of the provincial government in four areas of governance such as social, economic, environment and administrative. On the second chapter, the accomplishments of all provincial offices are presented. The accomplishment report are very detailed indicating the Performance Target or the description of the program, project activity; the schedule of its implementation; performance indicator; and the actual accomplishment of the office for each target. The third chapter shows the Plans and Programs of the different provincial government offices. This chapter lays down the direction that the provincial government will take for the following fiscal year. The presentation of such will ensure that all of the programs. Projects and activities to be implemented are in line with the over-all direction set by the provincial administration. The last part is the Attachment portion. It discusses the background of the provincial government such as vision, development strategies, financial profile and potential investment areas. Another attachment is the description of the budget performance and financial statements of the province for 2012. The third attachment talks about the major accomplishments of the entire provincial government. It is followed with the list of passed ordinances and issued executive orders in 2012. The functional and organizational charts of the entire provincial government are also present in this report.

Under the Local Governance Performance Management System, the province of Cavite performed well in its administrative governance gaining the following ratings: local legislation – 4/5, development planning - 5/5, revenue generation - 4.92/5, resource allocation and utilization - 4/5 and human resource management and development – 5/5. The human resource management and development performed well in ensuring the good performance and productivity of all the capitol employees. On the other hand, this is complemented with satisfactory performance of development planning functions. The processes involved, one of which is the consultations and public hearings, are all in place as well as the availability of all planning databases. These foundations provide a very facilitative process of development planning. In the area of local legislation, the ordinances are lesser than the legislative measures which affected the total rating of local legislation.

An almost perfect rating was achieved in the social governance covering the areas of health services (4.94/5), support to education services (5/5), support to housing and basic utilities (5/5) and peace, security and disaster risk management (4.75). Evidently, the provincial government is exerting all efforts to address the housing concerns in Cavite. There are relocation programs implemented in order to provide resettlement to illegal settlers. Other support programs were also implemented in the areas of livelihood, infrastructure and education. The provincial government also works hand-in-hand with private and public entities working towards provision of housing services as in the case of LRTA Relocation Project. There are also housing projects targeting the middle class population assisted by the Housing and Land-Use Regulatory Board (HLURB).

The support to education services also got a perfect rating. The strict guidelines with regards to the use of the Special Education Fund are being followed by the Province. Likewise, the Local School Board of the province is very functional, with its projects complementing the national government in its objective to provide quality education to the school goers. The general fund is also supplementing for education related projects such as classrooms and educational materials.

The perfect score was also achieved in the area of peace, security and disaster risk management. There is a specific office that handles concerns regarding public safety. The reporting system is in place and there is open communication line with the concerned agencies such as the Philippine National Police and Bureau of Fire Protection. Related provincial councils are also organized such as the Provincial Council for the Protection of Children. The province also possesses an Integrated Public Safety Plan that serves as blueprint in the development and maintenance of peace and order in Cavite. The calamity fund is also being used to its intended purposes.