

# Cavite Marks World Population Day with Youth Forum



WORLD POPULATION DAY 2025:  
STAKEHOLDERS' FORUM ON EMERGING LOCAL  
POPULATION ISSUES  
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TRECE MARTIRES CITY, Cavite (PIA) — In celebration of World Population Day 2025, the Office of the Provincial Population Officer (OPPO) hosted a Stakeholders' Forum focused on emerging local population issues, with a special emphasis on youth empowerment. Held on July 11 at the Cavite

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## Reforestation Seen as Key to Curbing Calabarzon Floods

By Charmaine Odong

Environment authorities said the government continues to implement reforestation programs designed to boost watersheds' capacity to absorb heavy rainfall that brings increased volume of floodwaters to communities in Calabarzon. In line with the Marcos Jr. administration's goal, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) said the National Greening Program (NGP) continues to rehabilitate degraded forestlands, expand forest cover, and mitigate climate change by increasing carbon sequestration. "Under the NGP,

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## Bacoor, DICT Finalize Digital Center and ICT Projects



In a bid to further digitalize government services and promote inclusive access to technology, the City Government of Bacoor, led by Mayor Strike B. Revilla, held a meeting with Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT) Undersecretary Atty. Christina Faye Condez - de Sagon on July 3, 2025, to finalize key initiatives. Representing Bacoor's E-Governance and Management Information Systems (E-Gov/MIS) office was department head Mr. Lodgene Asuncion. The meeting focused on the

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## Aumentado and Bohol Leaders Sworn In



Congw. Van-van C. Aumentado shares a proud moment with Gov. Erico Aristotle Aumentado as they take their oath for a second term, during a solemn inauguration ceremony at the Bohol Cultural Center on July 1, 2025, led by Sandiganbayan Justice Geraldine Faith Econg.

TAGBILARAN CITY, Bohol (PIA) — All roads led to the Bohol Cultural Center (BCC) as the province's top elected officials formally took their oaths of office for the 2025–2028 term, continuing

a long-standing tradition of solemn inauguration rites observed in Bohol through the years. Governor Erico Aristotle Aumentado, who secured a second term in office, led the ceremony on

the first official day of his new mandate. As part of the tradition he initiated during his first term, Governor Aumentado is expected to deliver his inaugural address and immediately

sign a set of executive orders outlining the priorities of his administration for the next three years. The oath-taking ceremony was officiated by Sandiganbayan First

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## Ramon Revilla Sr. Sports Arena Breaks Ground in Bacoor

Bacoor City — A new chapter in the city's sports and community development began on July 4, 2025, with the groundbreaking ceremony for the Ramon Revilla Sr. Sports Arena, a major infrastructure project set to rise in Belfort Subdivision, Barangay Molino 4. Spearheaded by the City Government

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## EARIST Cavite Job Fair Bridges Students to Employment

GMA, Cavite (PIA) — The 5th Career Education and Job Fair of the Eulogio "Amang" Rodriguez Institute of Science and Technology (EARIST) Cavite Branch brought together over 200 graduating students in a full-day event aimed at guiding them from campus to career.

Held on July 11, 2025, at the EARIST GMA campus, the fair was organized by the Office of the Provincial Public Employment Service Manager (OPPESM) in partnership with the EARIST administration. The activity provided a platform for students to receive career advice, learn about current labor market trends, and directly access

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employment opportunities. The program formally opened with welcome remarks from Mrs. Cecilia B. Surio, Chief of the Office of Student Affairs, followed by a motivational speech from Cavite PESO Manager Rizalie Pinpin-Enero. In her message, she urged students to approach their job search with confidence and to seize the opportunities available to them. One of the key

segments of the event was the presentation of Labor Market Information (LMI) by the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), where students were given insight into in-demand jobs, industry forecasts, and future skills needed to thrive in the evolving job market.

Participants also attended hands-on career coaching workshops conducted by OPPESM

staff, covering essential employment readiness skills such as resume writing, job interviews, and professional etiquette. To further support the students' transition into the workforce, representatives from key government agencies—NBI, SSS, PSA, PhilHealth, Pag-IBIG, and BIR—were present to offer pre-employment documentation and services on-site. In a testament to the

fair's success, 11 students were hired on the spot by participating employers.

This initiative reflects the broader employment facilitation efforts of the Cavite provincial government, which continues to promote job fairs and employment coaching as effective tools to connect fresh graduates with real job opportunities. (A. Sarte/PIA Cavite)

## Ramon Revilla Sr. Sports << P1

of Bacoor in partnership with the Office of Congresswoman Lani Mercado Revilla, the event was led by Mayor Strike B. Revilla, alongside Vice Mayor Rowena Bautista Mendiola, Congresswoman Lani Mercado Revilla, and Congressman Bryan Revilla of Agimat Partylist.

Also in attendance were city councilors Simplicio Dominguez, Horacio Brilliantes, Eric Ugalde, Mike Bautista, and Karen S. Evaristo; Barangay Captain Jeffrey Campaña and the Molino 4 Council; Liga ng Barangay President BM Rafael Paterno III; SK Federation President Palm Angel Buncio; and engineers from DPWH Region IV-A including Engr. Jeffrey Michael Jamie, Engr. Michael Angeles, Engr. Jennifer Almanzar, and

Engr. Jicky Jutba. Pastor Sandee Buendia, along with various barangay officials, NGOs, and community members, also graced the ceremony.

The ₱250-million project is jointly funded with ₱200 million sourced from former Senator Ramon “Bong” Revilla Jr. and ₱50 million from Congresswoman Lani Mercado Revilla.

The 5.2-hectare lot for the facility was secured through the initiative of Mayor Strike Revilla.

Envisioned as a premier venue for athletic training, competitions, and multi-purpose events, the Ramon Revilla Sr. Sports Arena is expected to elevate Bacoor's position in regional sports development while fostering community pride and unity.

## Aumentado and Bohol leaders << P1

Presiding Justice Geraldine Faith Econg, a Cebuana and the 11th presiding justice of the country's anti-graft court. The event also included the formal swearing-in of newly elected members of the Sangguniang Panlalawigan from Bohol's First, Second, and Third Districts, along with the province's congressional representatives and newly elected vice governor. As a predominantly Roman Catholic province, the day began with a Eucharistic celebration at St. Joseph the Worker Cathedral Parish. The Holy Mass, held from 7:15 to 8:30 a.m., was concelebrated by leading diocesan authorities in keeping with the solemn tradition preceding Bohol's inauguration ceremonies. Following the Mass, cocktails were served at the BCC in the lead-up to the official ceremonies, which commenced at 10:00 a.m. and continued through midday. In the First District, Board Members Lucille L.

Lagunay, a reelectionist; Mutya Kismet Tirol-Macuno, a retired physician and hospital administrator; and veteran legislator and lawyer Vincenzo Arcamo took their oaths. For the Second District, those sworn in included reelected lawyer Jiselle Rae Villamor; seasoned trial lawyer and former law dean Tomas Abapo; and former mayor and businessman Fernando Estavilla. Leading the Third District's delegation was reelectionist and former Board Member Tita Baja, who was joined by newly elected Board Member Dionisio Joseph Balite, son of a former vice governor; respected businessman and reelectionist Greg Crispinito Jala; and reelected legislator Nathaniel Binlod. Despite a failed attempt by a political opponent to delay the oath-taking of Congressman-elect John Geesnell Yap II, no legal order was issued to prevent the ceremony. The former Tagbilaran City mayor took his oath

before family, friends, and supporters as the duly elected representative of Bohol's First Congressional District. In the Second District, reelectionist and First Lady of Bohol, Maria Vanessa Aumentado, also took her oath with her husband, the governor, and their family in attendance. Meanwhile, in the Third District, veteran legislator Kristine Alexie Tutor reaffirmed her mandate, joined by her husband, Vice Mayor Christopher Tutor, and their family. Newly elected Vice Governor Nicanor Besas, a former village chair and Board Member, likewise took his oath alongside the other provincial officials. The inauguration ceremony, held inside the Bohol Cultural Center and streamed live via local

broadcast partners, allowed Boholanos who could not be physically present, due to limited seating capacity to witness the event. Following the oath-taking, an inaugural reception was held with invited guests pre-screened for both security and protocol. In the afternoon, Governor Aumentado led a wreath-laying ceremony at the monument of the late President Carlos P. Garcia, situated in front of the Capitol. The governor has often referred to President Garcia as a revered statesman, greatly admired by his own father, the late Congressman Erico Boyles Aumentado. The day concluded with the unveiling of newly installed portraits at the Capitol lobby, a symbolic gesture marking a new chapter in the leadership and history of Bohol.

## Reforestation seen as key << P1

we carefully select the appropriate tree species that have the potential to strengthen the soil stability and increase the land's capacity to absorb and retain water,” said Nilo Tamera, Regional Executive Director of DENR IV-A, in an online program of the Philippine Information Agency-Calabarzon.

He added: “There is no other direction for water from the mountains but to flow down to the lowlands.

That's why we also have a program in place to slow down the flow of water by establishing small water impounding projects in upland areas,” the DENR official said.

Several areas across the

Calabarzon region are prone to flooding, particularly those near rivers, lakes, and coastal areas.

The DENR said water impounding projects help reduce the speed of water runoff and allow it to be stored as water source during the dry season.

Tamera cited climate change and population growth as contributories to the increasing volume of floodwaters entering communities.

“Climate change is causing increased volumes of rainfall and due to development and population growth, the lack of forests and watersheds have a major impact,” he said.

“With fewer forest

areas to absorb rain and stormwater, the capacity of our watersheds to manage heavy rainfall has been significantly reduced,” Tamera added.

Additionally, the DENR said population growth that comes with urbanization has resulted in reduced vegetation cover, contributing to the severity of floods.

Tamera noted the importance of planning development projects through the issuance of an Environmental Compliance Certificate (ECC) which guarantees compliance with regulations prior to project implementation.

“Through the ECC, we ensure that even on the

planning stage, the risk of flooding is already being considered. We don't want our projects to focus on flood control because that means the water has already flowed down. What we want is for the project to consider how to prevent flooding,” he added.

Aside from these initiatives, the DENR through the Mines and Geosciences Bureau (MGB), continues the development of geohazard maps, which are crucial for Disaster Risk Reduction And Management (DRRM).

These maps are also provided to local government units to support their DRRM preparedness efforts. (CO/PIA4A)

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Collaboration Center for Public Health, the event carried this year's global theme: “Empowering Young People to Create the Families They Want in a Fair and Hopeful World.” The forum served as a platform for meaningful dialogue among population advocates, health professionals, educators, and youth sector representatives.

Ms. Eloisa L. Comia, Officer-in-Charge of OPPO, opened the forum with a message of welcome, setting the tone for a day of

reflection and action toward youth development.

Keynote speaker Director Marilyn F. Ogaya of the Commission on Population and Development-CALABARZON discussed current demographic trends affecting Filipino youth. She underscored challenges such as adolescent reproductive health, early pregnancy, and the rising incidence of HIV cases among young people. Ogaya also highlighted the Commission's continuing

efforts to reach and support the youth through education, health services, and policy initiatives.

One of the highlights of the forum was a series of focused group discussions, where participants zeroed in on pressing youth concerns. These included early sexual activity, limited access to reproductive health services, and the stigma surrounding HIV testing and awareness.

The event concluded with a shared call to action for stronger inter-agency

collaboration, aiming to build a more supportive environment for Caviteño youth. The participants reaffirmed their commitment to helping adolescents make informed, healthy, and empowered decisions about their futures.

The forum reflects Cavite's dedication to aligning local efforts with national and global goals that promote inclusive, youth-centered population and development strategies. (R. Tanael/PIA Cavite)

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upcoming establishment of the DICT Digital Transportation Center in Bacoor, which will offer ICT training and services, especially targeting the city’s youth. To support the project, Bacoor has pledged to provide office space. In addition, the city government also proposed the donation of a lot for the construction of a DICT building—an effort to bring national government digital services closer to Bacoor residents and enhance access to critical online platforms. As part of the broader collaboration, both parties explored the pilot implementation of an integrated information system for barangays, health centers, and schools.

This system aims to secure and streamline citizen records. Bacoor’s existing Barangay Information System will also be shared with the DICT as a reference for potential nationwide rollout. The meeting also tackled other aspects of the Bacoor–DICT partnership, underscoring Mayor Strike Revilla’s commitment to advancing technology-driven governance that improves public service delivery for every Bacooreno.

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT  
FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION  
OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT  
TRECE MARTIRES CITY

RIZAL COMMERCIAL BANKING CORPORATION,  
(represented by Atty. Leonardo A. Yepes Jr.,)  
Petitioner-Mortgagee,

-versus-

SPS. DORIS N. ALANO AND MARK ANGELO T. ALANO  
Respondents-Mortgagors.  
X-----X

FORECLOSURE CASE NO. F-398-25

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135, as amended by Act 4118, filed by Petitioner-Mortgagee, **RIZAL COMMERCIAL BANKING CORPORATION (represented by Atty. Leonardo A. Yepes Jr.)** with business address at 28th Floor AT Yuchengco Centre, 25th & 26th Sts., Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City, against the Respondents-Mortgagors, **SPS. DORIS N. ALANO AND MARK ANGELO T. ALANO**, with residence and postal address at Blk. 51 Lot 2 David Street, Sampaguita Ayala Brgy. Inocencio, Trece Martires City, Cavite, Philippines / Blk 27 Lot 8 Bria Homes Trece, Brgy. Inocencio, Trece Martires City, Cavite, Philippines to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness as of May 05, 2025 amounts to ONE MILLION TWELVE THOUSAND SIXTY-SIX PESOS AND 93/100 ONLY (PHP 1,012,066.93) exclusive of any penalties and interest, attorney’s fees and expenses of foreclosure, the undersigned Sheriff will set at public auction on **August 12, 2025 at 10:00 o’clock in the morning until 12:00 noon** at the main entrance of the Government Center Building located at the Provincial Capitol Compound, Trece Martires City, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 077-2023001422

**LOT NO:** 8, **BLOCK NO:** 27, **PLAN NO:** PCS-04-031443  
**PORTION OF:** LOTS 2629, 2632, 2633 AND 2216-N, FLS-290, STA. CRUZ DE MALABON ESTATE  
**LOCATION:** BARANGAY OF INOCENCIO, CITY OF TRECE MARTIRES, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON  
**BOUNDARIES:**

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT(S)
1-2	SE	ROAD LOT 26, PCS-04-031443
2-3	SW	LOT 9, BLOCK 27, PCS-04-031443
3-4	NW	LOT 5, BLOCK 27, PCS-04-031443
4-1	NE	LOT 7, BLOCK 27, PCS-04-031443

**AREA:** EIGHTY ONE (81) SQUARE METERS, MORE OR LESS

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above-stated time and date.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date and time, it shall be held on **August 26, 2025** without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title to the said property and encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

Trece Martires City, July 11, 2025.

JOANNAH AVIGAIL C. TIMKANG  
Sheriff IV

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SECURITY BANK CORPORATION  
Mortgagee

-versus-

JONATHAN HORMILLADA BAYOCOT and JUSTINE CADAYONA SUMALPONG  
Debtor-Mortgagor.  
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FORECLOSURE CASE NO. F-387-25

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-Judicial Petition for Sale under Act 3135, as amended by Act 4118, filed by Mortgagee **SECURITY BANK CORPORATION** with business address at Security Bank Centre, 6776 Ayala Avenue, Makati City against the Debtor-Mortgagor, **JONATHAN HORMILLADA BAYOCOT and JUSTINE CADAYONA SUMALPONG** with residence and postal addresses at Block 40 Welfare Compound, Martinez Street, Barangay Addition Hills, Mandaluyong City, Metro Manila, and at Westwood Phase V, Block 01 Lot 49, Barangay Pasong Camachile, General Trias, Cavite to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness as of April 24, 2025 amounts to ONE MILLION FOUR HUNDRED NINETEEN THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN PESOS AND 64/100 CENTAVOS (Php 1,419,337.64) inclusive of interest and other charges of foreclosure, the undersigned Sheriff will set at public auction on **August 12, 2025 at 10:00 o’clock in the morning until 12:00 noon** at the main entrance of the Government Center Building located at the Provincial Capitol Compound, Trece Martires City, to the highest bidder for CASH and in Philippine Currency the following described property with all the improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2023014905

**LOT NO:** 49 **BLOCK NO:** 1, **PLAN NO:** PCS-04-032025  
**PORTION OF:** BLK. 28, PCS-04-029303, BLK. 14, PCS-04-031691, LOT 1939-A & LOT 1939-D (LRA) PSD-29632, LRC RECORD NO. 5964, DECREE NO. 4270  
**LOCATION:** BARANGAY OF PASONG CAMACHILE, CITY OF GENERAL TRIAS, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON  
**BOUNDARIES:**

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT(S)
1-2	SW	LOT 50, BLOCK 1, PCS-04-032025
2-4	NW	LOT 105, BLOCK 1, PCS-04-032025
4-5	NE	LOT 48, BLOCK 1, PCS-04-032025
5-1	SE	ROAD LOT 5, PCS-04-032025

**AREA:** SIXTY THREE (63) SQUARE METERS, MORE OR LESS

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above-stated time and date.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date and time, it shall be held on **August 26, 2025** without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title to the said property and encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

Trece Martires City, July 11, 2025.

ANDRES B. ESPINA  
Sheriff IV

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SECURITY BANK CORPORATION,  
Mortgagee,

-versus-

MICHAEL LICUDAN RINGOR,  
Mortgagor/Debtor.  
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File No. FC-DC-1818-25

EXTRA JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE UNDER ACT 3135, AS AMENDED BY ACT 4118

NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under Act 3135, as amended by Act 4118 filed by the applicant/mortgagee, **SECURITY BANK CORPORATION** with postal address at Security Bank Centre Building, 6776 Ayala Avenue, Makati City against the debtor/mortgagors **MICHAEL LICUDAN RINGOR** with postal address at (1) Block 47 Lot 21, Gethsemene Street, Buro1 1, Dasmariñas City, Cavite; (2) Lot 4 Block 11, Idesia Dasmariñas Phase I, Brgy. San Agustin 1, Dasmariñas, Cavite; and for the satisfaction of the mortgaged debt which as of June 11, 2025 amounts to THREE MILLION ONE HUNDRED FIFTEEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY THREE PESOS AND 18/100 (Php 3,115,563.18), exclusive of all legal fees and expenses incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned sheriff will sell at public auction on **August 19, 2025 at 10:00 o’clock in the morning** or soon thereafter in the lobby of Branch 90, Regional Trial Court, Ground Floor, Dasmariñas Community Affairs (DASCA) Building, Congressional Road, Buro1 II, Dasmariñas City, Province of Cavite to the highest bidder and for CASH or CERTIFIED CHECK, in Philippine Currency, the following described real property together with all the buildings and other improvements existing thereon, to wit:

Transfer Certificate of Title No. 057-2024014844

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that certain land situated in BARANGAY OF SAN AGUSTIN 1, CITY OF DASMARIÑAS, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON, bounded and described as follows:

**LOT NO:** 4, **BLOCK NO:** 11, **PLAN NO:** PCS-04-031088  
**PORTION OF:** CONSOLIDATION AND SUBDIVISION LOTS 1 & 2, PCS-04-015502  
**LOCATION:** BARANGAY OF SAN AGUSTIN 1 CITY OF DASMARIÑAS PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON.

TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION  
BOUNDARIES:

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT(S)
1-2	NE	LOT 3, BLOCK 11, PCS-04-031088
2-3	SE	LOT 76, BLOCK 11, PCS-04-031088
3-4	SW	LOT 5, BLOCK 11, PCS-04-031088
4-1	NW	ROAD LOT 14, PCS-04-031088

TIE POINT: MON. NO. 145, IMUS ESTATE

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
TO CORNER 1	S.13°19'E	544.60 M.
1-2	S.29°23'E	15.00 M.
2-3	S.60°37'W	4.00 M.
3-4	N.29°23'W	15.00 M.
4-1	N.60°37'E	4.00 M.

**AREA:** SIXTY SQUARE METERS (60), MORE OR LESS

Prospective buyers and/or bidders are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title of the said real property and the encumbrance thereon, if there be any.

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above-stated time and date.

In the event that the public auction should not take place on the said date and time, it shall be held on **September 2, 2025**, at the same time and place without further notice.

Dasmariñas City, Cavite, July 11, 2025.

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1st Cavite Nutritionist-Dietitians’ Conference

In a landmark effort to strengthen nutrition services and its health workforce, the Provincial Government of Cavite, through the Office of the Provincial Health Officer – Nutrition Program Team, launched the 1st Cavite Nutritionist-Dietitians’ Conference in celebration of National Nutrition Month 2025. Held on July 4, 2025, at the Cavite Collaboration Center for Public Health in Trece Martires City, the conference carried the theme “Strengthening Capacities Towards Enhanced Nutrition Service Delivery.”

The event gathered nutritionists and dietitians from local government units, different agencies, and academic institutions across the province, fostering collaboration, sharing of best practices, and professional growth in pursuit of improved public nutrition outcomes.

Dr. Nonie John Dalisay, Cavite Provincial Health Officer, warmly welcomed participants to the landmark gathering, emphasizing the critical role of nutrition professionals in advancing the province’s healthcare agenda. “This conference is not



just a celebration of your profession, but a recognition of your hard work and unwavering dedication,” he affirmed, reinforcing the value of their service in community health.

Ms. Angeles Peñalba, Provincial Nutrition Action Officer, expressed heartfelt appreciation for the attendees’ presence, highlighting how their collective efforts shape the province’s nutrition landscape. She shared that the idea for the conference was inspired by the recent Regional Nutritionist-Dietitians Conference, sparking the initiative to create a similar platform for Cavite’s local nutrition professionals.

Adding further depth to the occasion, Ms. Jellie Anne

Palencia delivered the keynote message, underscoring the vital role of registered nutritionists-dietitians in delivering holistic healthcare. She emphasized how proper nutrition serves as a foundation for wellness, prevention, and recovery – positioning RNDs as essential pillars in the healthcare system.

The conference was jam-packed with engaging talks and lectures, and sharing of experiences and practices from experienced speakers – Ms. Cristina Elalto, from the City of Bacoor, presented the opportunities and challenges in LGU-based Nutrition Programs, while Ms. Ruchel Oasan, from the Adventist University of the Philippines, talked about Educating the Next Generation:

The Academe’s Role in Nutrition Advancement. Adding a clinical perspective, Ms. Dorothy Caroline Dela Cruz from Pagamutan ng Das-mariñas explored “Clinical Nutrition at the Forefront of Patient Care, and finally, Ms. Theresa A. Rivas of the National Nutrition Council–CALABARZON brought the conversation full circle with her compelling lecture on “Translating National Goals to Local Action: Where Do We Fit In?”

In closing, Ms. Dessa May Alibangbang, District Nutrition Program Coordinator, expressed their sincere gratitude to everyone that took time to partake in the said conference, making it a resounding success. — J. Reyes



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FOURTH JUDICIAL REGION  
REGIONAL TRIAL COURT  
OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF COURT  
IMUS CITY, CAVITE

CHINA BANK SAVINGS INC.,  
Mortgagee,

-versus-

HULMA KHADZNA L. MANANGCA,  
Mortgagors.

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EXTRA-JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE OF REAL  
ESTATE MORTGAGE UNDER ACT 3135 AS  
AMENDED BY ACT 4118

FC CASE NO. 19474-25

NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon extra-judicial petition for sale under Act 3135 as amended by Act 4118 filed by **CHINA BANK SAVINGS INC.**, mortgagee, with principal place of business at No. 314 Sen. Gil J. Puyat Avenue, Makati City against **HULMA KHADZNA L. MANANGCA, represented by her Atty-in-Fact, NADZWA BASA MANANGCA**, mortgagor, with residential and postal address at Unit 2802 & 2108 Manila Executive Regency, 1200 J. Bacobo St., Brgy. 670, Ermita, Manila and Lot 44 and Lot 45, Block 45, McLaren St., Phase 1, Citihomes Grand Plaza, Brgy. Anabu II-A, Imus City, Cavite, to satisfy the mortgage indebtedness which as of June 16, 2025 amounts to TWO MILLION SIX HUNDRED EIGHTY SIX THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED SIXTY NINE PESOS & 31/100 (P2,686,269.31), Philippine Currency, including interest and penalties, but excluding attorney’s fees, sheriff’s fees and all other charges incidental to this foreclosure and sale, the undersigned will sell at public auction on **August 26, 2025 at 10:00 A.M.** or soon thereafter at the main entrance of the Office of the Clerk of Court, RTC-Imus Hall of Justice Sala, Aguinaldo Highway, Imus, Cavite, to the highest bidder, for CASH and in Philippine Currency, the following property with all improvements therein, to wit:

Transfer Certificate of Title No. 057-2020018877

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that certain land situated in BRGY. OF ANABU, MUN. OF IMUS, PROV. OF CAVITE, bounded and described as follows:

A PARCEL OF LAND (LOT 44 OF THE CONS. SUBD. PLAN, PCS-04-021454 BEING A PORTION OF THE CONS. OF LOTS 8 TO 32, BLK. 5, PCS-04-002871, L.R.A. REC. NO.) SITUATED IN THE BRGY. OF ANABU, MUN. OF IMUS, PROV. OF CAVITE. BOUNDED ON THE NW., ALONG LINE 1-2 BY LOT 45 OF THE CONS./SUBD. PLAN; ON THE NE., ALONG LINE 2-3 BY LOT 2612, IMUS ESTATE; ON THE SE., ALONG LINE 3-4 BY LOT 43, OF THE CONS./SUBD. PLAN; ON THE SW., ALONG LINE 4-1 BY RD. LOT 8, PCS-04-002871 (8.00 M. WIDE). BEGINNING AT A PT. MARKED “1” ON PLAN, BEING N.17 DEG. 12’W., 462.63 M. FROM MON. NO. 114, IMUS ESTATE, THENCE N.73 DEG. 58’E., 14.11 M. TO PT. 2; THENCE S.17 DEG. 51’E., 5.84 M. TO PT. 3; THENCE S.73 DEG. 58’W., 14.30 M. TO PT. 4; THENCE N.16 DEG. 02’W., 5.84 M. TO THE PT. OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING AN AREA OF EIGHTY THREE (83) SQUARE METERS. ALL PTS. REFERRED TO ARE INDICATED ON THE PLAN AND ARE MARKED ON THE GROUND BY P.S. CYL. CONC. MONS. 15 X 60 CM; BEARINGS TRUE; DATE OF ORIG. SURVEY: JULY 27, 1905-JUNE 11, 1908 AND THAT OF THE CONS. SUBD. SURVEY: SEPT. 8-17, 2005 AND WAS APPROVED ON NOV. 29, 2005.

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above stated time and date.

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on September 2, 2025 without further notice.

Prospective bidders/buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate for themselves the title to the said property and encumbrance therein if any there be.

Imus, Cavite, July 10, 2025.

WILMAR M. DE VILLA  
Sheriff IV

APPROVED:  
ARMIE A. FRANCISCO  
Clerk of Court VI

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No. 314 Sen. Gil J. Puyat Avenue  
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**HULMA KHADZNA L. MANANGCA  
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Unit 2802 & 2108 Manila Executive Regency, 1200  
J. Bacobo St., Brgy. 670, Ermita, Manila and Lot 44 and Lot 45,  
Block 45, McLaren St., Phase 1, Citihomes Grand  
Plaza, Brgy. Anabu II-A, Imus City, Cavite

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HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL  
FUND (PAG-IBIG FUND),  
Mortgagee,

FNC-2025-009

For: Extra-Judicial Foreclosure of  
Real Estate Mortgage under Act  
3135, as amended by Act 4118

-versus-

LORILYN TRABALLO PETRASANTA,  
Mortgagor.

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NOTICE OF EXTRA-JUDICIAL SALE

Upon Extra-judicial foreclosure sale under Act 3135, as Amended by Act No. 4118, filed by Mortgagee, **HOME DEVELOPMENT MUTUAL FUND (PAG-IBIG FUND)**, a government financial institution duly organized and existing under and by virtue of Republic Act No. 9679 with principal office and place of business at The Petron Mega Plaza Building, No. 358 Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Loan and Mortgage Agreement (“MORTGAGE”) executed and notarized on **May 2, 2018** by Mortgagor, **LORILYN TRABALLO PETRASANTA, single, of legal age, Filipino citizen**, with postal residence and postal address at **025 CHAPEL RD PILDERA II NAI A PASAY CITY**, in favor of the Mortgagee, over a real estate property including improvements thereon, described in and covered by **TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2018047513** of the Registry of Deeds for Province of Cavite, in order to satisfy the outstanding loan obligation of the Mortgagors in the amount of **FOUR HUNDRED FORTY SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FORTY FOUR PESOS & 78/100 (P447,544.78)**, inclusive of interest, penalties and other charges, as of January 3, 2025, the undersigned Clerk of Court & Ex-Officio Sheriff of the Regional Trial Court of Cavite thru his deputy, Leonelle E. Mendoza, will sell at public auction on **August 28, 2025 at 10:00 o'clock in the morning** or soon thereafter, at the Office of the Ex-Officio Sheriff at the Hall of Justice formerly Mayor Macario B. Pena Memorial Hall, Naic, Cavite, to the highest bidder, for Cash or Manager’s Check and in Philippine Currency, the following property with all its improvements thereon, to wit:

TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2018047513  
Registry of Deeds for Province of Cavite

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that certain land situated in BARANGAY OF SABANG (FORMERLY TIMALAN) MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON, bounded and described as follows:

**LOT NO: 42, BLOCK NO. 77, PLAN NO: PSD-04-246096  
PORTION OF: SUBD. OF LOT 2937, FLS-986-D, NAIC ESTATE (VS-04-000597); LRC RECORD NO.: 8340  
LOCATION: BARANGAY OF SABANG (FORMERLY TIMALAN) MUNICIPALITY OF NAIC, PROVINCE OF CAVITE, ISLAND OF LUZON**

Boundaries:

LINE	DIRECTION	ADJOINING LOT (S)
1-2	NW	LOT 3, BLOCK BLK 77, PSD-04-246096
2-3	NE	LOT 1, BLOCK 78, PSD-04-246096
3-4-5	NE, SE	ALLEY LOT 45, PSD-04-246096
5-1	SW	LOT 41, BLOCK 77, PSD-04-246096

LINE	BEARING	DISTANCE
TO CORNER 1	S. 40 ° 47’ E	2698.96 M.
1-2	S. 29 ° 26’ E	3.50 M.
2-3	S. 60 ° 34’ W	5.50 M.
3-4	N. 29 ° 26’ W	2.50 M.
4-5	N. 60 ° 34’ E	3.50 M.
5-1	N. 60 ° 34’ E	8.00 M.

**AREA: TWENTY-EIGHT (28) SQUARE METERS, MORE OR LESS**

**DESCRIPTION OF CORNERS:** ALL CORNERS ARE REFERRED ON THE PLAN BY P.S. CYL. CONC. MONS. 15X40 CMS

**BEARINGS:** TRUE

**DECLINATION:**

**DATE OF ORIGINAL SURVEY:** JANUARY 19, 1906- FEBRUARY 4, 1907

**DATE OF SUBD/CONS SURVEY:** FEBRUARY 1-28, 2017

**DATE OF APPROVED SURVEY:** APRIL 20, 2017

**GEODETIC ENGINEER:** ELMERITO C. ROBLES

In the event the public auction should not take place on the said date, it shall be held on September 04, 2025 without further notice.

Prospective bidders or buyers are hereby enjoined to investigate and verify for themselves the **TRANSFER CERTIFICATE OF TITLE NO. 057-2018047513**, the encumbrances thereon, if any there be.

All sealed bids must be submitted to the undersigned on the above stated time and date.

Naic, Cavite, Philippines, July 14, 2025.

REUEL SANTOS JIMENEZ  
Clerk of Court & Ex-Officio Sheriff

LEONELLE E. MENDOZA  
Sheriff-In-Charge

W A R N I N G: IT IS ABSOLUTELY PROHIBITED TO REMOVE, DEFACE OR DESTROY THIS NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE ON OR BEFORE THE DATE OF THE AUCTION SALE UNDER THE PENALTY OF LAW.

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# DPWH: Calabarzon Road Projects in Full Swing

By Christopher Hedreyda

The government’s big-ticket road projects in Calabarzon are in full swing to decongest key cities and densely populated communities, the Department of Public Works and Highways said.

In Quezon province, the rehabilitation of key sections of the Maharlika Highway –a critical route connecting Metro Manila to Southern Luzon –is on track, said DPWH Region IV-A Director Jovel Mendoza in an interview with the Philippine Information Agency Calabarzon.

“The improvement of certain sections of the Maharlika Highway makes a significant contribution to the region’s economic growth. As a major transportation route, this highway connects provinces, neighboring re-

gions, and trade centers,” he said.

“Upgrading and rehabilitating it will speed up the flow of goods and services, reduce travel costs and time, and boost tourism,” he added.

According to DPWH Calabarzon, rehabilitation of the Maharlika Highway covers sections from Calamba City in Laguna to Tagkawayan in Quezon and requires a total budget of P14.39 billion.

Mendoza indicated no project completion even as he was optimistic that it will be sustained in the succeeding general appropriations.

He said of the estimated P14.39 billion for Maharlika’s improvement, P1.827 billion from the 2023 budget has been completed; P3.833 billion from the 2024 budget is currently under im-



plementation, while P1.758 billion from the 2025 budget is presently in the bidding process.

In Batangas, the DPWH reported that the recently inaugurated Balagtas flyover has helped ease road congestion in the province.

The flyover serves as an alternative route from the

STAR Tollway to the diversion road and city proper and improved access to Batangas Port, one of the country’s busiest seaports.

“The flyover (resulted in) smoother flow of traffic. The number of accidents in Brgy. Balagtas has decreased from 56 incidents to just 38. Travel going to the port and

the city proper has also become faster,” Mendoza said.

The DPWH director is hopeful that construction of a flyover in Tagaytay City in Cavite will be completed by August 2025 while opening to motorists is expected by September 2025 providing road convenience for both tourists and locals.

Ahead of the fourth State of the Nation Address of President Ferdinand R.

Marcos Jr., Mendoza said the DPWH Calabarzon will continue to uphold best practices in road infrastructure development.

He said planning and pre-construction coordination with local governments and stakeholders are conducted to ensure that projects are tailored to the actual needs of communities and the population they serve. (CH/PIA-Laguna)

ULAT SA PAG-ANGAT

PARA SA ISANG PHILHEALTH NA MABILIS, PATAS, AT MAPAGKAKATIWALAAN

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PINALAWIG NA BENEPISYO PARA SA MGA MIYEMBRO

Bagong benepisyo sa atake sa puso, kinilala at pinasalamatan!

97% ng kabuuang bill ang binayaran ng PhilHealth o P523,583 total na benepisyo

“Dahil ang procedure para sa atake ng puso na angioplasty ay hindi mura, karaniwan ay kailangang mag-shell out-of-pocket. Kawawa naman ang mga mahihirap na pasyente na hindi kayang i-afford ang procedure na ito. Dahil sa bagong polisiya ng PhilHealth na nalabas ang mga mahihirap na pasyente ay nabibigyan namin ng serbisyong ito. Mayroon akong pasyente na nagkaroon ng malubhang atake sa puso ngunit wala siyang panggastos. Dahil nalaman ko na ang The Medical City – Clark ay kahit private hospital ay naka-implement ang PhilHealth package para sa mga atake sa puso at sa gabing iyon ay ginawa po namin agad-agad ang angioplasty na salamat naman ay naging successful at nakarecover at nakauwi nng maayos.”

**Dr. Edgar Wilson Timbol**  
Interventional Cardiologist, The Medical City – Clark

“Si Dr. Timbol ang nakapagsabi na may bara na ang puso ko at kailangang ma-opera. Dahil sa laki ng hinihinging pera, wala po kaming kakayahang magbayad, maghanap ng ganoong kalaking pera at doon nabanggit ni Dr. Timbol na sakop ng PhilHealth ang pag-opera sa puso. Siya po ang nagsabi na kaya pong ma-operahan na wala kaming babayaran. Sobra pong pagpapasalamat namin lalo na po kay Dr. Timbol at sa PhilHealth. Maniwala kayo o hindi, totoo po ang PhilHealth, wala po kaming binayaran. Ang bill po namin ay Php600,000 pera sinakop po ng PhilHealth kaya malaki ang pasasalamat namin talaga.”

**Efrén Lopez (patient) and Arlene Lopez**  
PhilHealth members

PINAGAAN AT PINABUTING PAG-PROSESO NG CLAIMS

Pagproseso sa denied claims, pinuri at sinuportahan ng malalaking hospital groups sa bansa

**Ayala Healthcare Holdings, Inc.**  
“This is a significant step in rebuilding trust and paves the way for more meaningful collaboration between PhilHealth and healthcare providers. We remain committed to do our part in improving efficiency of claims process as these ultimately benefit our Filipino patients.”

**Unihealth-Paranaque Hospital and Medical Center**  
“We appreciate your commitment and support to the private hospital institutions. Together, we shall work harder to enhance access, ensure efficiency, and provide quality healthcare services across the country. We are honored to be part of this journey and look forward to a fruitful partnership.”

**Global Care Medical Center Group of Hospitals**  
“We trust your vision and strategic initiatives for the Corporation shall move towards a sense of purpose and commitment among all your accredited hospitals. We look forward to taking part in contributing to the success of PhilHealth.”

**UHCWatch**  
“This policy change is especially beneficial for indigent and financially struggling patients. [They] can now receive extended care without fear of additional out-of-pocket expenses. This is a victory for [UHC] where every Filipino can receive the medical care they need, for as long as necessary, without financial hardship.”

**The Medical City**  
“[This] is a crucial step towards enhancing efficiency and rebuilding trust within the national healthcare system. We are committed to collaborating with your office to ensure the efficient resolution of these claims and to contribute to the strengthening of our national healthcare system.”

**Metro Pacific Health**  
“We greatly appreciate the quick action taken by PhilHealth to process denied claims. We look forward to collaborating more closely in improving healthcare access and affordability in the country.”

**St. Luke's Medical Center**  
“This represents a significant step towards ensuring that patients receive uninterrupted access to healthcare services. We look forward to ongoing collaboration in strengthening the healthcare landscape for all Filipinos.”

PINALAKAS NA PARTNERSHIPS PARA SA MAS ABOT-KAMAY NA SERBISYONG PANCKALUSUGAN

**MARSO 3, 2025**  
Amal Pak-Pak Medical Center (APMC) Heart Institute nakipagkontrata para magbigay ng serbisyong Coronary Artery Bypass Graft (CABG) sa mga miyembro sa BARM.

**MARSO 7, 2025**  
Pakikipag-ugnayan sa mga pharmaceutical groups para pababain ang gastos ng mga miyembro sa mga gamot.

**MARSO 10, 2025**  
Ang Ciudad Medical Zamboanga (CMZ) na ang unang pasilidad na nag-alok ng Z-Benefit para sa Kidney Transplantation sa Zamboanga Peninsula.

**MARSO 17, 2025**  
Pagpupulong kasama ang mga HMOs para mapadali ang paggamit ng PhilHealth, patibayin ang komunikasyon at bigyang prayoridad ang pagpaparehistro ng mga plan holders na hindi pa naka-enroll sa Konsulta

**MARSO 18, 2025**  
Pagkilala ng Sangguniang Panlalawigan ng Sorsogon sa mabilis na pagbayad para sa mga ospital sa ilalim nito na umabot hanggang Php407.5M.

**MARSO 25, 2025**  
Ang Chinese General Hospital and Medical Center (CGHMC) ay naging accredited Konsulta Package Provider (KPP) para mas mabuting access ng mga miyembro ng benepisyo.

**MARSO 27, 2025**  
Pakikipagtulungan sa Commission on Higher Education (CHED) para palawigin ang abot-kayang serbisyong pangkalusugan sa pamamagitan ng Konsulta Program para sa mga mahihirap na estudyante at kanilang pamilya sa mga State Universities and Colleges (SUCs).

SC dismisses court sheriff for accepting bribe in drug case

By Benjamin Pulta

The Supreme Court (SC) on Wednesday said it has dismissed a court sheriff who was found to have accepted PHP200,000 in connection with a drug case.

The SC en banc dismissed Dwight Aldwin Geronimo, Sheriff IV of Branch 121, Regional Trial Court, Imus City, Cavite, revoked all his retirement benefits and permanently banned him from government employment.

Based on court records, complainant Antolyn Dones Gonzales said Geronimo asked her for PHP200,000 in exchange for helping speed up the drug case of her friend, Monib Saadoning Amatonding. Geronimo claimed the judge handling the case was his aunt and promised her that Monib would be granted bail. Gonzales paid Geronimo PHP115,000 initially, with the remaining amount to be paid after Monib’s case was settled. They kept in touch via Facebook Messenger, where Geronimo repeatedly promised results and even visited Gonzales at her home.

But when Monib’s bail was denied, Geronimo disappeared -- blocking Gonzales on Facebook and changing his phone number. In his defense, Geronimo initially claimed the money was a personal loan, later claiming that he was pretending to go along with Gonzales to expose alleged corruption in the court.

The Judicial Integrity Board found Geronimo guilty of gross misconduct and recommended his dismissal, to which the SC agreed.

Under Section 1, Canon I of the Code of Conduct for Court Personnel, court personnel should not use their position for personal gain. Section 2 of the same Canon forbids them from accepting gifts that could influence their official actions.

The SC stressed that court employees should never take money from litigants for any reason.

“Such actions are considered gross misconduct, defined as unlawful behavior or gross negligence by a public officer coupled with elements of corruption, or willful intent to violate the law or disregard established rules. Corruption, as an element of gross misconduct, involves an official unlawfully or wrongly using their position to obtain personal benefits,” the court said.

The SC noted that Geronimo admitted to receiving money from Gonzales as a personal loan.

It ruled that this still violated Section 2 of the Code because accepting money from someone with a pending case is prohibited, making his explanation irrelevant.

The chat messages, which Geronimo did not deny sending, support the claim that the money he received was related to a pending case.

Due to the seriousness of Geronimo’s actions, as well as a previous record of misconduct, the SC imposed the ultimate penalty of dismissal. The SC reminded all court employees to be role models of responsibility, competence, and efficiency “They are expected to do their jobs with the highest level of care as officers of the court and agents of the law.” (PNA)



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## P970M Proyektong Patubig sa Danao, Bohol Sinimulan na!

Matapos ang mahigit tatlong dekada ng paghihintay at pangarap, opisyal nang sinimulan ang konstruksiyon ng Hibale Small Reservoir Irrigation Project sa bayan ng Danao, Bohol noong Hulyo 4. Ang makasaysayang groundbreaking ceremony ay ginanap sa mismong lugar kung saan itatayo ang dam, na magsisilbing pangunahing patubig sa daan-daang ektaryang sakahan sa lalawigan.

Ang proyekto, na tinatayang nagkakahalaga ng P970 milyon, ay bunga ng isang matagal nang bisyon na unang inilatag ni yumaong Gobernador at dating Kongresista Erico B. Aumentado noong dekada 1990. Sa kabila ng maraming balakid, panibagong pag-asa ang dala ng kasalukuyang administrasyon ni Gobernador Erico Aristotle Aumentado, anak ng yumaong lider, na muling isinulong ang proyekto bilang bahagi ng mga programang pangkaunlaran para sa sektor ng agrikultura.

Sa pangunguna nina Gobernador Aumentado at Kinatawan ng Ikalawang Distrito Maria Vanessa Aumentado, kasama ang mga opisyal mula sa National Irrigation Administration (NIA) at lokal na pamahalaan ng Danao, isinagawa ang seremonya ng pagsisimula ng proyekto. Buo ang suporta ng mga ahensyang nasyonal at lokal, na itinuturing ang proyektong ito bilang susi sa pag-angat ng kabuhayan ng mga magsasaka sa Bohol.

Ang Hibale Dam ay itatayo bilang isang water impounding structure na may layuning patubigan ang humigit-kumulang 405 ektarya ng lupang sakahan. Inaasahang makikinaabang dito ang mahigit 800 magsasaka mula sa Danao at mga karatig-barangay, kabilang ang mga lugar na matagal nang hirap sa suplay ng tubig para sa pagsasaka.

Ang proyekto ay inaasahang magpapataas ng ani, magpapababa ng gastos sa irigasyon, at magdadala ng mas matatag na kita para sa mga lokal na magsasaka. Hindi lamang ito proyektong patubig, ito rin ay isang estratehikong



**Groundbreaking for Growth:** Pinasinayaan na ang P970M Hibale Small Reservoir Irrigation Project sa Danao, Bohol, pag-asang patubig para sa mahigit 800 magsasaka.

hakbang para sa seguridad sa pagkain sa buong lalawigan. Sa panahon ng patuloy na epekto ng climate change, mahalaga ang ganitong mga imprastruktura upang masiguro ang tuloy-tuloy na produksyon sa agrikultura sa kabila ng pabagobagong klima.

Bukod dito, inaasahan ding makatutulong ang dam sa pangmatagalang pamamahala ng tubig, lalo na sa panahon ng tagtuyot. Maaari rin itong magsilbing proteksyon laban sa pagbaha sa mga mababang lugar sa panahon ng malalakas na ulan. Nagpahayag ng pasasalamat ang mga lokal na

lider at magsasaka sa pag-usad ng proyekto. Ayon sa ilan sa kanila, matagal na nilang inaasam ang ganitong uri ng suporta mula sa pamahalaan upang maiahon sa kahirapan ang kanilang kabuhayan. Sa inaasahang agarang pagsisimula ng konstruksiyon, positibo ang pananaw ng pamahalaang panlalawigan na ang Hibale Small Reservoir Irrigation Project ay magiging modelo ng tagumpay sa pagpapatupad ng mga makataong proyektong hindi lamang para sa kasalukuyan kundi para rin sa kinabukasan ng susunod na henerasyon ng mga Boholano.

### Cavite Trains Solo Parents, Youth in Fashion Accessories Making

TRECE MARTIRES CITY — As part of its livelihood initiatives, the Provincial Government of Cavite conducted a skills training on fashion accessories making for solo parents and out-of-school youth on June 23, 2025, at the New Provincial Capitol.

The workshop, held at the Office of the Provincial Engineer Conference Room, was attended by 26 participants. It was facilitated by Ms. Eleazara Asis from the Office of the Provincial Cooperative Development Officer (OPCDO). Participants learned to create



beaded earrings, bracelets, and necklaces, equipping them with practical skills for potential income through small businesses or online selling. This program supports the province's commitment to inclusive development by empowering vulnerable sectors with livelihood opportunities and promoting financial self-reliance. — OPIO

### PGC grooves toward a safer, healthier Cavite

In a fun and energizing twist to disaster preparedness, the Provincial Government of Cavite, through the Office of the Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Officer (OPDRMO), kicked off its observance of the National Disaster Resilience Month (NDRM) 2025 with a heart-pumping “Sayaw para sa Kahandaan: Zumba for Resilience” on July 8, 2025.

Led by the ever-active PDRRMO team, headed by Ms. Eloiza G. Rozul, OPDRRMO Department Head, the zumba session brought



together representatives from various provincial offices, the Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), and disaster advocates, proving that preparing for disasters can be both dynamic and fun. With high-energy routines led by a skilled PGC zumba instructor and a

guest fitness coach, the event turned the Provincial Government Center ground into a lively dance floor of unity, health, and preparedness. Beats dropped, sweat flowed, and most importantly, awareness was raised. — R. Dones

### Bacoor Holds “Stride As One” Disaster Resilience Seminar

Bacoor City, July 12, 2025 — With a firm focus on building a disaster-ready city, the City Government of Bacoor, under the leadership of Mayor Strike B. Revilla, conducted the “Stride As One: Steps for Bacoor’s Resilience” training and seminar. Spearheaded by the Bacoor Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (BDRRMO) led by Mr. Richard Quion, the event was held at the Bacoor City Hall Lobby and gathered key stakeholders committed to enhancing community safety.

Mayor Revilla was joined by Councilors Mike Bautista and Noly Galvez, along with Barangay Captains Bob Bingham of Molino 5 and Narciso De Guzman of Mambog 1. The seminar brought together representatives from barangay disaster response teams, the Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), Bureau of Jail Management and Penology (BJMP), Philip-



pine Coast Guard, and Philippine Army Reservists. In his message, Mayor Revilla underscored the city's consistent investment in disaster resilience through updated equipment, improved facilities, and inclusive training programs. He proudly cited the establishment of the Fire & Rescue Village, which teaches children the basics of fire safety, and announced that first aid training is now a mandatory requirement for all workers applying for a working permit in Bacoor.

He also presented the city's modern rescue vehicles and tools, noting they are ready for deployment or sharing with other communities in times of crisis. The seminar highlighted Bacoor's united approach to disaster risk reduction, empowering both officials and citizens to take an active role in protecting lives and property—together, striding toward a safer and more resilient future.