



Monthly Narrative Report (February)

I. Enhancing Access to AFE Knowledge Products and Services

- There were 12 e-library clients served by the FITS center.
- Five web pages were uploaded.
- 4 corporate materials produced (T-shirt, mug, fan and e-Learning bookmark.)
- 195 pcs. leaflet of the 2014 ATI Accomplishment Report was distributed to Agriculture Stakeholders during the Provincial Consultation.

II. Strengthening Competitiveness and Capacities of the AF Sector

- Enhancement Training on 4-H Club Youth Development Program was conducted at Deluxe Hotel, Cagayan de Oro City and participants were 4-H club members, P4MP, VLAP and extension workers last Feb.18-20. They understood the significance of the different ceremonies of the 4-H club organization and come up with a municipal action plan for 2015.



Group Discussions, simulations and workshops



Presentations and commitment setting

- Training on Vegetable and Rootcrop Production was conducted to farmers and extension workers held at MWIPC, Rebe, Lala, Lanao del Norte last February 16-18. It was done to enhance the knowledge & skills of participants and updates on the status of vegetable and rootcrop industry in Lanao del Norte.



Lecture on Rootcrop Production

- Training On Lowland Vegetable Production was conducted in DLRSPA, Bagumbayan, Kauswagan, Lanao Del Norte to women-farmers last February 23-25. The participants were able to perform hands-on activities on the different practices on vegetable production.



During the hands-on activity on preparing NFTS Concoctions

- Credit Worthiness Seminar was participated by farmers from the cities of Valencia and Malaybalay, Bukidnon held at San Martin, Malaybalay City, Bukidnon. It was done to encourage farmer borrowers to have good credit standing and promote savings in the household.



Ms. Remedios Sarzuelo during her presentation on the Role of the City Agriculture Office in SIKAT SAKA

III. Expanding Partnerships in Advancing Excellence in AFE Delivery

IV. Scaling-Up AFE innovations

V. Strengthening AFE Stakeholders' Capacity in Climate Change Adaptation & Readiness

- The first batch of Training on Managing Risk in Agriculture due to Climate Change was conducted in Central Mindanao University-Farmers Training Center, University Town, Musuan, Dologon, Maramag, Bukidnon. It was participated by the Chairmen of the Committee on Agriculture in Municipal and Barangay levels. The participants came up with an action plan which they will implement when they go back to their respective barangays/ municipalities.
- As part of the Tree for Life Project, 60 rambutan fruit trees were planted at Central Mindanao University. Each fruit tree was given 4 kls. of vermicast. Twenty nine councilors who were participants of the Training on Climate Change were also given 3 kinds of fruit trees (rambutan, guyabano and guava) with 2 kilos of vermi compost to plant in their homes.



The participants during the workshop on agromet data and its application in Agriculture



Participant during the tree planting activity

VI. Improving Enabling Environment and Quality of Governance

- ATI RTC X conducted series of Provincial Consultations for Agriculture Stakeholders in the region. It was participated by Provincial and Municipal Agriculturists and other representatives from Agriculture & Fisheries Council, Rural Based Organizations and the private sector. The consultation opened with a presentation on the new Policy Direction of ATI followed by the presentations on the 2014 Physical Accomplishments and the 2015 and 2016 Physical Targets. The activity concluded with an initial Agreement and commitment of the participants regarding the Target Extension Agenda for CY 2015 and C.Y. 2016 and Up-dated AEWs Profile.
- The section head of Partnership and Accreditation Services, Engr. Anita J. Molijon together with the members of the Technical Working Group, Mr. Philip D. Villegas and Mrs. Teodosia D. Jaraba conducted ocular inspection of the sites in the region and validated it.
- Regional 4-H Club Officers and RBO Coordinators had their consultative meeting held at Deluxe Hotel, Cogon, Cagayan De Oro City. They came up with a Sectoral Action Plan for 2015 per province; Issues and concerns in the implementation of the livelihood and other programs and projects of organizations has been discussed; and updated the member's enrollment/registration profiles per municipalities/provinces.



Group workshops



Presentations

- E-Learning Coordinator, Noemi Beth Macario, attended the 1st Knowledge Management of Updates for 2015 and Briefing on the IPAD Knowledge Sharing and Learning Activities and the Standardization of Training Module Development at ATI-CAR, La Trinidad, Benguet on Feb 23-28, 2015.
- Jhoylie Mae C. Rosales, Development Management Officer attended the Workshop on Standardization of ATI Training Module Development at La Trinidad, Benguet last February 25-28. The workshop enhanced the staff's understanding about the standards of ATI Module Development.
- The Aloma's Place, a prospective learning site evaluated by Dr. Angelito Y. Quirog and Noemi Beth Macario last February 17 located at Dahilayan, Manolo Fortich, Bukidnon.