

Updates on **Extension Services**

ESO Director attends Adopt-A-Municipality Action Planning with the Sectoral Committee on Social Development

ESO Director Asst. Prof. Armando V. Mendoza Jr. together with other SUC representatives attended the Adopt-a-Municipality Action Planning with the Sectoral Committee on Social Development on January 10.

NEDA IV-A Regional Director Luis Banua spearheaded the meeting where he discussed the importance of technology transfer to the beneficiaries of the adopt-a-municipality, especially to those who are engaged in livelihood and production. Regional Director Banua also mentioned about giving priority to stunted children since stunted growth among children is currently one of the root causes of cyclical poverty in the country.

Afterwards, the draft of the action plan was given comments and suggestions by the committee.



The Sectoral Committee on Social Development is one of the four committees comprising the Regional Development Council (RDC). It is also mandated to coordinate and promote social development and review or evaluate major development issues and concerns of the CALABARZON region.

ESO conducts Needs Assessment for Adopt-a-Municipality in Lobo



A needs assessment was conducted by the Extension Services Office (ESO) in Brgy. Nagtaluntong, Lobo, Batangas on February 21.

The activity was led by ESO Director Asst. Prof. Armando V. Mendoza Jr. together with the extension coordinators of the university.

The activity aimed to identify the needs of the locals from the beneficiary municipalities.

Needs identified focused on livelihood, health and security, and education for the residents of Brgy. Nagtaluntong. Results of the consultation will be used as inputs for the identification of intervention activities for the barangay.

The Adopt-a-Municipality program is an extension program of the university that helps residents of recipient barangays in alleviating their condition.