# 2019 ANNUAL ACCOMPLISHMENT REPORT
# MGB REGION VIII GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT

## I. WORKSHOP/TRAINING PROGRAM ATTENDED AND CONDUCTED

| Name of Training/Workshop | Date and Place | Organized by |
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| 1. Seminar/Workshop on MGB GAD Agenda for 2020-2025. | January 29 - February 1, 2019, Manila | MGB-Central Office |
| 2. Gender Responsive Planning and Budgeting Course | July 1-4, 2019 Miriam College, Quezon City | Gender and Training Institute (WAGI) |
| 3. Seminar/Workshop on Finalization of MGB GAD 2020-2025 Agenda and Preparation of 2020 GAD Plan and Budget | September 16-20, 2019 San Lorenzo Resort, Pililla, Rizal | MGB Central Office |
| 4. Gender Sensitivity Training | November 11-12, 2019 Ironwood Hotel, Tacloban City | MGB RO VIII |

### 1. SEMINAR/WORKSHOP ON MGB GAD Agenda for 2020-2025.

The seminar/workshop on MGB - Gender and Development (GAD) Agenda was held January 29 – February 1, 2019 in Manila organized by GAD Focal System of MGB Central Office. MGB Region VIII OIC of the Geosciences Division, Eduardo S. Tan attended and participated in the workshop. The GAD Agenda was formulated in a participatory, consultative and inclusive process; considering results of gender analysis. A 6-yr GAD Agenda (2020-2025) for MGB was formulated as the agency's strategic framework and plan on gender mainstreaming, which serves as basis in identifying programs, activities and projects to be undertaken to achieve the GAD goals and outcomes; to provide the monitoring and evaluation (M&E) framework for assessing GAD results and outcomes.

### 2. Gender Responsive Planning and Budgeting Course

The Gender Responsive Planning and Budgeting is a Mid-Year Course offered by Miriam College in Quezon City from July 1 – 4, 2019. The objectives of the course is to be able to orient participants to understand the basic concepts around gender and development, and make use of the conceptual tools in identifying and analyzing gender issues; to be familiar with the legal provisions, principles, and framework on GAD and apply them in the actual work of organization. Hands-on exercise were completed in preparing GAD plans and budget using the prescribed gender mainstreaming tools, and understanding the Gender Planning and Budgeting monitoring mechanism were understood.

### 3. SEMINAR/WORKSHOP ON FINALIZATION OF MGB GAD AGENDA 2020-2025 AND PREPARATION OF GAD PLAN AND BUDGET 2020

The training planning workshop was held at Villa Lorenzo Resort in Pililla, Rizal on September 16-20, 2019 organized by GAD Focal System of MGB Central Office. Ms. Celestina U. Carranza, Supervising Geologist and GAD Focal Person together with Ms. Evalyn E. Barillo, Acct. III attended and participated in the workshop.

Highlights of the workshop include: Presentation of the following topics 1.) Gender Issues/Gender Analysis; 2.) Policy Framework of GAD; 3.) Steps in formulating GAD Agenda and 4.) Formulating GAD Goals. MGB GAD Mission and Vision, and goals were reviewed and enhanced. The outputs in the workshop are: 1.) MGB RO VIII Strategic Plan for 2020-2025 and 2.) GAD Plan and Budget (GPB) for 2020

### 4. Gender Sensitivity Training (GST) for MGB RO VIII Personnel

The Mines and Geosciences Bureau Regional Office No. 8 (MGB-RO8) conducted training on Gender Sensitivity on December 11-12, 2019 at Ironwood Hotel Tacloban City. Forty-four (44) employees of MGB VIII participated in the 2-day training. The resource speakers include Mr. Gilberto T. Villamor, Planning Officer of DSWD, Ms. Celestina U. Carranza, MGB-VIII GAD Focal Person and Ms. Rebecca F. Precia, MGB-VIII GAD RGFPS Chairperson.

The training, which was spearheaded by the GAD Focal Person, was part of MGB's continuing program to mainstream gender concerns to make women's as well as men's concerns an integral dimension of the design, implementation, monitoring, and evaluation of policies and programs as mandated under Republic Act No. 9710, or the Magna Carta of Women.

The gender sensitivity training seeks to provide the participants with an understanding of the basic concepts on gender relations and dynamics and to increase their awareness of the various global and Philippine initiatives toward gender equality and elimination of violence against women and children.

## II. COLLECTION OF SEX DISAGGREGATED-DATA

### 1. IEC on VULNERABILITY RISK ASSESSMENT (VRA)

The collection of sex-disaggregated data in MGB Region VIII is streamlined in the implementation of Geosciences Division's Vulnerability and Risk Assessment Projects and IEC. A total of 14 IEC-VRA were conducted in 14 municipalities where SDD were collected for GAD database recording.

### 2. SDD IN THE HUMAN RESOURCES AND OTHER MGB ACTIVITIES

SDD in the Human Resources records (Organization-focused) as well as records of other MGB activities (Client focused) are maintained and updated.

## III. PARTICIPATION IN WOMEN'S MONTH CELEBRATION

- Posting of women's month celebration material (tarpaulin)

## IV. PARTICIPATION IN THE 18-DAY CAMPAIGN TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

- Printing of VAW IEC materials.
- Dissemination of VAW IEC materials to MGB RO8 personnel and clienteles during the 18-day campaign period.
- Posting of VAW campaign material (tarpaulin)

## V. GAD IEC FOR WOMEN, SENIOR CITIZENS AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITY (PWD) IN VRA PROJECT

Client-focused IEC activity as part of Vulnerability and Risk Assessment (VRA) Project was conducted last May 8, 2019 at the Multi-Purpose Hall of Barangay Poblacion involving marginalized groups of community in the Municipality of Almeria, Biliran Province. The objective of this GAD activity is to organize, activate and orient the group especially the women as well as senior citizens, persons with disability and the youth on the geohazards in their area and provide them basic information on preparedness in times of calamities like flood and landslide. A total of fifty (50) IEC material on geohazards were distributed to participants consisting of 35 females and 16 males.

## VI. CONSULTATION MEETINGS FOR MINERAL BASED LIVELIHOOD OPPORTUNITIES IN SMALL SCALE MINING IN LLORENTE, EASTERN SAMAR

### 1. MEETING WITH SMALL SCALE MINING OPERATOR OF CHROMITE IN LLORENTE, EASTERN SAMAR

Consultation meeting with small scale mining operators was held last October 23, 2019 at MGB-RO VIII Conference Room, Palo, Leyte to present the Result of Survey on Livelihood Opportunities for Women in Small Scale Mining Area conducted at Brgy. Waso, Llorente, Eastern Samar last year (December 19, 2018). This meeting is a prelude to the consultation meeting with the women's group which will be conducted on October 29-30, 2019 at Waso, as part of GAD target on identification and monitoring of women's livelihood.

### 2. MEETING WITH WOMEN'S GROUP IN BRGY. WASO, LLORENTE, EASTERN SAMAR

As part of the Gender and Development (GAD) target activities for 2019, a client-focused consultation meeting was conducted participated by the women's group in Barangay Waso, Llorente Eastern Samar where small scale mining operation for chromite mineral is located. Punong Barangay was present during the meeting together with Resource Speakers that include: 1. Engr. Dante Operario, Science Research Specialist of MSESDD, 2. Josephine A. Momongan, Community Affairs Officer; 3. Celestina U. Carranza, MGB – 8 GAD Focal Person and 4. Evalyn E. Barillo, Accountant III/GAD TWG member.

MGB group presented the result of consultation meeting with SSM operator that include the three (3) options for the livelihood program namely: 1.) cattle raising, 2.) goat raising and 3.) farming. The women's group is yet to meet in order to come up with a decision as to which among the proposed projects presented will be prioritized. It was agreed that next activity will be a training/seminar on the prioritized livelihood project. Speakers from DTI, TESDA and DA will be invited to give incites as well as share technical knowledge and expertise in community livelihood program. Tentative schedule of Seminar/training is January 2020.

## V. PROVISION FOR GAD CORNER/MAINTENANCE OF GAD WEBPAGE

The office maintains a GAD Corner with bulletin board found in a location easily visible to employees and clients. The bulletin board contains announcements and information pertaining to activities and accomplishments of GAD. GAD fliers are also available in the GAD Center for clients and employees of MGB RO8.

GAD accomplishments and activities of the Agency are also posted in the GAD Webpage of MGB at https://region8.mgb.gov.ph/en/featured-news/gad-corner.html

# PHOTO DOCUMENTATION

**GENDER RESPONSIVE PLANNING AND BUDGETTING COURSE**
**MERIAM COLLEGE**
**JULY 1-4, 2019**

GAD Planning and Budgetting Course at Meriam College attended by the Focal Person of MGB-8

**WORKSHOP ON THE FINALIZATION OF MGB GAD AGENDA 2020-2025 AND PREPARATION OF GAD PLAN AND BUDGET 2020**
**SEPTEMBER 16-20, 2019**
**SAN LORENZO RESORT, PILILLA, RIZAL**

Group photo of particiapnts in the Seminar/Workshop

Workshop of particiapnts working on GPB 2020 and GAD Agenda 2020-2025

**GENDER SENSITIVITY TRAINING**
**NOVEMBER 11-12, 2019**
**IRONWOOD HOTEL, TACLOBAN CITY**

Group photos of particiapnts to the Gender Sensitivity Training

Workshop of participants facilitated by resource speaker, Mr. Gilberto T. Villamor, Planning Officer IV of DSWD-8.

**GAD IEC FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN & SENIOR CITIZENS IN VRA PROJECT**
**MARCH 1-12, 2019**
**ALMERIA, BILIRAN PROVINCE**

Women's group and persons with disability were the participants in IEC on Geohazard, with highlights on the role of women in disaster preparedness.

Senior citizens were also invited to the IEC on information on Geohazard, and disaster preparedness.

Presentation of Geologist Charles Nomus (L) about geohazard and distribution (R) of IEC materials to participants.

**WOMEN MONTH CELEBRATION**
**MARCH 2019**
**PALO, LEYTE**

Posting of women's month celebration tarpaulin

**18-DAY CAMPAIGN TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND CHILDREN**
**NOVEMBER 25-DECEMBER 12, 2019**
**PALO, LEYTE**

Posting of VAW campaign tarpaulin

Printing and dissemination of VAW IEC materials distributed to **A**) clients and **B**) MGB-8 employees.

## CONSULTATION MEETINGS FOR MINERAL BASED LIVELIHOOD OPPORTUNITIES IN SMALL SCALE MINING IN LLORENTE, EASTERN SAMAR

### A. CONSULTATION MEETING WITH SMALL SCALE MINING OPERATOR
### OCTOBER 23, 2019
### CONFERENCE ROOM. MGB-8, PALO, LEYTE

MGB GAD technical working group and MSESDD representatives together with guests from Llorente Minahang Bayan and King Resources organized a short meeting at MGB RO Conference Room to discuss the integration of GAD in their livelihood programs for the community.

### B. CONSULTATION MEETING WITH WOMEN'S GROUP
### OCTOBER 28-29, 2019
### BRGY. WASO, LLORENTE, EASTERN SAMAR

Consultation meeting with members of the women's group of Brgy. Waso, Llorente, Eastern Samar together with Punong Barangay of Waso.

Results of the survey previously conducted in December 2018 were presented and discussed by the MGB team. Outcome of the survey indicated 3 preferred livelihood projects.

**PROVISION FOR GAD CORNER/MAINTENANCE OF GAD WEBPAGE**
**MGB -8, PALO, LEYTE**

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