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REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL IX

REPORT ON THE MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL IX FOR CY 2017

The major accomplishments of Regional Development Council (RDC) IX in CY 2017 are as follows:

I. PLANNING AND POLICY FORMULATION

1. Regional Development Plan (RDP), 2017-2022

The Zamboanga Peninsula Regional Development Plan 2017-2022 is the accompanying document of the Philippine Development Plan 2017-2022. It serves as guide for both public and private investments towards the development of the region in the next six years, as it envisions to be the “Center of Sustainable Agri-Fishery Industries of the Philippines.”

NEDA IX, as RDC IX secretariat, conducted a multi-stakeholders’ consultation in the following areas: (1) Dipolog City for Zamboanga del Norte, Dipolog City and Dapitan City areas on February 1, 2017; (2) Ipil Municipality for Zamboanga Sibugay area on February 2, 2017; (3) Isabela City on February 2, 2017 for Isabela City area; (4) Pagadian City for Zamboanga del Sur and Pagadian City areas on February 3, 2017; and (5) Zamboanga City for Zamboanga City area on February 3, 2017. A total of 356 participants actively participated in the five consultations representing LGUs, RLAs, CSOs, business groups, academe, military, and government-owned and controlled corporations.

RDC IX SecComs reviewed and approved the whole enhanced RDP on the following dates: Development Administration Committee on February 20, 2017; Regional Social Development Committee on February 21, 2017; Economic Development Committee and Infrastructure Development Committee on February 24, 2017. Enhancements generated during the NEDA-wide RDP Conference on the review of all RDPs held on February 22-23, 2017 in Pasig City, were also incorporated in the draft.

RDC IX approved the ZamPen RDP 2017-2022 during its 157th Regular Meeting on March 8, 2017 in Zamboanga City through RDC IX Resolution No. 005, series of 2017.

2. Regional Development Report (RDR)

The RDR is prepared annually to assess the performance of the region vis-à-vis its development targets as indicated in the RDP. For CY 2016, the region was generally on track in terms of accomplishing its targets for the year. The report was presented and approved by RDC IX during its 160th Regular Meeting on 7 December 2017, through Resolution No. 103.

3. Zamboanga Peninsula RDP 2017-2022 Results Matrix (RM)

The Results Matrix, the companion document of the RDP, was presented and endorsed by the four sectoral committees of RDC IX during their respective third quarter meetings. RDC IX approved the Zamboanga Peninsula RDP 2017-2022 Results Matrix through Resolution No. 066, s. of 2017, during its 159th Regular Meeting on September 7, 2017 in Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay.

A list of core indicators from the long list of RM indicators was prepared to facilitate monitoring and assessment of the attainment of sector and sub-sector outcomes/targets in the RDP. The core indicators shall be the basis in assessing the yearly performance of the sector through the RDR. The core indicators were endorsed by the four sectoral committees of RDC IX during their respective fourth sectoral meetings. Likewise, the RDC IX approved the list of sectoral core indicators through REDC IX Res. No. 104, series of 2017 on December 7, 2017 in Zamboanga City.

4. Policy Review

The following documents were reviewed and provided appropriate comments/recommendations, namely:

a. **Proposed Amendments to Article X Section 5, 6 and 7 of the 1987 Constitution of the Republic of the Philippines**

The proposed amendments aim to improve the Local Government Units taxation power and have equitable share in the proceeds of the utilization and development of the national wealth within the respective area.

The proposed amendments were presented during the 2017 3rd quarter meeting of the Development Administration Committee. However, the committee agreed that it is better to leave it to Congress to do the amendments. BLGF IX commented that instead of the Constitution, Section 284 of the Local Government Code (LGC) of 1991 be amended as this Section discusses only internal revenue. BLGF IX proposed to include not only revenue collected by BIR but all revenues collected by revenue collecting agencies such as Bureau of Customs, PAGCOR, etc. The proposed amendments to the Constitution, per RDC IV-A Resolution, focus on increasing LGU shares in national income. Thus, the amendment to LGC may be more responsive to the concerns of LGUs, and relatively faster process than touching the Constitution, which may also be subject to modification because of the proposed change in the form of government, which is Federalism.

b. **Environmental Planning Act of 2013**

RA 10587 or otherwise known as the Environmental Planning Act of 2013 is the law that regulates the Environmental Planning Profession in the Philippines. It establishes that the State recognizes the importance of environmental planning in nation-building and development.

During the 160th RDC IX Full Council Meeting, three (3) resolutions were passed in support to RA 10587 to further professionalize the practice of local planners.

c. **HB 527/ SB 651, An Act Establishing the National Coastal Greenbelt Program, Providing Funds Therefor, and for other Purposes**

In line with Republic Act (R.A) No. 9729, otherwise known as Climate Change Act of 2009, as amended by R.A 10174, which states that the State shall encourage the participation of the national government, local governments, businesses, nongovernmental organizations, local communities and the public to prevent and reduce adverse impact of climate change, and realizing that establishment of greenbelts of mangroves and beach forests along coastlines is a proven green engineering intervention, Hon. Rodel M. Batocale, Hon. Alfredo A. Grabin, Jr., and Hon. Christopher S. Co of the House of Representatives and Sen. Paolo Benigno A. Aquino IV introduced House Bill No. 527 and Senate Bill 651, respectively, seeking to establish the National Coastal Greenbelt Program, providing funds therefor, and for other purposes.

RDC IX, during its regular meeting on 9 June 2017, passed Resolution No. 34, series of 2017, entitled “Endorsing the Passage of House Bill No. 5948 and Senate Bill No. 2179 Seeking to Establish the National Coastal Greenbelt Program and Provide Funds Therefor and for other Purposes,” subject to the consideration of comments and recommendations for the enhancement of the said Bills.

II. INVESTMENT PROGRAMMING AND BUDGETING

1. FY 2018 Budget Review and Consultation

Section 4(d) of Executive Order No. 325, series of 1996 mandates RDC to review and endorse to the national government the annual budgets of agency regional offices and state universities and colleges.

The Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 budget review and consultation was undertaken to ensure that the programs/projects (P/Ps) proposed by the regional line agencies (RLAs) and state universities and colleges (SUCs) were consistent with the 2018 Annual Investment Program (AIP) and

supportive of the development thrusts and priorities of Zamboanga Peninsula, and as well as the NBM No. 127.

RDC IX Advisory Committee (AdCom) convened on February 8, 2017 at the House of Representatives, Constitution Hills, Quezon City for the review and consultation of FY 2018 budget proposals of 12 selected regional line agencies (RLAs) of the region. The AdCom endorsed the budget proposals of the said agencies totaling P102.12 billion. Likewise, the RDC IX Expanded Executive Committee convened on February 15-16, 2017 at NEDA Regional Office IX, Pagadian City for the review of the FY 2018 budget proposals of six (6) state universities and colleges (SUCs), two (2) TESDA-administered schools, 12 remaining RLAs, and one (1) special development authority (SDA) and subsequently endorsed the same with a total amount of P9.64 billion.

Around 54% of the RDC-endorsed proposed budget was approved as indicated in the FY 2018 General Appropriations Act (GAA).

2. Zamboanga Peninsula CY 2019 Annual Investment Program (AIP)

The preparation of the annual investment program (AIP) signals the start of the budgeting process. It is conducted every **third or** fourth quarter of the year in preparation for the annual budgeting process, which normally falls in the first quarter of the succeeding year.

The 2019 AIP of the region was drawn from the 2019 slice of the ZamPen RDIP 2017-2022. The RDC IX sectoral committee – technical working groups convened on 1-2 August 2017 in Pagadian City for a workshop on the 2019 AIP.

The Zamboanga Peninsula CY 2019 AIP was endorsed by the four sectoral committees of RDC IX during their respective third quarter meetings. The Development Administration Committee (DevAdCom) endorsed the CY 2019 AIPs of three (3) RLAs with a total of P244.55 million on August 16, 2017. The Economic Development Committee (EDCom), during its meeting on August 24, 2017, endorsed the CY 2019 AIPs of its 12 member agencies with a total amount of P15.64 billion. On the other hand, the Regional Social Development Committee (RSDC) endorsed the CY 2018 AIP of its 14 member agencies/SUCs with a total amount of P32.94 billion, while the Infrastructure Committee (InfraCom) was able to endorse a total of P77.23 billion CY 2019 AIPs of its 6 member agencies.

Subsequently, RDC IX approved the Zamboanga Peninsula CY 2019 AIP through Resolution No. 069, s. of 2017 during its 159th Regular Meeting on September 7, 2017 in Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay. The ZamPen 2019 AIP was endorsed to respective agency central offices for their consideration and possible inclusion in the agency investment priorities.

3. Formulation of the Regional Development Investment Program (RDIP), 2017-2022

The preparation of the Zamboanga Peninsula Regional Development Investment Program (RDIP), 2017-2022 is part of the regional planning process in support of the achievement of societal goals and sector outcomes that are guided by the AmBisyon Natin 2040, the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda, and President Rodrigo R. Duterte's 0+10-Point Socio-Economic Agenda. The RDIP is a companion document of the RDP.

On 1-2 August 2017, the RDC IX SecCom TWGs conducted workshops on the RDIP and 2019 AIP. A total of 133 planners from 61 RLAs, SUCs, and LGUs participated in the workshop.

The Zamboanga Peninsula RDIP, 2017-2022 was endorsed by the four sectoral committees of RDC IX during their respective third quarter meetings. Subsequently, RDC IX approved the Zamboanga Peninsula RDIP 2017-2022 through Resolution No. 105, s. of 2017, during its 160th Regular Meeting on December 7, 2017 at Garden Orchid Hotel, Zamboanga City.

4. Review of Project Proposals

- a. A Project Evaluation Report (PER) was prepared which detailed the review, comments and recommendation of the DPWH project entitled 'Improving Growth Corridors in

Mindanao Road Sector Project (IGCMRS).’ The cost of the project is PhP 28.583 billion funded through the Official Development Assistance from the ADB. Proposed road sections and bridge covered by the project in Region IX include: Alicia-Malangas; Tampilisan-Sandayong; Lutiman-Guicam-Olutanga; Gutalac-Baliguian Alternate Road; Sibuco-Sirawai; R.T. Lim-Siocon; Lanao-Pagadian-Ipil- Zamboanga (Resilience section); Curuan-Sibuco; Siay-Gapol road; and Guicam Bridge. RDC IX endorsed the Project (Res. 059, s. 2017), and the NEDA-ICC Technical Board approved the same in June 2017.

III. PROJECT MONITORING AND EVALUATION

1. Field Monitoring Visits

The Regional Project Monitoring Committee (RPMC) IX, the monitoring arm of the RDC IX through the RPMC-TWG covered a total of 94 projects for CY 2017. Four regular quarterly field monitoring visits (FMVs) and two Special FMVs were conducted to wit:

RPMC IX Quarterly FMV	Date	Project/Areas Covered	No. of Projects Visited	Agency Concern
1st	Feb. 14-16, 2017	Regular FMV: Zamboanga Rehabilitation, Recovery and Reconstruction (Z3R) Projects in ZC, HPEF in Isabela, NHA & DPWH-Basilan DEO Projects in Isabela	15	NHA, DOH, DPWH IX & DPWH-DEO Basilan
	March 9-10, 2017	Special FMV with NEDA USec. Adoracion Navarro: Z3R Boardwalk and Resettlement Projects at Barangay Mariki, Zamboanga City, Rehabilitation of Joaquin F. Enriquez Memorial Sports complex, Pamucutan Water Treatment Plant, Ipil Airport, Pagadian City Airport	5	NHA, DPWH IX, ZCWD, CAAP
2nd	May 29-June 1, 2017	Regular FMV: Basic Education Facilities Fund (BEFF) Projects in ZC, Zamboanga Sibugay, ZDN and ZDS and DAR Projects in ZDN	14	DepEd IX and DAR IX
3rd	June 18-20, 2017	Special FMV: concreting of Baliguian Coastal Road, construction of Siocon-RT Lim road, construction of bridges along Zamboanga West Coast Road (Montivoh, Panganuran, Nasal, Puliron, Sibuco, Pangian, Siocon)	9	DPWH IX, DEO-Labason
	Aug. 18, 22-25, 2017	Regular FMV: SUCs projects in ZC, Zamboanga Sibugay, ZDS, Dapitan and Dipolog City; Port projects in Zamboanga City and Pulauan, Dapitan City and Dipolog Airport	26	JH Cerilles State College, WMSU/WMSU-ESU, ZSCMST and JRMSU, PPA-ZC PMO and ZDN PMO and CAAP-Dipolog
4th	Oct. 23-25, 2017	Regular FMV: Road widening projects in ZC, ZC By-pass Road, Zamboanga Sibugay Diversion Road, ZDS Coastal Road Projects and SUC project in Mati, ZDS	25	DPWH IX and JH Cerilles State College
	December 27, 2017	Joint Inspection of RPMC IX Secretariat and OCD IX on Construction of Flood Control Projects in Imelda, Zamboanga Sibugay	2	DPWH-DEO Diplahan, LGU of Imelda
Total Projects			96	

While some projects are experiencing delays and negative slippages due to either weather condition or Road Right of Way (RROW) problem, as in the case of most of the road projects, there are also projects that were implemented well, as in the case of WMSU, due to the technical capability and expertise of staff involved in the M & E of the projects implemented by the university (i.e, conservative estimates, and eschewal of any form of corruption). Compared with the other implementing agencies, the university was able to do more with the same budget. The result of project implementation at WMSU could be showcased to other implementing entities (i.e., efficient use of government funds and strong M & E). The concept of a Project Management Team could also be adopted by other SUCs and implementing agencies.

2. 3rd Facilitation Meeting on the Proposed Conversion of Baliguian Coastal Road

The conversion of the Baliguian Coastal Road (BCR) to a national road was emphasized in the series of Joint Programming Sessions of MinDA, DPWH and NEDA as it complements the development thrust of the region, and supports the Mariculture and Trade Corridor component of the Mindanao Development Corridor Program.

The 3rd Facilitation Meeting, conducted on July 18, 2017 in Baliguian, Zamboanga del Norte, focused on the update on the acquisition of the required 20-meter Road Right-of-Way, as well as, the coordination between DPWH and Baliguian LGU relative to the fulfilment of the technical requirements for the conversion of the said road.

3. 2nd Facilitation Meeting re: Pagadian City Airport

The two claimants over a parcel of the runway of Pagadian City Airport are the heirs of Datu Lucas Taug Boto, and the heirs of Datu Macaumbang. The unsettled payment to the claimants hinders the development of Pagadian City Airport which plays a significant role, being located in the seat of regional government of Zamboanga Peninsula.

The 2nd Facilitation Meeting was conducted on June 6, 2017 in Pagadian City. The said meeting, which was attended by representatives of the Department of Transportation, Commission on Audit IX, Local Government Unit of Pagadian City, and heirs of Datu Macaumbang, aimed to facilitate the release of the payment to the heirs.

IV. INTERNAL OPERATIONS

1. Meetings Conducted and Number of Resolutions Passed

a. RDC IX Full Council Meetings

RDC IX Regular Meeting	Date	Venue	No. of Resolutions Passed	Host of the Meeting
157 th	March 8, 2017	Palacio del Sur, Marcian Garden Hotel, Zamboanga City	28	
158 th	June 9, 2017	Top Plaza Hotel, Dipolog City	37	
159 th	Sept. 7, 2017	Jackie’s Cuisine, Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay	35	LGU Ipil
160 th	Dec. 7, 2017	Garden Orchid Hotel, Zamboanga City	17	DTI IX
Total			117	

b. Expanded Executive Committee Meeting

RDC IX ExCom Meeting	Date	Venue	No. of Resolutions Passed	Host of the Meeting
RDC IX Expanded ExCom Meeting	February 8, 15, 16, 2017		35	
Total			35	

c. Sectoral/Affiliate Committees

Committee/ Quarter Meeting	Date	Venue	No. of Resolutions Passed	Host of the Meeting
Economic Development Committee				
1 st Quarter	February 24, 2017	Zamboanga City	8	
2 nd Quarter	May 26, 2017	Zamboanga City	25	
3 rd Quarter	August 24, 2017	Zamboanga City	9	
4 th Quarter	November 24, 2017	Zamboanga City	19	
Total			61	
Infrastructure Development Committee				
1 st Quarter	February 24, 2017	Zamboanga City	8	
2 nd Quarter	May 26, 2017	Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay	6	LGU Ipil
3 rd Quarter	August 31, 2017	Zamboanga City	14	
4 th Quarter	November 20, 2017	Zamboanga City	10	
Total			38	
Regional Social Development Committee				
1 st Quarter	February 21, 2017	Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay	8	
2 nd Quarter	May 25, 2017	Pagadian City	3	
3 rd Quarter	August 17, 2017	Zamboanga City	21	
4 th Quarter	November 29, 2017	Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay	7	
Total			39	
Development Administration Committee				
1 st Quarter	February 20, 2017	Top Plaza Hotel, Dipolog City	6	
2 nd Quarter	May 19, 2017	PSA, Zamboanga City	7	PSA IX
3 rd Quarter	August 16, 2017	Dipolog City	8	
4 th Quarter	Nov. 24, 2017	Ipil, ZS	6	
Total			27	
Regional Project Monitoring Committee				
1 st Quarter	February 28, 2017	Zamboanga City	4	
2 nd Quarter	June 6, 2017	Pagadian City	5	
Facilitation Meeting/Problem Solving re Pagadian City Airport	June 6, 2017	Pagadian City	2	
	July 18, 2017	Baliguian, Zamboanga del Norte	3	
	August 30, 2017	Zamboanga City	8	
4 th Quarter	November 21, 2017	Zamboanga City	4	
Total			26	
Regional Land Use Committee				
3 rd Quarter	August 10, 2017	Pagadian City	2	
4 th Quarter	Nov. 6, 2017	Ipil, ZS	5	
Total			7	
Regional Gender and Development Committee				
1 st Quarter	February 27, 2017	Zamboanga City	5	DTI IX
2 nd Quarter	May 22, 2017	Zamboanga City	3	NYC IX
3 rd Quarter	August 29, 2017	WMSU Executive Function Room, Zamboanga City	2	WMSU
4 th Quarter	November 22, 2017	Lantaka Hotel, Zamboanga City	4	LTO IX
Total			14	

d. Attendance During RDC IX Meetings

Members with 100% Personal Attendance to 2017 RDC IX Meetings

NESTOR R. CARBONERA

PSR-Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay
Chairperson, RSDC 9 and
Executive Director
Xavier Agricultural Extension Service (XAES)
Xavier Science Foundation (XSF)

CIRILO B. ABLAO

PSR-Dapitan City and
Regional Director, Prime Movers for Peace and Progress Association, Inc.

VICTORIA M. CAJANDIG

PSR-IP Sector and Executive Officer, Pikhumpong Dlibon Subanen, Inc. (PDSI)

ALFREDO L. JAMORA

PSR-Zamboanga Sibugay
Chairperson, Tungawan Employees and Community Multi-Purpose Cooperative

Members’ Attendance to RDC IX Meetings (Personal and Representative)

4 Meetings Attended	3 Meetings Attended	2 Meetings Attended	1 Meeting Attended	No Meetings Attended
Officers	Officers	Officers	Officers	Officers
RDC Vice Chairperson Ramos RDC Secretary Ridao	RDC Chairperson Olegario			
LGU's	LGU's	LGU's	LGU's	LGU's
Dipolog City Dapitan City Ipil	Province of Zamboanga del Norte Zamboanga City	Province of Zamboanga del Sur Province of Zamboanga Sibugay Isabela City Pagadian City	Mayors’ League of Zamboanga Sibugay	Mayors’ League of Zamboanga del Sur Mayors’ League of Zamboanga del Norte
RLAs	RLAs	RLAs	RLAs	RLAs
TESDA IX DILG IX DPWH IX DOST IX LTO IX DOH IX DepEd IX DTI IX DENR IX DAR IX DSWD IX CHED IX DOLE IX PMS IX	BSP-Zamboanga Branch DBM IX DA IX HUDCC	BLGF IX DOT IX	MinDA	DFA Consular Office IX DOE-Mindanao Field Office

4 Meetings Attended	3 Meetings Attended	2 Meetings Attended	1 Meeting Attended	No Meetings Attended
PSRs	PSRs	PSRs	PSRs	PSRs
Mr. Nestor R. Carbonera	Fr.Enrico V. Montano		Ms. Evelyn T. Uy	Mr. Antonio S. Rodriguez
Mr. Cirilo B. Ablao	Atty. Carl Andrew M. Rubio			
Ms. Victoria M. Cajandig	Mr. Pedro Rufo N. Soliven			
Mr. Alfredo L. Jamora	Mr. Jose J. Suan			
	Ms. Miriam L. Suacito			
	Ms. Mercedes Lourdes S. Quisumbing			
Special Non-voting Members	Special Non-voting Members	Special Non-voting Members	Special Non-voting Members	Special Non-voting Members
PIA IX 1st Infantry ID PopCom IX	NYC IX		ZAMBOECOZONE	

2. Other Accomplishments

a. Zamboanga Peninsula Roads and Bridges Summit

RDC IX endorsed the conduct of a Roads and Bridges Summit for Zamboanga Peninsula by approving its TOR through Res. No. 059, series of 2017, during its 158th Regular Meeting on June 9, 2017 in Dipolog City.

A Technical Working Group (TWG) on RBS was created by RDC IX to oversee the preparation for the Summit. Two TWG workshops were conducted on July 4, 2017 in Pagadian City and on August 9, 2017 in Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay, to formulate a set of criteria for prioritizing the roads and bridges projects, and endorse the same to InfraCom IX for further review and approval.

Likewise, RDC IX passed Resolution No. 090, series of 2017, “Endorsing the Priority Road and Bridge Projects of Zamboanga Peninsula for 2019-2022” during its 159th Regular Meeting on September 7, 2017 in Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay.

A total of 331 priority roads and bridges projects, including those for conversion to national highways, are proposed for funding in the 2019-2022 investment program of DPWH and other funding agencies.

The list of priority roads and bridges projects was submitted to DPWH Central Office representative Engr. Maximo Ewald Montaña II, MinDA and DILG during the ZamPen Roads and Bridges Summit on October 11, 2017 in Zamboanga City.

b. Participation in the PSR National Convention

The 8th RDC PSR National Convention was held on June 21-23, 2017 at The Bellevue Resort, Panglao, Bohol. The activity was attended by RDC IX PSRs Mr. Nestor R. Carbonera, Fr. Enrico V. Montano, Atty. Carl Andrew M. Rubio, Mr. Pedro Rufo Soliven, and Ms. Victoria M. Cajandig, together with NEDA Regional Director Teresita Socorro C. Ramos and NEDA Assistant Regional Director Phlorita A. Ridao.

c. Zamboanga Peninsula Economic Situationer

The Regional Economic Situationer is prepared quarterly and annually. The publication provides a quick assessment of the performance of the regional economy for the period in review. It presents regional/provincial/city data on: (1) Agriculture and Fisheries Production, (2) Labor and Employment, (3) Investments particularly on the Number of Business Name Registrations, (4) Inflation and Consumer Price Index and Foreign Exchange, and (4) Peace and Order. The sources of data are the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) IX, Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) IX, Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) IX, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) and Police Regional Office (PRO) IX.

d. RDC Communicator

The RDC Communicator is the quarterly publication of the Regional Development Council IX. For the period 2017, three publications were distributed to the Council members and other stakeholders.

e. Participation in the following activities:

i. National SDC Meetings

RSDC IX Officials participated in National-Regional SDC Consultative meetings held on March 9-10, 2017 in Pasig city and October 25-26, 2017 in Cebu City.

ii. Launching of Philippine Development Plan, 2017-2022 in Zamboanga Peninsula

Members of RDC IX participated during the launching of the Philippine Development Plan (PDP), 2017-2022 in Zamboanga Peninsula on July 27, 2017 at Liga Ng Mga Barangay Convention Center, Pagadian City.

The Regional Launching/Roadshow called “Aksyon para sa AmBisyon: A Philippine Development Expo,” with the theme: “Tayo Nang Abutin and Ambisyon Natin,” is an advocacy activity to create and broaden public awareness on the PDP.

iii. DTI-DPWH Convergence Program on Road Connectivity for Industry and Trade Development Roads Leveraging Linkages for Industry and Trade (ROLL IT) Program

The ZamPen DTI-DPWH Regional Technical Working Group convened on March 14, 2017 in Zamboanga city to review and finalize the list of road projects leading to priority industries. On March 27, the RTWG submitted a total of 70 road projects with a total investment of P9.663 billion covering the periods 2018-2021. RDC IX, through Resolution no. 022, series of 2017, supported the ROLL IT program and endorsed the proposed road projects.