



Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT
REGION III

April 15, 2020

HON. DANIEL R. FERNANDO
Provincial Governor
Province of Bulacan

Thru : **DIR. DARWIN D. DAVID**
Provincial Director, DILG- Bulacan

Dear **Governor Fernando** :

This is to inform you that the **2021 GAD Plan and Budget** of the Province of Bulacan has been reviewed by this office and found in conformity with the guidelines stated in PCW-NEDA-DILG-DBM Joint Memorandum Circular 2013-01, to wit:

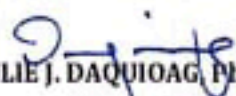
- The LGU had allocated more than 5% of its annual budget appropriation for GAD programs, projects and activities;
- The prescribed template has been followed;
- GAD PPAs are relevant and they address the identified gender issues and their causes;
- GAD PPAs including Performance Targets are doable within the year
- Gender issues and their causes are clearly articulated, hence, entries in the succeeding columns are correct; and
- Proposed budget for each PPA is realistic.

Moreover, may we request the Provincial Government to consider our minor recommendations of ensuring that some GAD issues/mandates are provided with baseline data/statistics (if available).

Nonetheless, the said plan is officially endorsed for incorporation in your Annual Investment Plan (AIP). We commend and thank your Office for the unwavering commitment and partnership with us in realizing our endeavor for a gender responsive community.

Thank you and regards!

Very truly yours,


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CERTIFICATE OF REVIEW AND ENDORSEMENT

This is to certify that the GAD Plan and Budget (GPB) for FY 2021 of Bulacan has been reviewed and was found fully compliant in form and contents with the provisions of Republic Act No. 9710 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations, and PCW-DILG-DBM-NEDA Joint Memorandum Circular Nos. 2013-01 and 2016-01. Per DILG's review, the GPB of Bulacan was found complaint with the following:

- At least five (5%) of LGUs' total annual budget was allocated to GAD PPAs addressing gender issues;
- ALL Programs, Projects and Activities (PPAs) are responsive to LGUs identified Gender Issues and /or GAD Mandate

Thus, said GPB of Bulacan is hereby officially endorsed for incorporation in the Provincial / City / Municipal's Annual Investment Program (AIP) and Annual Budget.

Issued this 15th day of April, 2020 at the Office of the Regional Director -
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