



Republic of the Philippines
Province of Eastern Samar
Municipality of General Macarthur

POST-ACTIVITY REPORT

Event Title	Reorientation on the Roles and Functions of the LPMC
Date	March 5, 2026
Location	2F Lobby, Municipal Building, Brgy. 5, General Macarthur, E. Samar
Participants	LPMC Members
Background	Effective monitoring of locally funded and nationally supported development projects is essential to ensure transparency, accountability, and efficient utilization of public resources. The Local Project Monitoring Committee (LPMC) plays a critical role in tracking the implementation of infrastructure and development projects within the municipality to ensure that they are implemented according to approved plans, timelines, and standards. With the recent reorganization of the Local Project Monitoring Committee, there was a need to reorient its members on their mandates, responsibilities, and operational procedures. The activity aimed to strengthen the capacity of the committee members to effectively perform their monitoring functions, particularly in the use of the Results-Based Monitoring and Evaluation System (RPMES) forms and other monitoring tools. The reorientation also served as a venue to reinforce the legal foundations of the LPMC and ensure that members clearly understand their roles in promoting transparency, accountability, and good governance in project implementation.
Objectives of the Activity	The activity aimed to: • Reorient the newly reorganized members of the Local Project Monitoring Committee (LPMC) on their roles and functions. • Discuss the legal basis, composition, duties, and responsibilities of the LPMC in project monitoring.

	• Familiarize members with the Results-Based Monitoring and Evaluation System (RPMES) forms and reporting requirements. • Strengthen the monitoring capacity of the committee to ensure timely and effective oversight of local development projects.
Highlights of the Activity	The reorientation began with a comprehensive presentation by Municipal Engineer Isruel Lou Magno, who served as the primary resource speaker for the activity. Engr. Magno provided an in-depth discussion on the legal basis for the establishment and operation of the Local Project Monitoring Committee (LPMC), emphasizing its crucial role in promoting transparency, accountability, and efficiency in the implementation of government-funded projects. He highlighted that a well-functioning LPMC serves as an important mechanism that enables the Local Government Unit (LGU) to safeguard public resources and ensure that development projects are implemented in accordance with approved plans, technical specifications, and implementation timelines. During the session, Engr. Magno also elaborated on the composition of the LPMC, identifying the key offices and representatives that form part of the committee. He clarified the roles and responsibilities of each member, stressing the importance of coordination and active participation in carrying out project monitoring functions. He further discussed the duties and functions of the LPMC, which include conducting regular monitoring and inspection of projects, documenting the status of project implementation, identifying issues and constraints affecting project delivery, and submitting timely monitoring reports to the appropriate authorities. A significant portion of the discussion focused on the Results-Based Monitoring and Evaluation System (RPMES) forms, which serve as standardized tools for monitoring and reporting the progress of government projects. Engr. Magno guided the participants through the different RPMES forms and explained their proper accomplishment, emphasizing the importance of accurate and timely documentation in strengthening monitoring and evaluation processes. The discussion enabled the participants to better understand how these tools support effective project oversight and informed decision-making. Meanwhile, MLGOO Maria Rowena M. Estor also provided an orientation on the criteria for the Local Project Monitoring Committee

(LPMC) Awards, highlighting the importance of maintaining an active and functional monitoring committee. She discussed the key evaluation indicators used in assessing the performance of LPMCs, which include the regular conduct of monitoring activities, proper documentation and submission of monitoring reports, utilization of RPMES forms, and overall compliance with established monitoring standards. She emphasized that the recognition aims to encourage LGUs to strengthen their monitoring mechanisms and institutionalize accountability in project implementation.

The activity also served as a venue for participants to engage in an open discussion, allowing members to raise questions and clarify concerns related to project monitoring processes within the municipality. Through this exchange of ideas, the newly reorganized members gained a clearer understanding of their roles and responsibilities and the importance of collaborative efforts in ensuring effective project monitoring.

Overall, the reorientation strengthened the capacity and commitment of the members of the Local Project Monitoring Committee to actively carry out their monitoring functions and contribute to the transparent, accountable, and efficient implementation of development projects in the municipality.

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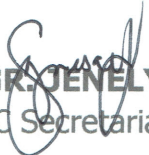

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