



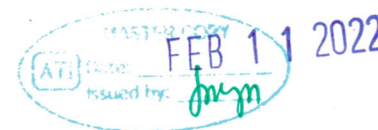
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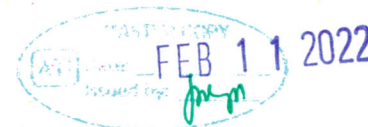
Center/Division: RTC-CAR

PROGRAM	ACTIVITY	HIGHLIGHTS <i>(Specific title of activities, Why, When, Where, Who, How many)</i>
Strengthening Competency and Competitiveness through Capability Building (Learn)	Other AF	<p>ATI 35TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION</p> <p>For this year, the DA-ATI-CAR celebrated the ATI 35th Anniversary with a thanksgiving mass on January 28,2022. The Center did not conduct other ATI CAR- led activities due to the restrictions for in-and-out gatherings and activities imposed by the Alert Level III quarantine status of the province. The Center however actively participated in the ATI CO- led series of activities during the week.</p> <p><i>January 25- Tuesday</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ DA-ATI-CAR preparation for the cheering activity in the afternoon ✓ Participation during the ATI opening program (AM) and Recognition of Loyalty Awardees of ATI and cheering activity <p><i>January 26- Wednesday</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Participation during the ATI's Commitment Signing among the RTCS and ATI-CO <p><i>January 27- Thursday</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Some DA-ATI-CAR joined the ATI Webinar Series online <p><i>January 28- Friday</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ ATI-CAR's Thanksgiving Mass <p>Ptr. Renato Mateo, KKM-LSFI shared on Philippians 3: 11-14 <i>¹¹ and so, somehow, attaining to the resurrection from the dead.¹² Not that I have already obtained all this, or have already arrived at my goal, but I press on to take hold of that for which Christ Jesus took hold of me. ¹³ Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, ¹⁴ I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.</i></p> <p>Encouraged the staff not to give up and doing their works as they are placed in the agency to fulfill God's glory. He reiterated that the past should be laid behind and move forward. Staff should love their works more than the salary and by doing so, blessings will follow which is not limited to increase of salary alone but in other ways like health of the family, provision of educational needs and good relationship with other people, among others.</p> <p>Mr. Sagudan, OIC thanked Ptr. Mateo for laying the foundation by his inspiring message to the ATI-CAR as they start the CY 2022 implementation. Further he expressed his gratitude to the ATI CAR staff for the success of the CY 2021 activities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Zumba Dance <p>some interested staff joined the physical work-out</p>





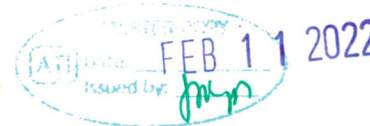
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Modelling Technologies, Best Agriculture and Fisheries Extension Practices and Innovations (Exhibit)	LSA Validation and Monitoring	<p>On January 4, 2022, Ms. Resley Ann G. Sumedca, DA-ATI-CAR Agriculturist I, validated and monitored in Antadao and Ambasing, Sagada, Mountain Province.</p> <p><u>LS VALIDATION</u></p> <p>Ms. Clare A. Lalwet is an organic farmer and a member of BINAOD, an organic organization in Sagada, Mountain Province. The farm is along the national road in Batalao, Antadao, Sagada with a total area of 7,000 square meters and 2,000 square meters, is devoted to vegetable production and livestock raising. The farm has also fruit trees such as oranges. She started farming in 2012 and has currently two (2) farm workers to help her. She has attended trainings conducted by DA-ATI, DA-AMAD and DAR. Aside from that she has also been delivering topics on <i>Healthy Diet and Lifestyle and some-organic agriculture topics</i> for high school students, women's group, and farmers.</p> <p>The farm has a vegetable production area and livestock production area. Currently, there are 15 heads of poultry, 8 heads of rabbit, and 20 heads of swine (both native and mestizo). The farm has also facilities like greenhouse devoted for vegetable production, nursery, shed for storing composts and processing animal feed, animal shed, registration and holding area, farm tool shed, comfort rooms, wash and packing area, training hall, and demo area.</p> <p>The main produce of the farm are leafy vegetables (<i>lettuce, kale, spinach, polochai, etc.</i>) and fruit vegetable like cucumber and tomato. Farm owner Ms. Lalwet plans to incorporate new technologies such as hydroponics in the future.</p> <p><u>LS MONITORING</u></p> <p>Ms. Sumedca also monitored one of the previously established learning sites, Mr. Albert Langbayan. During the monitoring, it was noted that since the quality of the banana trees had degraded, the farm was converted to coffee production under alnus trees. The old oranges trees on the lower portion of the farm were replaced with new once. But since the trees are still small, Mr. Langbayan planted it with eggplants.</p> <p>He has also planted coffee trees under the grown orange trees. Upon his research, coffee grown under orange trees has this <i>orange taste</i> that is why he is separating his harvest from that coffee trees. Mr. Langbayan plans to expand his holding area to accommodate more guests and construct comfort room near the holding area.</p>





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Improving Enabling Environment and Governance for AFE (Support)	ATI Institutional Development	<p>CLOSING OF THE BOOKS</p> <p>This five-day activity conducted virtually via Google Meet was attended by Accountants, Budget Officers, Cashier, Human Resource Personnel, AFSU Heads, and other Administrative Services staff. Highlights of the activity included:</p> <p><i>January 10 – Day 1</i></p> <p>Opening Ceremony Participants include the budget officers, accountants, cashier, human resource personnel and other administrative services staff of central office and the centers. The group was welcomed by the directorate represented by OIC Deputy-Director Antonieta J. Arceo. She congratulated the centers and ATI as whole for a job well done with 99% fund utilization rate for the operational year 2021, which could not have been attained without the support from the admin and finance personnel. She further encouraged the group to target and work with the technical sections for a 100% utilization rate for CY 2022.</p> <p>Deputy Director Arceo reiterated the importance of a well-crafted Annual Procurement Plan (APP) as it is the starting point of all procurements, which has the biggest impact in the utilization of funds. She then urged the centers to conduct early procurement activities. Enclosing, she said that the ATI management will continue to support and address major issues and concerns of the Administrative and Finance Section/Units of the whole network. Following the welcome remarks from the directorate were the updates from budget, accounting, and admin groups.</p> <p><i>January 11 – Day 2</i> Open forum</p> <p>Issues and concerns in the operations of Administrative and Finance Units (AFU) of the Centers were discussed led by Budget Officer Leonila Caiz and OIC Deputy Director Antonieta J. Arceo. Among others are the following: No capital outlay budget for the centers - Ms. Leonila Caiz said that for CY 2022, ATI have received an appropriation for capital outlay for its general and administrative Services, which shall be equitably distributed to the centers. Employment of eNGAS- Use of eNGAS shall be first done in the Central Office after completion of necessary data as per DA-Central Office advice. Encoding of financial reports for CY 2021 in the google sheets made by ATI-Central Office</p> <p><i>January 12 – Day 3</i></p> <p>Presentation of Financial Performance by the centers. See photo documentation for the fund utilization of ATI.</p> <p><i>January 13 – Day 4</i></p> <p>Continuation of encoding of financial reports</p> <p><i>January 14 – Day 5</i></p> <p>Continuation of encoding of financial reports Wrap up of the activity did not push through because of the lockdown in the Central Office due to rise of Covid-19 cases in the offices of ATI-CO.</p>





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Improving Enabling Environment and Governance for AFE (Support)	Consultation	<p>AGRICULTURE PROGRAM CONSULTATION</p> <p>The League of Municipal Agriculturist-Benguet Chapter in coordination with the Province of Benguet thru the Office of the Provincial Agriculturist had a joint Consultation Meeting cum Farm Tourism on January 25,2022, held at the Benguet Agri-Eco Farm in Bulala, Bayabas, Sablan, Benguet. In this regard, the Center was requested to participate and act as panel on the upcoming Devolution Transition Plan (DTP). OIC-TCD Charlie C. Sagudan was not available due to the opening of the 35th Anniversary thus, Mr. Maximino R. Aromin Jr., <i>DA-ATI-CAR Information Officer III/ISS Head</i>, attended this activity.</p> <p>Activities and highlights during the said meeting included:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Presentation of the result of ACRAFES by project leader Mr. Constantino Sudaypan. 2. Updates on PAFES implementation by ATI-CAR and DA-RFO-CAR 3. Updates from DILF on the implementation of DTP 4. Updates/Inputs from DBM, and 5. Updates on Kadiwa Services <p>The activity was closed by Board Member Atty. Ruben E. Poad who emphasized that Benguet is still an agricultural economy, thus, priority should be given to it. He emphasized the need to use research result as aid in planning and that our focus should not only be on how much but more on the outcome.</p> <p>Actions needed:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Design a training course for PAFES monitoring teams 2. Define/Create a detailed mechanism/guideline for monitoring of PAFES to include AFCs, if possible 3. Clarify with ATI-CO if we have the power to regulate private entities that conduct training with a fee.

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Other reports/ data that were not submitted yet as of date will be reported next month