

THE ASIA FOUNDATION (TAF)

Key Area	Project Focal Person	Program/ Projects	Description/ Objective	Implementing Agency	Covered LGUs	Date of Implementation	Status	Budget (Million \$)	Funding Source
Dev't. Planning	<p>Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer The Asia Foundation 36 Lapu-Lapu St. Magallanes Village, Makati City Tel. No. 8511466</p> <p>Mr. Rommel Dela Rosa Program Coordinator TAG Project Office 11 Ilang-Ilang St., Cotabato City Tel. No. 064-4217771</p> <p>Mr. Mario Vito Abastar Program Coordinator TAG Project Office Zamboanga City Tel. No. 062-9923651</p>	Barangay/Municipal Development Planning	To provide technical assistance to local governments in planning and budgeting by using methodologies that promote community participation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maguindanao Foundation for Good Governance and Development • Bangsamoro Women Foundation for Peace and Development • Mindanao State University - Center for Local Governance (Marawi)* • Institute for Strategic Initiatives* • SIAD Initiatives in Mindanao – Convergence for Asset Reform and Regional Development • Pakigdait, Inc.* • Federation of Lanao Del Sur Multi-Purpose Cooperatives* • Muslim-Christian Agency for Rural Development - Panginam O Masa * • Muslim-Christian Agency for Rural Development - Ranao Integrated Assistance Program * • Kahapan Foundation, Inc. • Tawi-Tawi Outreach Development Foundation, Inc.* • Alternative Center for Organizational Reform* • Coalition for the Development of Sibuguey 	<p>Municipalities of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maguindanao • Lanao del Sur • Lanao del Norte* • Zamboanga <p>Sibugay</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basilan • Tawi-Tawi • Sulu 		Ongoing		United States Agency for International Development (USAID)
Good Governance		Transparent and Accountable Governance	To strengthen Philippine civil society and private sector constituencies for anti-corruption reforms and to support the Philippine national and local efforts to implement a good governance agenda						

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			conducive to economic growth and poverty reduction. In Mindanao cities, TAG efforts are focused towards improving transparency and accountability in city governance by simplifying city government procedures, reducing the monopoly of power and discretion of city employees and increasing transparency and the availability of information to citizens.						
Good governance	<p>Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer The Asia Foundation 36 Lapu-Lapu St. Magallanes Village, Makati City Tel. No. 8511466</p> <p>Mr. Rommel Dela Rosa Program Coordinator TAG Project Office 11 Ilang-Ilang St., Cotabato City Tel. No. 064-4217771</p> <p>Mr. Mario Vito Abastar Program Coordinator TAG Project Office Zamboanga City</p>	Public Service Excellence, Ethics and Accountability Program (PSEEP)	To establish within the local government the values of public service excellence, ethics and accountability in order to improve customer service levels	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maguindanao Foundation for Good Governance and Development • Institute of Development Economics and Management - Resource Development Services • Western Mindanao University - Center for Local Governance • Agro-Industrial Developers, Links, Initiators for Enhancement Inc. • Mindanao Kalibugan Islamic Tribe Foundation, Inc. • Notre Dame Business Resource Center Foundation • Ateneo de Davao University - Center for Local Governance • Southern Philippines Research and Extension Foundation 	<p>Municipalities of the following provinces :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maguindanao • Zamboanga del Norte • Tawi-Tawi • Sultan Kudarat <p>Cities of :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cotabato • Dapitan • General Santos • Iligan • Marawi • Island Garden City of Samal • Surigao <p>Provinces of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tawi-Tawi • Sulu 		Ongoing		

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Resource Mobilization and Management	<p>Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer The Asia Foundation 36 Lapu-Lapu St. Magallanes Village, Makati City Tel. No. 8511466</p> <p>Mr. Rommel Dela Rosa Program Coordinator TAG Project Office 11 Ilang-Ilang St., Cotabato City Tel. No. 064-4217771</p> <p>Mr. Mario Vito Abastar Program Coordinator TAG Project Office Zamboanga City Tel. No. 062-9923651</p>	Investment Promotion and Enterprise Development	The enterprise development and investment promotions modules consist of sessions on sustainable integrated area development and investment promotions framework planning, project development workshop and field coaching.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Metro Kutawatu Development Alliance - PMO • Mindanao State University - Center for Local Governance • Federation of Lanao del Sur Multi-Purpose Cooperatives • Muslim-Christian Agency for Rural Development - Panginam O Masa • Muslim-Christian Agency for Rural Development - Ranao Integrated Assistance Program 	<p>Municipalities in the provinces of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maguindanao • Lanao del Sur 		Completed		United States Agency for International Development (USAID)
Resource Mobilization and Management	<p>Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer The Asia Foundation 36 Lapu-Lapu St. Magallanes Village, Makati City Tel. No. 8511466</p>	Real Property Tax Administration	To mobilize barangay officials, teachers, and school officials in support of increased collection of real property taxes.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bangsamoro Women Foundation for Peace and Development 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Datu Montawal, Maguindanao 		Completed		United States Agency for International Development (USAID)

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Human Resource Development	Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer The Asia Foundation 36 Lapu-Lapu St. Magallanes Village, Makati City Tel. No. 8511466 Mr. Rommel Dela Rosa Program Coordinator TAG Project Office 11 Ilang-Ilang St., Cotabato City Tel. No. 064-4217771	Comprehensive Human Resource Development Planning	To build and improve the capacities of a human resource development (HRD) core team composed of HRD specialists, HRD advocates and change agents. This assistance includes the installation of human resource systems, such as planning for people management, a recruitment system, an empowering system, development performance, and career management.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bangsamoro Women Foundation for Peace and Development 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Datu Paglas, Maguindanao 		Completed		United States Agency for International Development (USAID)
City Governance	Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer The Asia Foundation 36 Lapu-Lapu St. Magallanes Village, Makati City Tel. No. 8511466	Making Cities Work Program	To foster local economic growth and job creation in Mindanao by working with city governments to improve business processes and procedures related to business registration and licensing (with special attention to micro, small and medium enterprises).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ateneo School of Government • Ateneo de Davao University - Center for Local Governance 	Cities of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Korondal • Tacurong • Malaybalay 		Ongoing		United States Agency for International Development (USAID)
City Governance	Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer	Business Permit Renewal Process Study	The process documentation examined the i) number of steps from start to finish; ii) number of minutes, hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Notre Dame Business Resource Center Foundation • Ateneo de Davao University - Center for Local Governance 	Cities of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cotabato • Dapitan 		Completed		United States Agency for International Development

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	The Asia Foundation 36 Lapu-Lapu St. Magallanes Village, Makati City Tel. No. 8511466		or days devoted for each step; iii) number of forms, clearances and signatories required for each step; iv) frequency of a particular document going back for signature of a particular person; v) absence or presence of information, flow charts, referral systems and schedule of fees disseminated to public; vi) accessibility of required forms; vii) transparency in the computation of fees for payments; and, viii) positions of personnel involved in the renewal process.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hope for Change, Inc. • Southern Philippines Research and Extension Foundation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Santos • Iligan • Marawi • Island Garden City of Samal • Surigao 				(USAID)
City Governance	Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer The Asia Foundation 36 Lapu-Lapu St. Magallanes Village, Makati City Tel. No. 8511466	Procedural Reforms Agenda in Mindanao Cities	To build capacities of Mindanao cities in restructuring services and administration to reduce local corrupt practices that decrease efficiency, increase the cost of doing business, and discourage investment.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • League of Cities of Philippines 	Cities of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cotabato • Dapitan • General Santos • Iligan • Marawi • Island Garden City of Samal • Surigao • Butuan • Dipolog • Panabo • Oroquieta • Ozamis • Zamboanga • Malaybalay • Tacurong • Koronadal 		Ongoing		United States Agency for International Development (USAID)
Civil Society Constituency Building	Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer The Asia Foundation	City Transparency and Accountability Networks	To provide support to civil society groups at the local level in engaging respective local governments and business groups in promoting transparent,	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mindanao Coalition of Development NGO Networks 	Cities of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cotabato • Dapitan • General Santos • Iligan 		Ongoing		United States Agency for International Development (USAID)

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Private Sector Constituency Building	Ms. Ma. Belen Bonoan Senior Program Officer The Asia Foundation 36 Lapu-Lapu St. Magallanes Village, Makati City Tel. No. 8511466	City Coalitions for Transparent Accountable Governance	To strengthen the commitment of city coalition members to mobilize private sector and civil society participation in the promotion of transparency and accountability in government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mindanao Business Council, Inc. 	Cities of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cotabato • Dapitan • General Santos • Iligan • Marawi • Island Garden City of Samal • Surigao 		Completed		United States Agency for International Development (USAID)