Knights of Rizal Fairfield Chapter, Connecticut, Eastern Region 2, U.S.A.Project Reports20 November 2022

Subject: Report of Projects for RY 2022-2023

I School Project

Location: Barangay Pangilihan, Janiuay, Iloilo Province (Region VI), Phils.

The KOR Fairfield Chapter, CT, USA, approved the construction of two (2)classroom school projects, the location is indicated above, during their meeting on 27 March 2022, which was also attended by Supreme Council Archivist, (RY-2021-2023) Sir Ferdinand G Suba, KGCR.

The school selection was done by lottery comprising of all Regions of the country and was broken down into Provinces, Municipalities and Barangays, taking into consideration its remote accessibility.

<u>The project's info, schedules and details are outlined as indicated, below:</u> <u>School Construction</u>-

Fairfield Chapter, CT will construct a two (2) classrooms in Pangilihan Elementary School in the town of Janiuay, Iloilo (Regon VI).

The school is centrally located 15 kms. away from the town of Janiuay, Iloilo and belongs to one of the mountain parts of the Barangay and is accessible by motorcycle or jeepney. Presently, school enrolment reaches about 209 students.

On December 28 & 29, 2022, our Chapter Commander Sir Domingo 'Ed' Manongsong, KCR will make a physical survey and ocular inspection of the proposed school area together with the proper school authorities and volunteers.

He will also be meeting with the Parents & Teachers Association (PTA) and Community Leaders about the school project and discuss the accessibility of the area including but not limited to the delivery of school materials, and hardware to the site.

Initial talks by the Chapter Officers with Pangilihan school officials & community leaders resulted in a very positive way and the school project was joyously embraced by the community with the promise by the men & women in the community to aid with the construction through the spirit of bayanihan.

On or about the first week of February 2023, the groundbreaking ceremony of the school project will take place, (just days after our Int'l Assembly on January 29-31, 2023), to be attended by some Chapter Officers and Supreme Council Archivist, Sir Ferdinand G. Suba, who signifies his intention to attend. We are also inviting our KOR IHQ leaders to witness this event. Construction shall commence following the ceremony.

II Pangilihan, Janiuay, Iloilo proposed KOR Chapter.

Fairfield Chapter, CT, USA is recommending the creation of a KOR Chapter in Janiuay, Iloilo, consistent with the Rules, Regulations, and Constitution and by-laws of the Order.

Fairfield Chapter, CT. will support and provide financial assistance to the new KOR Chapter by paying all the required Chapter fees, including medals, uniforms, and other pertinent expenses.

The new Janiuay KOR Chapter shall have their Knighting ceremony right after the groundbreaking ceremony of the school project, or as may required by the KOR Charter and approved by the Supreme Council or as directed by the Supreme Commander.

III <u>SABUD LA-O SLP Association, Daraitan, Tanay, Rizal</u> (Accredited by DSWD as CSO)

Sabud La-o SL PA was organized on 17 Feb 2022, composed of 60 members/30 families, 77% of members is IP (Indigenous People). Sabud means "mountain", La-o means "river" or "water" in the IP language. People in Daraitan, Tanay, Rizal rely heavily on eco-tourism for income. The first sustainable and successful community-based livelihood, established and managed by united indigenous and non-indigenous families in Daraitan, Tanay, giving importance to culture, environment and people.

Fairfield Chapter, CT will help the SLP association with some financial assistance by donating US \$500.00 approx. amount to purchase 100 bags of cement.

IV <u>Proposed Student scholarship beneficiaries' program to be effective during</u> the opening of School Yr. 2023.

Details to be determined during the meeting on December 2022.

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