



Philippines: Strengthening the Transition of Vulnerable Communities Affected by the Malolos-Clark Railway Project

Project Name	Strengthening the Transition of Vulnerable Communities Affected by the Malolos-Clark Railway Project
Project Number	52083-007
Country	Philippines
Project Status	Approved
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance
Source of Funding / Amount	TA 9913-PHI: Strengthening the Transition of Vulnerable Communities Affected by the Malolos-Clark Railway Project Japan Fund for Poverty Reduction US\$ 2.00 million
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions Partnerships
Sector / Subsector	Transport - Rail transport (non-urban)
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Effective gender mainstreaming
Description	
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy	
Impact	
Project Outcome	
Description of Outcome	
Progress Toward Outcome	
Implementation Progress	
Description of Project Outputs	
Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)	
Geographical Location	Angeles City, Apalit, Clark Special Economic Zone, Mabalacat, Malolos, Minalin, San Fernando
Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects	
Environmental Aspects	
Involuntary Resettlement	
Indigenous Peoples	
Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation	
During Project Design	Consultations with project affected persons (PAPs) have been conducted during the preparation of the Resettlement Action Plan (RAP) and the preparation of the Livelihood Restoration and Improvement Program (LRIP) for the Malolos-Clark Railway Project.
During Project Implementation	Output 1. The TA will provide one-on-one mentors to deliver weekly home visits to the TA participant households and conduct monthly group sessions for sharing ideas, experiences and lessons learned among mentors and participants. Output 2. The TA will adapt the Graduation Approach's monitoring system to the project's context and develop an online monitoring system. Surveys and other modes of data collection will ensure that gender-based causes of vulnerability and barriers to sustainable livelihoods are identified, recorded, and analyzed. Output 3. The TA will produce a series of knowledge products to present the lessons learned and best practices. These will include: (i) visual training tools for government and mentors to implement the Graduation Approach in urban resettlement; (ii) communication and advocacy materials; and (iii) reports on the Graduation Approach and the testing of the approach in the context of urban resettlement.
Business Opportunities	
Consulting Services	Consultants to be selected and engaged by ADB. Firm: (NGO/Consulting Firm)- 1 consulting firm with expertise including: (i) national consultants for Technical Coordinator and Field Manager; and (ii) international consultants for Team Leader and Livelihoods Technical Specialist, Monitoring and Evaluation Specialist; and Business Intelligence Developer.
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Timetable	
Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	18 Dec 2019
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	02 Jan 2020

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Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
18 Dec 2019	-	-	30 Nov 2021	-	-

Financing Plan/TA Utilization						Cumulative Disbursements		
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart				Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries	Project Sponsor	Others			
0.00	2,000,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2,000,000.00	18 Dec 2019	0.00

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