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PSA APAYAO CONDUCTS 2022 CBMS DATA TURNOVER TO THE MUNICIPALITY OF CONNER IN APAYAO PROVINCE

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Chief Statistical Specialist Geoffrey B. Calimuhayan hand over the data symbolized by a flash drive to Mayor Bayaua, MPDC and municipal heads of LGU Conner on 14 March 2024 held at EKB Clubhouse, Caglayan, Conner, Apayao.

Conner, Apayao - On March 14, 2024, the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Provincial Statistical Office (PSO) of Apayao handed over the 2022 Community-Based Monitoring System (CBMS) data to the Municipal Local Government Unit (MLGU) of Conner, Apayao during a ceremonial turnover at the EKB Clubhouse, Caglayan, Conner, Apayao.


The activity marks an important milestone for the municipality, as it leads the census in collaboration with the PSA. The ceremony was attended by Mayor Jorico F. Bayaua as well as Conner department heads. Symbolically, the data in a flash drive was handed over to municipal leaders and officials, who then signed the data turnover agreement, which included strict data security protections under the Data Privacy Act of 2012.

Mayor Bayaua extended his deepest gratitude to the Provincial Government of Apayao, through Governor Elias C. Bulut Jr., PSA, and the 2022 CBMS personnel of LGU Conner, for their critical contribution in assisting the town in achieving its goal of having comprehensive data for local planning purposes.

Dr. Chowen Jay P. Arellano, Senior Statistical Specialist and CBMS Provincial Focal Person of PSO Apayao, presented highlights from the municipality's 2022 CBMS results. He also shared the highlights of the Household and Barangay Profile Questionnaire results. The presentation includes information on critical utilities such as power, internet, water, toilets, safety, food insecurity, and disaster preparedness. He also emphasized the importance of consistent support from local leaders for PSA surveys and censuses.

This historic event marks a significant advancement in the use of data for informed decision-making, bringing a strong collaborative approach to community development to success.

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