

**COOPERATIVES ALL OVER THE COUNTRY GOING THE EXTRA MILE TO SERVE THEIR MEMBERS AND COMMUNITY AMIDST COVID-19 PANDEMIC:
REPORT FROM REGION 4-B
#CoopsAgainstCOVID19**

In **Region 4B or MIMAROPA** the presence of cooperatives was strongly felt when they continually provided for the basic needs of members, community and frontliners as the public heeded the call of the government to stay home.

The **Bataraza Government Employees Multipurpose Cooperative** of Palawan extended assistance to their members by giving 5 kilos of rice and fruits to health workers / frontliners.



Kadbayan MPC - Roxas, Oriental Mindoro Branch, distributed last April 3 food packs to frontliners of the municipality of Roxas, Oriental Mindoro.



SNAP Agriculture Cooperative of Sibuyao, Torrijos, Marinduque continuously gave free mineral water to members and the community.



Mogpog Municipal Officials and Employees Multipurpose Cooperative, Mogpog, Marinduque distributed relief goods to their members.



The **Palawan Peoples Credit Cooperative** in Puerto Princesa City gave face masks and meryenda (kakanin) to the frontliners.

Mindoro Progressive Multipurpose Cooperative (MPMPC), Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro distributed food packs to their members and barangay officers who manned the checkpoints in Barangay Tangkalan, Mamburao, Occidental Mindoro.



Bataraza National High School Mentors Multipurpose Cooperative, a micro cooperative in the Municipality of Bataraza, gave gasoline allowance to health workers/ frontliners in the Poblacion area.

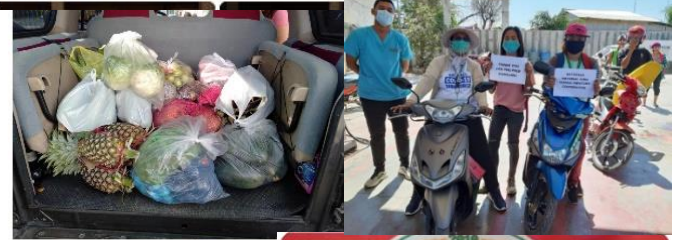


Palawan Cooperative Union donated agricultural products for Ospital ng Palawan Staff.

Calumpit Multipurpose Cooperative, Brgy. Calumpit, Sablayan, Occidental Mindoro provided Php 200,000.00 worth of grocery package for their members.



Calintaan Seed Growers Cooperative of Calintaan, Occidental Mindoro distributed grocery packages for their members and to the 160 families who belongs to the poorest of the poor of the Barangay Tanyag, Iriron, Dagupan and Poblacion, Calintaan, Occidental Mindoro. The donations were sourced from the cooperative's Community Development Fund.



SAMPKA Multipurpose Cooperative, Brgy. Ibud, Sablayan, Occidental Mindoro distributed 10 kgs. of rice to their members.



Occidental Mindoro Cooperative Bank (OMCB) distributed biscuits and bottled water in checkpoints from Mamburao to Magsaysay. OMCB also distributed vitamins to senior citizens of Magsaysay, Occidental Mindoro.



Kadbayan Multipurpose Cooperative – Roxas, Occidental Mindoro Branch donated rice, distributed grocery packages, and also provided beddings to the frontliners of the Provincial Government who conducted relief operations to the municipalities of Roxas, Mansalay and Bulalacao, Oriental Mindoro.



The **Kapatiran Multipurpose Cooperative**, Barangay Amas, Brookes Point, Palawan extended help to their members by giving them 3 kilos of rice.



The **San Miguel Farmers and Fishers Multipurpose Cooperative** of Roxas, Palawan distributed rice packs to its members by going from house to house due to social distancing that the government imposed to help prevent the spread of COVID-19. They have been doing this for 3 days now.



The **Palawan Women Multipurpose Cooperative** distributed merienda to the security guards and traffic enforcers at the different checkpoints in Puerto Princesa City. They were performing their duties under the heat of the sun to control the spread of COVID-19.



Malalong Multipurpose Cooperative of Sofronio Española, Palawan extended help to the workers in the Oil Palm plantation by giving out 3 kilos of rice.



Elvita Farmers Multipurpose Cooperative gave packs of rice and groceries to its members and has continuously given food to the frontliners in the poblacion of Narra, Palawan. The cooperative has been giving free ride to the residents of Brgy. Elvita to and from the municipal proper since the ECQ started.



Amidst the darkness, cooperatives are still out there loving and caring not just its members but their respective communities as well.