

KOOP-KAPATID PROGRAM SUCCESS STORY

BIG BROTHER- VALENZUELA CITY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES COOPERATIVE (VCGEC)

SMALL BROTHER- VALENZUELA MEDICAL CENTER MULTI-PURPOSE COOPERATIVE (VMC-MPC)

Valenzuela City Government Employees Cooperative (VCGEC) –Organized by twenty-five (25) member founders on December 23, 1991, with a meager capital of Php 117,840.00 and registered with the Cooperative Development Authority on February 21, 1992 under Registration no. MLA-2612. The Cooperative has been re-registered under R.A. 9520 on February 1, 2010 and was issued a registration No. 9520-16007247. The Cooperative Identification Number is 0105162130. The Principal Office is located at City Social Hall, City Government of Valenzuela, Mac Arthur Highway, Karuhatan, Valenzuela City and its area of Operation is within the Valenzuela City. It was organized for the purpose of encouraging thrift, savings mobilization among members for capital formation; generating of funds in order to grant loans for productive and providential purposes; providing goods and services and other requirements of the members.

SMALL BROTHER-Valenzuela Medical Center Multi-Purpose Cooperative (VMC MPC)

The first Lakbay Aral with VMC MPC was held last November 27, 2018 at Alert Center Malinta, Valenzuela City, through the efforts of VMC MPC General Manager Ms. Maria Pia S. Dizon to reach out with the former BOD Chairperson Ms. Elgina A. Gaviola. The said Lakbay Aral was attended by selected members and officers of the VCGEC and VMC MPC. The VCGEC shares humble beginnings, challenges and other cooperative business undertakings. Afterwards, they take a side tour in the VCGEC office and City Government of Valenzuela, awarding of certificates and taking photos for documentation purposes. The Accountant of VCGEC Ms. Maricel R. Britania helps the Accountant of VMC MPC in preparation of Financial Statements on Accounting System, CDA and BIR Reportorial Reports.

As Pandemic Covid 19 hits March 2020, Through Chairman of the Board of Director- Enrique A. Torres and other members of the Board of Directors, unanimously approved and agreed to donate /provide Seven (7) units of Bicycles with Seven (7) helmets to the Valenzuela City Medical Center Multi-Purpose Cooperative (VMC MPC) on October 09, 2020 as per Board Resolution No. 2020-047, the said units was delivered on October 16, 2020. They also donate Cheque amounting to One Hundred Fifty-Thousand at City Government of Valenzuela, Donate 10kilos of rice for VCGEC Members/Staff, Waived payments for the month of May 2020 and December 2020, donate 80kilos of Rice at Central Kitchen at City Government of Valenzuela.

SMALL BROTHER-Valenzuela Medical Center Multi-Purpose Cooperative (VMC MPC)

VALENZUELA MEDICAL CENTER MULTI-PURPOSE COOPERATIVE

TITLE OF THE ACTIVITY: Big Brother Small Brother, Koop- Kapatid Project

FRONTLINERS HELPING FRONTLINERS, Valenzuela Medical Center- Multi Purpose Cooperative (VMC-MPC) helps during pandemic, by giving the utilities and security guards who are serving Valenzuela Medical Center, but are not under the plantilla position of the hospital. They are the outsourced staff who are not receiving any hazard pay and other benefits because they are under private agencies. Thus, the VMC-MPC Board of Director agreed upon that

instead of donating logistics to the VMC employees, they will give five hundred pesos (Php500.00) each as financial support to fifty-nine (59) utilities and security guards last May 5, 2020 at the Out Patient Department (OPD).

Quote from the Small Brother: "As we are helping our personnel, our Big Brothers in cooperative were also helping us, with Big Brother Small Brother, Koop- Kapatid Project, they supported us during this time of difficulty".

Mass transportation were stopped due to the enhanced community quarantine in Luzon brought by COVID-19, frontline workers had difficulty to get to their places of work. The Big Brother Small Brother – Valenzuela City Government Employees Cooperative (VCGEC) responded right away for the need of their small brother Valenzuela Medical Center- Multi Purpose Cooperative (VMC-MPC) by donating seven (7) sets of bicycles, and the recipient are the following:

1. Ms. Michelle Ruiz
2. Ms. Mara Almira Bernardo
3. Dr. Derrick Mendoza
4. Dr. Minvee Faustino
5. Ms. Ligaya Ubalde
6. Mr. Renato Abia
7. Ms. Helen Mendoza

This led to augment the problem with mass transformation amongst members of VMC-MPC, which aims to provide bicycles as an alternative mode of transportation. Thank you, Big Brother, it's a great help to the Small Brother.

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