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## Convening of the Municipal CBMS Coordinating Board (MCCB) with the Municipality of Ampatuan

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*Participants, during the convening, discussing and exchanging of thoughts on the 2024 CBMS.*

1 April 2024 – Ampatuan, Maguindanao Del Sur. In connection to the conduct of the 2024 Community-Based Monitoring System (CBMS), the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Maguindanao Provincial Statistics Office, spearheaded by the Chief Statistical Specialist Naldo G. Pendaliday, MPA, coordinated with the Local Government Unit (LGU) of Ampatuan to convene the Municipal CBMS Coordinating Board (MCCB) at the Municipal Conference Hall, Ampatuan, Maguindanao Del Sur on April 1, 2024.

The PSA team presented the overview of the CBMS, its objectives, and legal bases of the CBMS, including the potential assistance that the CCBs could provide throughout the activity. The LGU warmly appreciated the initiatives of the PSA and expressed gratitude for the inclusion of the LGU in the approaching conduct of CBMS, since municipalities with first (1st) to sixth (6th) income classification will be covered by the PSA for the implementation of the 2024 CBMS except the Highly-Urbanized Cities.

The LGU, led by the Municipal Administrator, proactively assures their full support and commitment to the smooth operation of the CBMS, including providing security for the hired field personnel to ensure peace and orderly enumeration process and to prevent security-related incidents that may arise.

The meeting was attended by the esteemed Municipal Administrator – Abdulbasit B. Langcap, Anisa A. Sangki – the Municipal Civil Registrar, Sadia U. Amolan – OIC Municipal Accountant, Saud G. Macasasa – OIC MPDC, Rhea M. Tiemsem – the MDRRMO, representatives of Department Heads, and active individuals of the LGU.

  
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