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This report highlights the accomplishments of the Ministry of Public Order and Safety for the Fiscal Year 2022 . This report does not include the Special Development Fund or Transitional Development Impact Fund.



# MINISTER'S MESSAGE



Assalamu Alaykum Warhamatullahi Wabarakatuh!

I am pleased to present the Ministry of Public Order and Safety's 2022 Accomplishment Report, highlighting our Ministry's dedicated efforts and achievements over the past year. As we reflect on our endeavors, we are filled with a sense of pride and accomplishment in serving our nation and the Bangsamoro and ensuring the safety and security of its people.

In 2022, our ministry continued its unwavering commitment to uphold law and order, enhanced peacebuilding efforts and promote public safety.

Through expanding our community policing initiatives, fostering trust and cooperation between law enforcement agencies and the communities they serve, this approach has led to improved relations and increased community safety.

Our ministry made considerable progress in promoting gender equality and diversity within our ranks, fostering an inclusive and representative workforce, and the populace of BARMM at large.

These accomplishments reflect the dedication and hard work of our ministry's personnel, as well as the invaluable support of our partners, stakeholders, and the community. We remain committed to improving public safety while upholding the principles of justice and moral governance.

Looking ahead, we are excited about the opportunities and challenges that 2023 may bring. We pledge to continue our efforts to build a safer, more secure, and resilient society, where every citizen can thrive and prosper.

I invite you to review the full Ministry of Public Order and Safety 2022 Accomplishment Report, which provides detailed insights into our activities and achievements throughout the year. We are always open to feedback and collaboration, and your insights are crucial in shaping our future initiatives.

Thank you for your ongoing support, and together, we will continue to ensure a safer and more secure future for our nation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'HUSSEIN P. MUÑOZ'.

**HUSSEIN P. MUÑOZ**

Minister, Ministry of Public Order and Safety

# DEPUTY MINISTER'S MESSAGE



Innalhamdulillahi Wanahmaduho , Wanastaieno, Wanastagfiruhu, Wanaujubillahi minsoruri anfusina wamin sai ati ‘ a’amalina , may yahdilil, fala hadiyallah, wa ashadu anla Illaha Illallah, wahdahu la sharikalahu, wa ashadu anna Mohammadan abduho Wa Rasoluh, Assalamu Alaykom Warhmatullahi Wabarakatuho .

The Ministry of Public Order and Safety (MPOS) has been working with grit and determination to implement its mandate for peacebuilding, reconciliation, and unification across the region. Twenty twenty-two was a significant year for success and triumph over the gaps and challenges since the Ministry commenced. This accomplishment is a compilation of efforts for public order and safety, and success stories from the narratives of the people it served. This is a collection of achievements of the employees and staff, and the pivotal support of partners, agencies, and the Office of the Chief Minister.

This report outlined the engagement of the Bangsamoro people in addressing issues and concerns on peace and security, and the solid coordination and proactive collaboration with law enforcement on public order and safety matters. This amplified the hardships and dedication of peacebuilders and the transformation of combatants who returned to the folds of the law and transitioned their families and communities through intensified peacebuilding initiatives in support of the normalization process. Highlighted is the flagship program of the Ministry, the rido settlements which reconciled and unified conflicting parties and pledged the advancement of peaceful coexistence and amalgamation to a prosperous region. Our task is to transform our community into a peaceful and productive one is not an all-nighter task, with the helping hand of the communities, partners, and stakeholders, we can say that peace and unity are plausible as we remain committed to serving the Bangsamoro. For the years to come, the Ministry pledges to produce inclusive and intensified programs that are aligned with its development goals and sustains the moral governance of the BARMM.

With this, I am extending my profound gratitude to all who worked painstakingly to implement the programs of the Ministry and realized the strong and genuine meaning of peace and unity in the Bangsamoro. The sincere service and efforts of the MPOS employees and staff toward achieving the aims of the Ministry will never be replaced and devalued, believing that a small group is not a barrier to making macro changes, their contribution instead becomes an incentive to work for the betterment of the Bangsamoro people continuously.

In essence, every success of our office is the success of the entire population of the BARMM. Even though we have shortcomings, what matters most is that we gave it our all and tried our hardest to serve better. At last, all praise and glory to Allah (SWT) for His grace and mercy to us, and may He continue to bless and guide us in all of our undertakings. Wabillahi taufik wal hidayah.

Shukran and wassalam,

**ABDULKUDOS P. BALITOK, AL-HAJ**

Deputy Minister, Ministry of Public Order and Safety



# DIRECTOR-GENERAL'S MESSAGE

Assalamu Alaikom Warahmatullahi Wabarakatuhu! May Allah continue to guide us to the right path and accept our prayers!

Firstly, allow me to express my heartfelt gratitude to those who worked tirelessly to achieve our accomplishment for the year 2022 and the entire MPOS family. May Allah reward you in this dunya and akhira for your extra efforts in achieving what we have so far accomplished. Rest assured that your commitment and dedication to work will not be wasted and remain unnoticed. Rather, it is greatly appreciated.

As we all know, we are a relatively new Ministry with limited manpower, resources, and capabilities to perform our gargantuan tasks on public safety, coordination, peacebuilding, reconciliation, and unification, among others. Nonetheless, despite all these limitations, we are able to deliver and substantially reach our targets from 2020 to 2022. Surely, this is worthy of commendation by all standards.

Moreover, this accomplishment report serves as a compendium, reflecting our collective endeavors, detailing the strides we have made, the challenges we have overcome, and the impact we had on the people and community we serve. The pages provide a clear picture of who we are now and who we can be in the years to come: a Ministry composed of passionate and dedicated individuals that, despite the apparent limitations, deliver and work to achieve enduring peace in the Bangsamoro.

I must also emphasize that every success mentioned in this report is a result of our meticulous planning, collaboration, and perseverance. The pages detail the fruit of our collective efforts of all the personnel of our office - from administration to procurement to managing our finances to documentation and to those who go out fearlessly in the field and spend countless hours to ensure we deliver our services directly to our beneficiaries.

Lastly, this accomplishment would not be possible without the support, trust and confidence of the Bangsamoro Government, specifically, the concerned officials and employees of the Ministry of Finance, and Budget and Management, the Office of the Chief Minister, and the BTA-Parliament, among others.

Mabuhay ang MPOS family, mabuhay ang Bangsamoro!

Shukran and wassalam,

  
ATTY. AL-RASHID L. BALT

Director-General, Ministry of Public Order and Safety



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MPOS conducts Muhadarah Al-Islamiya in Buldon, Maguindanao

42 Islamic religious leaders receive Islamic textbooks



## **CLEAR (COORDINATION WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN THE REGION)**

CLEAR Program holds the third Bangsamoro Public Order and Safety Conference

MPOS visits all BARMM areas to coordinate LEAs issues and concerns

Tawi-Tawi cops undergo MPOS' Learning Session on Rido Settlement

MPOS and PDEA conduct training on the chain of custody rule for BaSulTa LEAs

MPOS and BFP train Community Fire Volunteers in Cotabato City

MPOS offers free legal assistance in the 27th Police Community Relations

MPOS distributes Fire Extinguishers to Poblacion VII of Cotabato City

MPOS provides 20 body-worn cameras to Sulu Police Provincial Office

MPOS supports CFAG Inter-Barangay Firefighting Challenge

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201 vulnerable combatants across the BARMM receive peacebuilding interventions

MPOS provides assistance to 50 widows of martyrs from Lanao del Sur and Sulu

156 former local insurgents receive peacebuilding interventions and financial assistance

MPOS provides interventions for 50 Orphans of Violent Extremists from LDS

30 institutions consider vulnerable, neglected, and marginalized receive financial assistance

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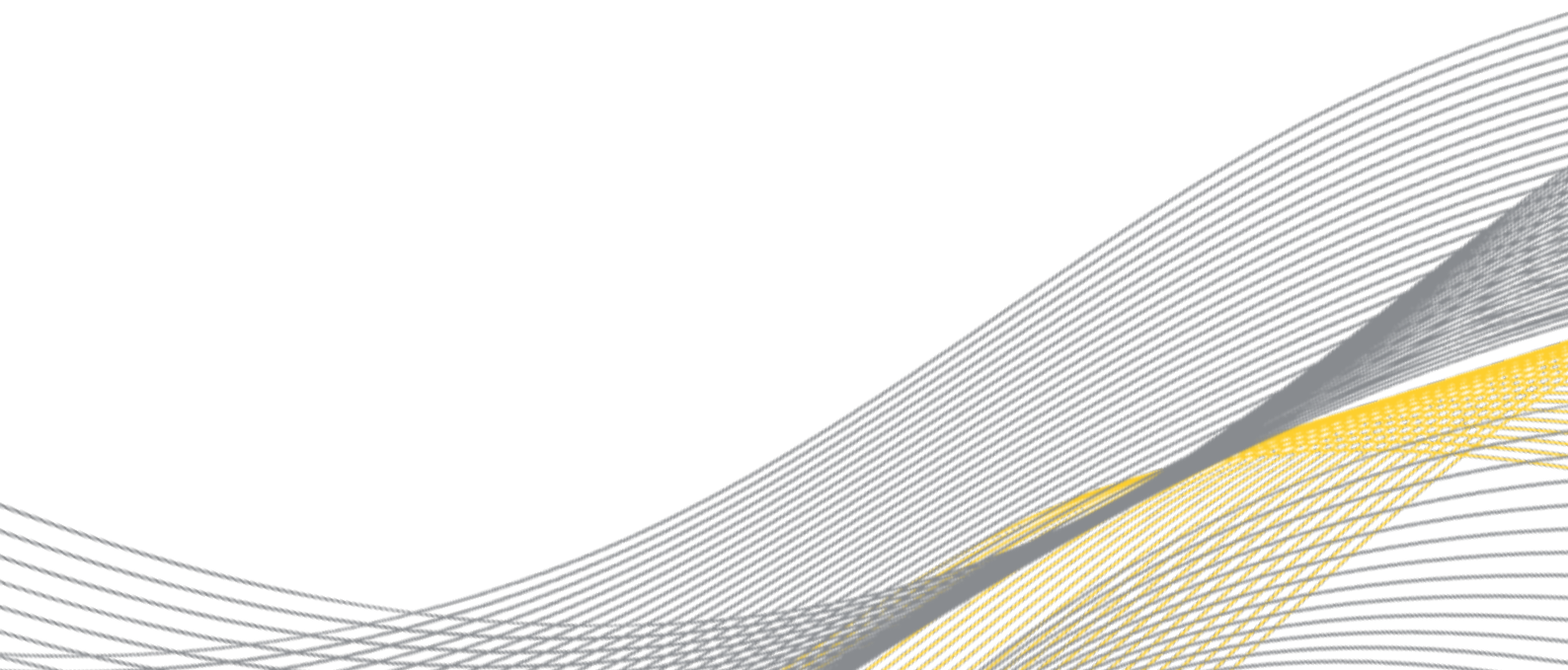
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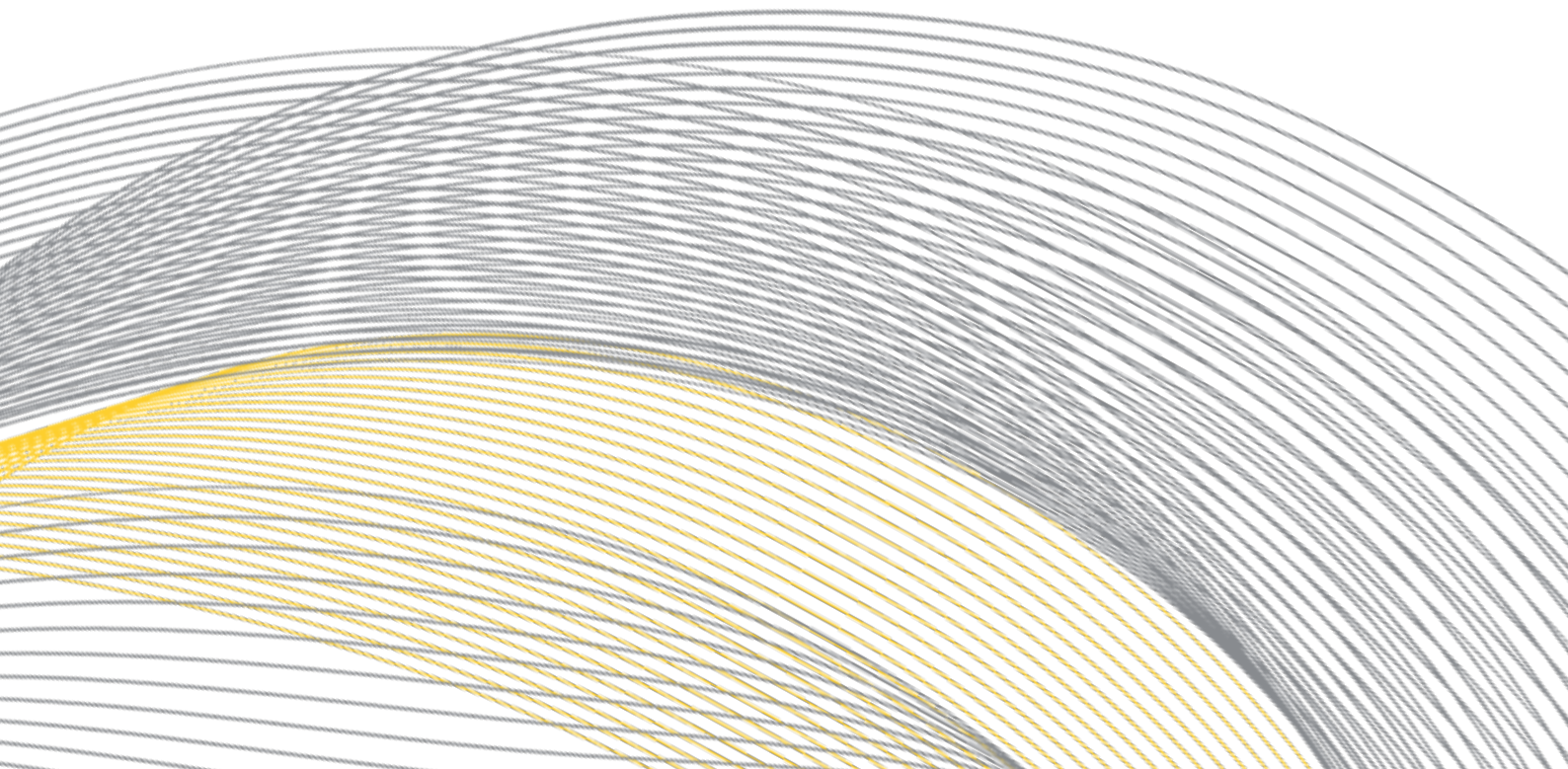
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# ABOUT THE OFFICE



The establishment of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM), through the Bangsamoro Organic Law in 2019, came with it the challenge of ensuring peace in the region. In order to address these challenges, the Ministry of Public Order and Safety (MPOS) plays a key role in this commitment, adopting the principles of reconciliation and mediation in settling disputes, and alternative dispute resolution.

The creation of the Ministry of Public Order and Safety is based on Republic Act 11054 also known as OLBARMM, an “Act Providing for the Organic Law for the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao, Repealing for the Purpose Republic Act No. 6734, Entitled “An Act Providing for An Organic Act for the Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao,” As Amended by Republic Act No. 9054, Entitled “An Act to Strengthen and Expand the Organic Act for the Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao”. A plebiscite was conducted on January 21, 2019 and majority of ARMM voters chose to approve the Republic Act 11054.

On January 25, 2019, the National Plebiscite Board of Canvassers (NPBOC) announced the official results of the plebiscite declaring the BOL as “deemed ratified.”

Public Order and safety are stated in Article XI, Section 2 and Article XVI Section 8 of RA 11054.

On October 28, 2020, the Bangsamoro Transition Authority unanimously approved by 58 members the Bangsamoro Autonomy Act No. 13 known as the Bangsamoro Administrative Code.

The Bangsamoro Administrative Code (BAC) is promulgated to prescribe the structural, functional, and procedural principles and rules of governance of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao.

The creation of the Ministry of Public Order was stated in Title X: Public Order and Safety of the said code. Based on the code’s Title X, section 2. Mandate:

## MANDATE



The Ministry of Public Order and Safety (MPOS) shall be responsible for public safety. It shall have a **coordinative function** with offices and agencies that maintain public order and safety in the region and shall perform functions relating to **peacebuilding, reconciliation, and unification of all the people in the region.**



# POWERS AND FUNCTIONS



Serves as a member of the Regional Peace and Order Council;



Establishes proper coordinating mechanism with the Armed Forces of the Philippines, Philippine National Police, National Police Commission, Bureau of Jail Management and Penology, Coast Guard, Bureau of Fire Protection, and other law enforcement agencies or offices in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region to enhance the safety and security of the region;



Monitors and evaluates the prevailing peace and security situation in the region and submit a report thereon to the Office of the Chief Minister;



Establishes community-based early warning/ response and conflict reporting system relating to public order and safety;



Formulates and implements programs, projects, and activities relating to religious tolerance, preventing and countering violent extremism;



Conducts programs, projects, and activities relating to the promotion of peace and sustainable development, reconciliation, unification, and peaceful co-existence;



Formulates and implements policies and programs for the effective settlement of family feuds (rido) and other horizontal conflicts in the region, as well as for the prevention of the recurrence of such conflicts;



Implements laws, policies, programs, and projects of the BARMM concerning peace, public order, and safety;



And performs such other functions as may be prescribed by law thereafter or as may be assigned by the Chief Minister.

# VISION



MPOS envisions to be the lead ministry in building peaceful and prosperous Bangsamoro.

# MISSION



MPOS commits to implement peacebuilding, reconciliation, and unification initiatives for the Bangsamoro.

# GOALS



Develop a responsive ministry equipped with effective and efficient human resources;

Design and implement peacebuilding initiatives;

Coordinate efforts of stakeholders in ensuring peace, public order, and safety;

Support the institutionalization of Alternative Dispute Resolution mechanisms; and

Support the implementation of the TJRC recommendations.

# ABOUT THE MINISTER

In his decades of service for the Bangsamoro homeland, he is known for his great leadership, profound wisdom, and genuine commitment to serve the Bangsamoro.

He is one of the great pillars of the Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF) as the Deputy Chief of Staff of the Bangsamoro Islamic Armed Forces (BIAF). He became a member of the Bangsamoro Transition Commission representing the MILF panel from July 2013 to January 2019.

Currently, he is the Minister of the Ministry of Public Order and Safety of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM).

The Ministry is responsible for the public safety of the region, having a coordinative function with offices and agencies that maintain public order, as well as perform functions relating to peacebuilding, reconciliation and unification.

Also, he is a Parliament Member of the Bangsamoro Transition Authority (BTA). This is the result of the peace agreements between the Philippine Government and MILF leading to the ratification of the RA 11054 or the Bangsamoro Organic Law. As a member of the parliament, he authored and co-authored numerous bills. One of which is “An Act Creating the Office of the Bangsamoro Communities Outside Bangsamoro Autonomous Region Defining Its Powers, Functions, and Responsibilities and Appropriating Funds therefore and for other Purposes”. This bill provides access and assistance to Bangsamoro of other ethnic linguistic groups residing outside the Bangsamoro core territories to access and avail the services and government programs of the Bangsamoro government.

He studied Bachelor of Arts in Political Science at the University of Mindanao in Davao City. He is fluent in English and Tagalog, as well as in Maguindanaon, Tausug, Bisaya, and other native dialects in Mindanao. He hails from Lupon, Davao Oriental, Philippines and, is famously known as “Sonny Davao.”



**HUSSEIN P. MUÑOZ**  
*Minister, Ministry of Public Order and Safety-BARMM*  
*Member of Parliament, Bangsamoro Transition*  
*Authority-BARMM*



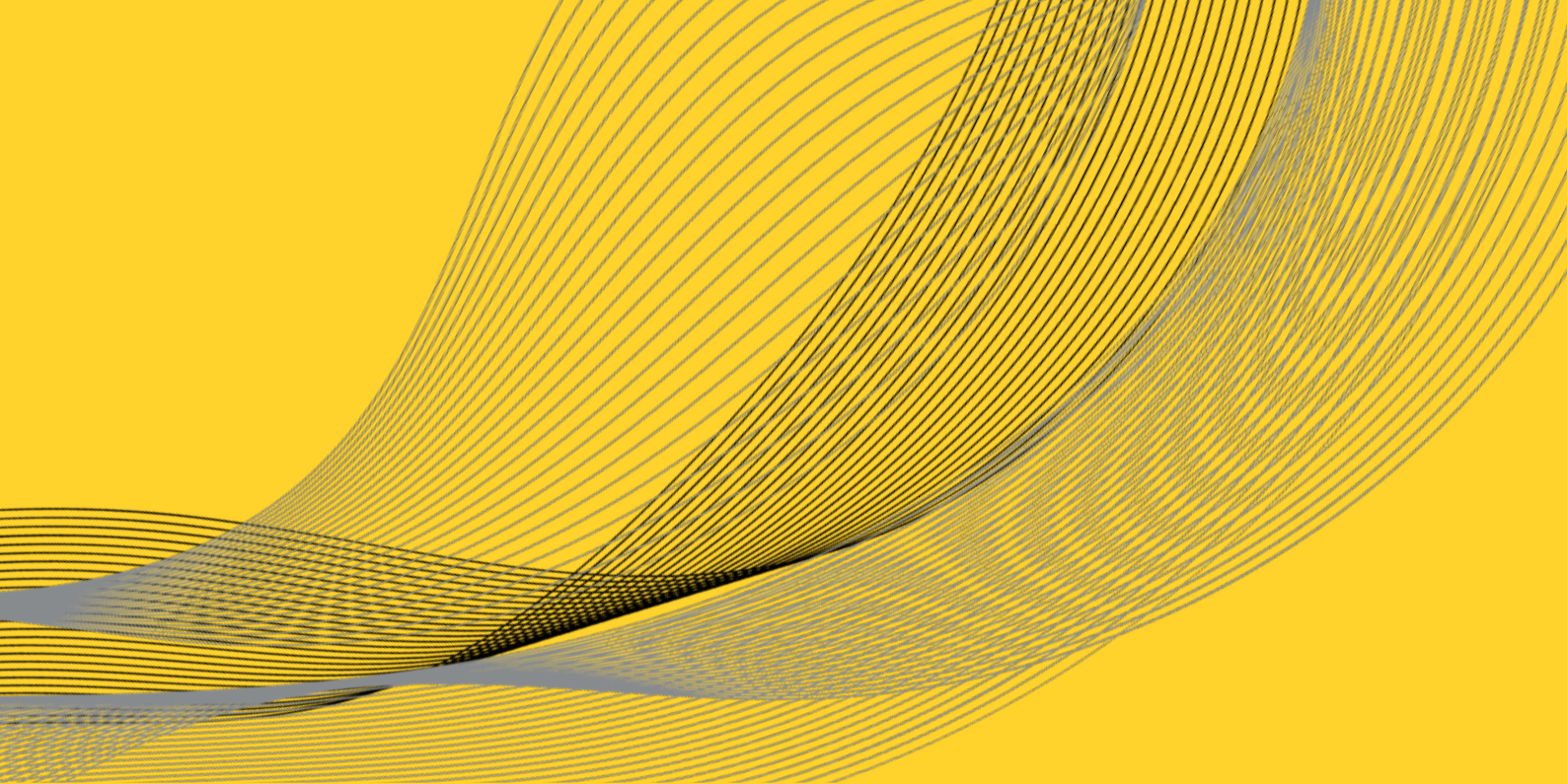
# EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Ministry of Public Order and Safety (MPOS) is mandated under the Bangsamoro Administrative Code or Bangsamoro Autonomy Act No. 13, to be responsible for public safety. It is also mandated to have coordinative functions with offices and agencies that maintain public order and safety in the region and perform functions related to peace building, reconciliation, and unification of all the peoples in the region.

In 2022, MPOS implemented five major programs namely, 1) Safe BARMM; 2) Coordination with Law Enforcement Agencies in the Region (CLEAR); 3) Peace Building Initiatives (PBI); Popularization of Bangsamoro Historical Events (PBHE); 4) and Sustainable Agreement for Peace and Advancement (SAPA).

## **Safe BARMM**

Safe BARMM is a regular program of the Ministry that focuses on information gathering on the issues and concerns affecting public order and safety in the region. It conducts monitoring, consultation, and assessment of the realities of the Bangsamoro communities related to security, public order, and safety. There are two. The Community-Driven Safety and Security (CDSS) that deals with establishing and strengthening community-based Early Warning and Early Response (EWER) groups in the Bangsamoro region that identifies, analyze, and monitor conflict trends, and report to prevent destructive conflicts in the community and the monitoring and evaluation of peace and security situation in BARMM through the Mashuwara Kalilintad: A Community Conversation on Public Order and Safety, a series of community conversations that gathers information affecting public order and safety in the region, the data and validation directly from the affected communities.



In 2022, 682 participants from the Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF) community leaders, barangay local government unit officials, women and youth sectors, indigenous peoples, traditional, and religious leaders participated in the series of conversations on public order and safety through the Mashuwara Kalilintad. Community dialogues relating to public order and safety documented relevant anWd emerging issues affecting the public order and safety of the communities in the BARMM. Ridos that were unsettled, the proliferation of illegal drugs, the presence of Private Armed Groups and recruitment of the youth to private armed groups, illegal possession of firearms, and horizontal conflicts were the issues and concerns commonly raised by the people during the conduct of 24 Mashuwara Kalilintad in all of the provinces in BARMM.

Meanwhile, the Ministry equipped 636 Early Warning and Early Response (EWER) volunteers across the Bangsamoro region through community-driven safety and security (CDSS) in strategic Bangsamoro communities in the region. These volunteers were given training on Basic Facilitation and Community Organizing, Strategic Communication, Data Collection and Registration, Dimensions of Conflict Analysis, Elements of Early Warning and Response, Warning/Transmission of Analysis, Advance Information Gathering and Collection Techniques, and Conflict Response.

Additionally, the Ministry formulated and produced references and educational materials of the Asatidz: Muslim scholars and religious preachers during Khutbah (religious sermon during Friday prayers). MPOS convened, recognized, and respected Muslim leaders, sheikh, mufti, and aside, in collecting appropriate and contextualized Islamic texts to promote public safety, peace, reconciliation, and unification topics, namely: 1.) Ang Kapatiran sa Islam; 2.) Ang mga pinag-uutos at ipinagbabawal sa Islam; 3.) Ang kahalagahan ng buhay sa Islam; and 4.) Dangal at dignidad ng kababaihan sa Islam.

## **CLEAR (Coordination with Law Enforcement Agencies in the Region)**

The Coordination with Law Enforcement Agencies in the Region (CLEAR) program facilitates partnerships with Law Enforcement Agencies (LEAs) and implements activities related to capacity development, support to Law Enforcement Agencies (LEAs), community-based information drives, and multimedia campaigns on public order and safety. With this program, the Ministry together with the law enforcement agencies developed strong linkage in exploring areas where the Ministry can collaborate and strengthen its force to implement its programs effectively and efficiently appertaining to peace, security, public order, and safety in the Bangsamoro region.

The coordinative meetings with LEAs set down important points of discussion, including the needs of these agencies, and the interventions for communities facing pervasive incidents that are alarming to their safety and their environment. The Ministry conducted seven (7) coordinative meetings throughout the provinces of BARMM and the Special Geographic Area (SGA). In all of the discussions, there are common themes that were analyzed including the need to strengthen the collaboration of the government and the LEAs in intensified support systems and capacity building, fostering a strong sense of peace consciousness and education, integration *rido* resolution mechanisms, gaps on the efforts of local government units and the LEAs at the ground level, and the lacking of facilities essential in executing their duties and responsibilities.

Apart from these themes, at the height of 2022, there were consecutive cases of horizontal conflicts recorded in the Municipality of Pikit which posed a threat to the security and safety of the people residing in this area. Since the Ministry is working on the prevention of human-induced conflict, the Ministry organized a round-table discussion with the Municipality Mayor Sumulong K. Sultan, the 90th Infantry Division, and the 602nd Brigade of the Philippine Army to discuss the creation of the Peace And Reconciliation Committee to monitor and resolve the existing and rising conflicts in the locality that will undergo a series of local legislation, community consultations, and ordinance resolutions.

This year also marked the 3rd Bangsamoro Public Order and Safety Conference (BPOS Con) and convened LEAs, nongovernment organizations (NGO), international NGOs (INGO), local government units (LGUs), and other stakeholders in Davao City. With over a hundred participants, they were able to share their experiences on how they can contribute towards building a peaceful environment for all people in the region and discussed collaboration and harmonization of efforts of all stakeholders in creating a free-from-harm environment, entrench mechanisms in the prevention of human-induced hazards including *rido*, private armed groups, illegal drugs, reduction of loose firearms, violent extremisms, and other crimes. The conference provided an opportunity for participants to engage with each other and learn about different perspectives on the challenges faced by communities and determined the gaps and challenges to form durable solutions for peace and development in the Bangsamoro region.



## PEACE BUILDING INITIATIVES (PBI)

The Ministry's Peace Building Initiatives (PBI) endeavor to attain lasting peace, sustainable development, and peaceful co-existence in the region through its two (2) subprograms namely: (1) Peacebuilding Towards Normalization and (2) Sustaining Journey to Peace.

In 2022, 201 former combatants, 156 former local insurgents, 50 widows of violent extremists, and 50 orphans of violent extremists received peace building interventions; an avenue for them to share personal narratives, worries, aspirations, and commitment to maintaining peace and safety in their respective communities. Before the peace building activities, these individuals received financial assistance which helped them in fulfilling their micro-scale needs. Furthermore, the Ministry assisted 30 vulnerable, neglected, and marginalized institutions located in Lanao del Sur, Maguindanao, Sulu, and Special Geographic Areas, to aid the functions of these institutions in promoting peace and harmony in their communities.

Building on that, the Ministry recognized the peace efforts and initiatives of peace catalysts in their respective communities of five (5) Bangsamoro Peace Champions through the Sustaining Journey to Peace and hailed Ms. Wahida Abdullah from Sulu Province as this year's Bangsamoro Peace Champion 2022. Her advocacy for empowering women and widows of local insurgents in her province through her organization, Gagandilan Mindanao Women Inc. had inspired people and stepped her to win the title. During the awarding ceremony, Police Captain Razul G. Pandulo of Maguindanao, Mr. Benladin M. Macarampat of Lanao del Sur, Ms. Connie G. Dumato of the Special Geographic Areas (SGA) of BARMM, and Mr. Jamal M. Baulo of Lanao del Sur completed the five (5) finalists.

The Ministry also engaged youth through the Peace Promotion Fellowship conducted in the Provinces of Basilan and Tawi-Tawi, where it gathered insights, current peace endeavors, and initiatives from participants.

The Ministry envisions leading the way for institutions that influences key personnel in government agencies, law enforcement agencies, and nongovernment organizations to become catalysts in promoting a culture of peace, and conflict-sensitive and peace-promoting programs. The Ministry engaged and equipped 40 law enforcers through the peacebuilding training in the first cohort of the Bangsamoro Peace Institute (BPI) with 20 non-uniformed personnel from the 6th Infantry Division and 103rd Infantry Brigade of 1st Infantry Division of the Philippine Army and 20 from the Provincial Police Officers from the Police Regional Office Bangsamoro Autonomous Region (PRO-BAR) and PNP Special Action Force (PNP-SAF).

Part of the peacebuilding initiatives of the Ministry is the dialogue between religious leaders and the youth catalysts through the "Dialogue Beyond Diversity". In the same year, the Ministry conducted an Intra-Faith Dialogue in Bongao, Tawi-Tawi. This dialogue aimed to sustain the current gains of peace by fostering and promoting unity, respect, and religious tolerance in the Bangsamoro. An Interfaith Dialogue was also conducted in the Bangsamoro Special Geographic Areas, this dialogue was an immediate response of the Ministry to the deteriorating condition of the Municipality of Pikit which records a series of violence and loss of lives that increased fear and alarmed the public, their security and safety. Religious leaders and Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) convened and discussed areas of collaboration in resolving the igniting conflict and result to peaceful co-existence. The Ministry gathered young peacebuilders in the "Tri-People Summit" in Cotabato City and brought together young peacebuilders of different ethnic, religious, cultural, and social backgrounds to discuss and share narratives and perspectives in sustaining the region's journey to peace. These young peacebuilders shared their stories and advocacies. The Ministry introduced to these young peacebuilders the Tri-Justice System in BARMM and instill in them the different tools on how to make peace work.



## POPULARIZATION OF BANGSAMORO HISTORICAL EVENTS (PBHE)

The Popularization of Bangsamoro Historical Events (PBHE) gears in promoting transitional justice, reconciliation, and unification in the Bangsamoro region. Meaningful events that happened in the land of Bangsamoro have significantly contributed to the formation of Bangsamoro identity. Most substantially, the historical events incited its people to embody peace, unity, and self-determination with them and fought for the establishment of an autonomy that rules morally upright principles. However, beyond this is valuing the efforts and sacrifices of the Bangsamoro people and those notable of contributions of Bangsamoro ancestors in achieving independence and justice. With the strength of the Proclamation No. 0001 of 2021 issued by the Office of Chief Minister the Ministry spearhead the commemoration of historical milestones of the Bangsamoro people and its determination towards peacebuilding, transitional justice, and reconciliation.

In effect, the Ministry celebrated the month-long activities during the Bangsamoro Historical Month that include the first-ever “Tagisan ng Talino: An Inter-Agency Bangsamoro History Quiz Bee on March 25, 2022, Mr. Mahudin P. Sumpingang won the competition. Meanwhile, the Ministry’s Bangsamoro Peace Forum commemorated the eighth anniversary of the historical signing of the Comprehensive Agreement on the Bangsamoro as well as the Inauguration of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao and the Inaugural Session of the Bangsamoro Transition Authority. These events embark on the purpose of inculcating the efforts and sacrifices in building consciousness of the events which contributed to the establishment of the administration and its initiatives en route to a peaceful and prosperous Bangsamoro government.

The Ministry commemorated four (4) historical events in the Bangsamoro: Jabidah Massacre, Padang Karbala, Manili Massacre, and Malisbong Massacre, to popularize their significant part in the Bangsamoro history.

On March 18, 2022, the Ministry went to Corregidor Island in Cavite to honor the horrible and unforgettable chapters of the Moros from Sulu on the 54th commemoration of Jabidah Massacre. People gathered and extended their recognition to the lives of Bangsamoro martyrs. The first and fiery battle of the Moros and American soldiers renowned as “Padang Karbala” or the Battle of Bayang was also commemorated in Bayang, Lanao del Sur, on May 2, 2022. People attended the 120th anniversary of Padang Karbala with insights on the history engraved with them.

The Ministry recalled another fateful event that happened on June 19, 2022, in Brgy. Manili, Carmen, North Cotabato; the 51st commemoration of Manili Massacre. This massacre was one of the most vicious mass killings ever recorded and in a supposed mere conversation which turned out to be a bloody slaying of children, men, women, and the elderly. The Bangsamoro government with its continuous endeavor extends its services in various ways such as learning sessions, provision of relief assistance, medical services, and social healing activities.

On September 24, 2022, the Ministry went to Palimbang, Sultan Kudarat to commemorate the 48th Malisbong Massacre. The Bangsamoro government provided medical services, livelihood packages, and welfare assistance to the survivors and their neighboring communities.

With the Ministry’s efforts in stepping towards transitional justice and reconciliation, more than 200 individuals consisting of Marawi Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs), Civil Society Organizations (CSO), peace practitioners and Transitional Justice, and Reconciliation (TJR) advocates convened and participated in the Transitional Justice and Reconciliation Forum: A Conversation on the Marawi Siege Victims Compensation Act of 2022 (RA No. 11696) on May 4, 2022, held at Mindanao State University (MSU) Pavilion, Marawi City. The forum gathered IDPs to narrate their concerns in the last five years after the devastating siege against the alleged inspired terrorists and discuss with them the salient features of RA No. 11696. The TJR Forum is part of the Ministry’s peace-building initiatives toward lasting peace in the Bangsamoro region.

## SUSTAINABLE AGREEMENT FOR PEACE AND ADVANCEMENT (SAPA)

The Sustainable Agreement for Peace and Advancement (SAPA) is a flagship program of the Ministry that deals with *rido* and other horizontal conflicts in the region. The program enables a mechanism and stakeholders such as local mediators and concerned agencies to effectively implement *rido* settlement, conduct research and studies on improving settlement, engage in the reduction of existing *rido*, and implement programs for the rehabilitation of ride-stricken communities.

In 2022, the Ministry resolved 92 *rido* cases in the Bangsamoro region, 33 in Maguindanao, 35 in Lanao del Sur, nine (9) in Basilan, six (6) in Sulu, four (4) in Tawi-Tawi, and five (5) in Special Geographic Area, through the collective and collaborative efforts of the Ministry and partners from the Provincial and Municipal LGUs, local mediators groups, LEAs, religious and traditional leaders, and other sectoral groups in the Bangsamoro region.

To provide effective and efficient conciliators on the ground, the Ministry capacitated 303 local mediators in all BARMM areas, 35 in Maguindanao, 60 in Lanao del Sur, 40 in Basilan, 66 in Sulu, 52 in Tawi-Tawi, and 50 in Special Geographic Area. The capacity development on mediation ensured them to enhance their knowledge and strategies in dealing with all forms of settlement, specifically the *rido* as this also promotes inclusivity and active participation of individuals including the women which helped them to become proactive mediators in the region.

The Ministry started the implementation of rehabilitation and supported the six (6) identified *rido*-affected communities in the BARMM.





# **SAFE BARM**

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SAFE BARMM program is one of the regular programs of the Ministry that seeks to gather and analyze information and recommend programs and policies to lessen challenges affecting public order and safety in the region through data gathering and management, investigation, monitoring and evaluation, visualization, and analysis.



Barangay Local Government Unit staff of Tumbras, Midsayap shared the prevailing peace and security situation of their community.

## Safe BARMM's Mashuwara Kalilintad reaches out to 24 Bangsamoro Communities

The MPOS conducted the Mashuwara Kalilintad in 24 Barangays in the region and held a community conversation on public order and safety to monitor the prevailing peace and security situation of their communities. Six (6) in Maguindanao, four (4) in Lanao del Sur, four (4) in Tawi-Tawi, three (3) in Sulu, and six (6) in Special Geographic Area, and one (1) in Basilan dated from March 16 to September 8 in the year 2022.

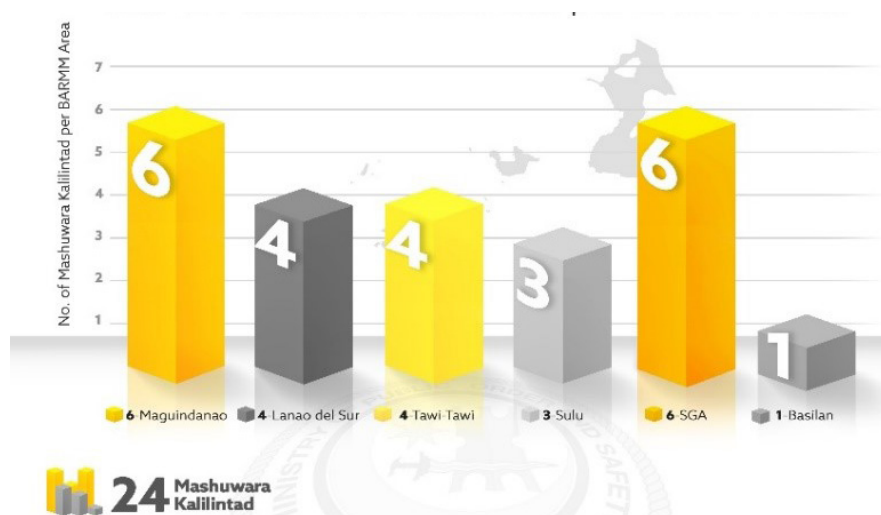


Figure 1.1 No. of Mashuwara Kalilintad per BARMM area

This one-day community dialogue gathered 682 participants coming from the youth and women sectors, religious and traditional leaders, Barangay Local Government Unit officials, Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF) and Moro National Liberation Front (MNLF), Bangsamoro Islamic Women Auxiliary Brigade (BIWAB), Social Welfare Committee (SWC), orphans of martyrs, local mediators, and law enforcement personnel from the region's various communities.

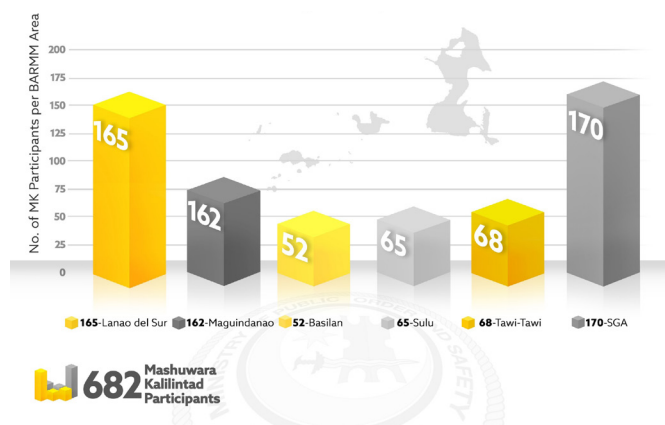


Figure 1.2 No of MK Participants per BARMM area

Since the Ministry functioned to monitor the prevailing peace and security situation of communities in the region. The 24 Barangays were among the communities experiencing human-induced conflict, the Ministry reached out the 24 Barangays to record the encountered pressing problems that directly affect the peace and security. Through the Mashuwara Kalilintad, the participants were allowed to share their issues and concerns.

Majority of the issues raised are rido, the presence of private armed groups, the proliferation of illegal drugs, land disputes, illegal possession of firearms, vehement incidents, armed conflict, and illegal gambling.

In response to these problems, the Ministry has a program that aims to reconcile rido and this was discussed as recommendation for this problem as rido settlement undergoes an in-depth process to end, if not, to reduce the occurrence. Further, the Ministry, in coordination with the Philippine Drug Enforcement Agencies (PDEA), Philippine National Police (PNP), Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP), and other law enforcement agencies, as well as the Barangay Local Government Unit, will closely monitor the issues on illegal drugs and loose firearms, and other horizontal conflicts. Other issues were also raised such as delayed government services, livelihood programs, and need-based and financial assistance to the youth, women, and elderlies will be coordinated with the responsible agencies for their information and necessary action.

Moreover, Mashuwara Kalilintad is a series of community conversations on public order and safety that gather information affecting public order and safety in the region, which may include information validation directly from the affected communities. It aims to establish and improve community relations, cooperation, and participation to maintain and improve peace, justice, and security across the Bangsamoro region through dialogues and consultation on prevailing peace and security with the communities and the peace actors.



## Lanao del Sur

In Lanao del Sur, the Ministry conducted Mashuwara Kalilintad at the Municipal Hall of Binidayan, Lanao del Sur, on July 18, 2022, with 50 participants and representatives coming from Binidayan's Local Government Unit, Municipal Police Station, and community stakeholders who attended and shared their public order and safety narratives, experiences, and concerns on the spread of illegal drugs, rido, loose firearms, livelihood programs, and interventions to the youth. With these issues, the Ministry presented recommendations, including the collaboration of LGU and PNP of the Municipality of Binidayan, fast-tracking of the settlements, and capacity building for the women and the youth.

On July 21, 2022, the Ministry conducted a similar activity in Sagonsongan Shelter, Marawi City, and gathered concerns on the interventions to local mediators and leaders and the prolonged stay in shelters of internally displaced persons.

On September 6, 2022, 66 participants from different sectors in Camp Darul Hijra, 103rd Base Command-MILF, and Maguing BLGU, attended the Mashuwara Kalilintad. These participants were municipal and barangay local government units of Maguing, Nonviolent Peaceforce, and traditional and religious leaders. The security situation and sightings of an armed group were the top concern of the municipality. The Ministry and LEAs had a cross-coordination to monitor and evaluate the raised concerns.



*"Dito po sa amin ay may mga sitwasyon at problema na hindi po namin kayang solusyonan sa lebel ng BLGU dahil matagal na po ito na problema sa aming lugar tulad ng agawan sa lupa. Kami po ay nagbabakasakali na sa pamamagitan ng MPOS ay maiparating namin sa Bangsamoro Government ang aming sitwasyon at hinaing,"* a representative from BLGU shared her sentiment on the issue of ancestral lands during the Mashuwara Kalilintad in Maguing, Lanao del Sur on September 6, 2022.



## Maguindanao

In Maguindanao, on August 16, 2022, the Ministry conducted a community consultation in Brgy. Pidsandawan, Rajah Buayan, Maguindanao. The participants shared their agonies and sentiments – one of which was the intimidating presence of Private Armed Groups (PAGs) in their upland farm areas that caused them to worry and prevented them from tilling their lands. In response, the Ministry initiated a referral and coordination mechanism to the Armed Forces of the Philippines to verify, monitor, and provide the necessary immediate response.

On September 08, 2022, 44 community leaders from the indigenous people, women, youth, and religious sectors participated in the Mashuwara Kalilintad held at the Assembly of God Family & Fellowship Church in Barangay Kuya, South Upi, Maguindanao. The said activity gathered first-hand information and consequently created contextualized programs and services to address conflict, violence, and public order in the community.



*“Dekadang problema na ang kinakaharap at nararanasan namin. Kadalasan ng hidwaan ay tungkol sa lupain, naapektuhan na po ang aming kabuhayan at kaligtasan ng aming pamilya”, a representative from women sectors raised her concern about a decade-long land conflict as one of the highlighted community problems in Barangay Kuya, South Upi, Maguindanao.*



*“Ang mga naulila ng mga Mujahideen ay dapat hindi mapag-iwanan at masigurong ligtas sa anumang sakuna. Kailangan nilang matanggap ang mga serbisyo ng Bangsamoro Government para matupad nila ang kanilang pangako sa kanilang magulang at matulungan ang iba pang mga Bangsamoro”, an Orphan of Mujahideen voiced his sentiments on the programs of the Bangsamoro government intended for the bereaved families of martyrs in Lamitan City, Basilan.”*

## Basilan

In Basilan, 38 orphans of the martyrs of Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF), Bangsamoro Islamic Armed Forces (BIAF), Bangsamoro Islamic Women Auxiliary Brigade (BIWAB), and Social Welfare Committee (SWC) participated in the Mashuwara Kalilintad conducted in 114th Base Command Hall, Lamitan City, Basilan on July 28, 2022. Some concerns raised include the delayed government services to orphans of martyrs, illegal drugs, civilians holding unregistered firearms, and financial assistance to former combatants. Under the Peace Building Initiatives of the Ministry, there is a peacebuilding intervention and financial assistance as means of support to these orphans in reference to Peacebuilding Towards Normalization.



## Sulu

In Sulu, 91 individuals from Parang, Pangutaran, and Indanan participated in Mashuwara Kalilintad on July 30, August 1, and 3, 2022. The participants include local leaders, officials, and representatives from LGUs, recognized CSOs of women, youth, trade, and business, as well as traditional and religious leaders and raised issues during the community sharing sessions and workshops on rido, illicit trade of illegal drugs, and elopement. These circumstances affected the socioeconomic condition of their community, livelihood, and daily operation.

*“Lubos po kaming nagpapasalamat at natutuwa dahil kahit na malayo ang munisipyo namin ay nakaabot sa amin ang programa ng Bangsamoro lalo na ang MPOS. Umaasa kami na mas marami pang ganitong aktibidad kung saan naipapahayag namin ang aming mga hinaing ang maisagawa dito sa aming lugar. Sana ito ay matugunan ng Bangsamoro Government”, shared by one of the participants from Pangutaran, Sulu.*



## Special Geographic Area

In Special Geographic Area (SGA), the Ministry, with cluster coordinators, conducted four Mashuwara Kalilintad on March 16, 22, 23, and 24, in Barangay Bago a Inged, Barangay Nunguan of Pikit, Barangay Manarapan of Carmen and Barangay Proper Pedtad Kabacan. Issues and concerns raised particularly on the abrupt military operations of armed forces, obstruction of their right to suffrage, availability of community vehicles or patrol cars, handheld radios, delayed social services, unequal opportunity for women, delayed implementation of infrastructures, scholarship programs, land conflicts, and unsettled rido, slow mobilization of government programs for the mentioned Barangays.

On May 17 and 19, 2022, the Ministry conducted a community consultation on public order and safety and reached 2 MILF-communities in North Cotabato, SGA. The Mashuwara Kalilintad gathered 30 participants from Libungan Torreta, Pigcawayan, and 20 from Tumbras, Midsayap. They shared their narratives and sentiments on public order and safety in their communities. The issues focused on prolonged rido and vehement incidents affecting the security and safety in their communities.



*“A participant from the women’s sector expressed her sentiment regarding the unequal opportunities for women in their barangay in the Special Geographic Area.”*

## Mashuwara Kalilintad:

### A Community Conversation on Public Order and Safety

**Brgy. Bagoinged,  
Pikit, North Cotabato**

**16  
March**

**Bongao, Tawi-Tawi**

**16  
March**

**Panglima Sugala,  
Tawi-Tawi**

**17  
March**

**Brgy. Nunungan,  
Pikit, North Cotabato**

**22  
March**

**Brgy. Manarapan,  
Carmen, North Cotabato**

**23  
March**

**Brgy. Proper Peditad,  
Kabacan, North Cotabato**

**24  
March**

**Brgy. Libungan Torreta,  
Pigcawayan,  
Special Geographic Area**

**17  
May**

**Brgy. Tumbras,  
Midsayap,  
Special Geographic Area**

**19  
May**

**Brgy. Nunangan,  
Datu Anggal Midtimbang,  
Maguindanao**

**26  
May**

**Brgy. Sambulawan,  
Datu Salibo,  
Maguindanao**

**06  
June**

**Brgy. Dulawan,  
Datu Piang,  
Maguindanao**

**16  
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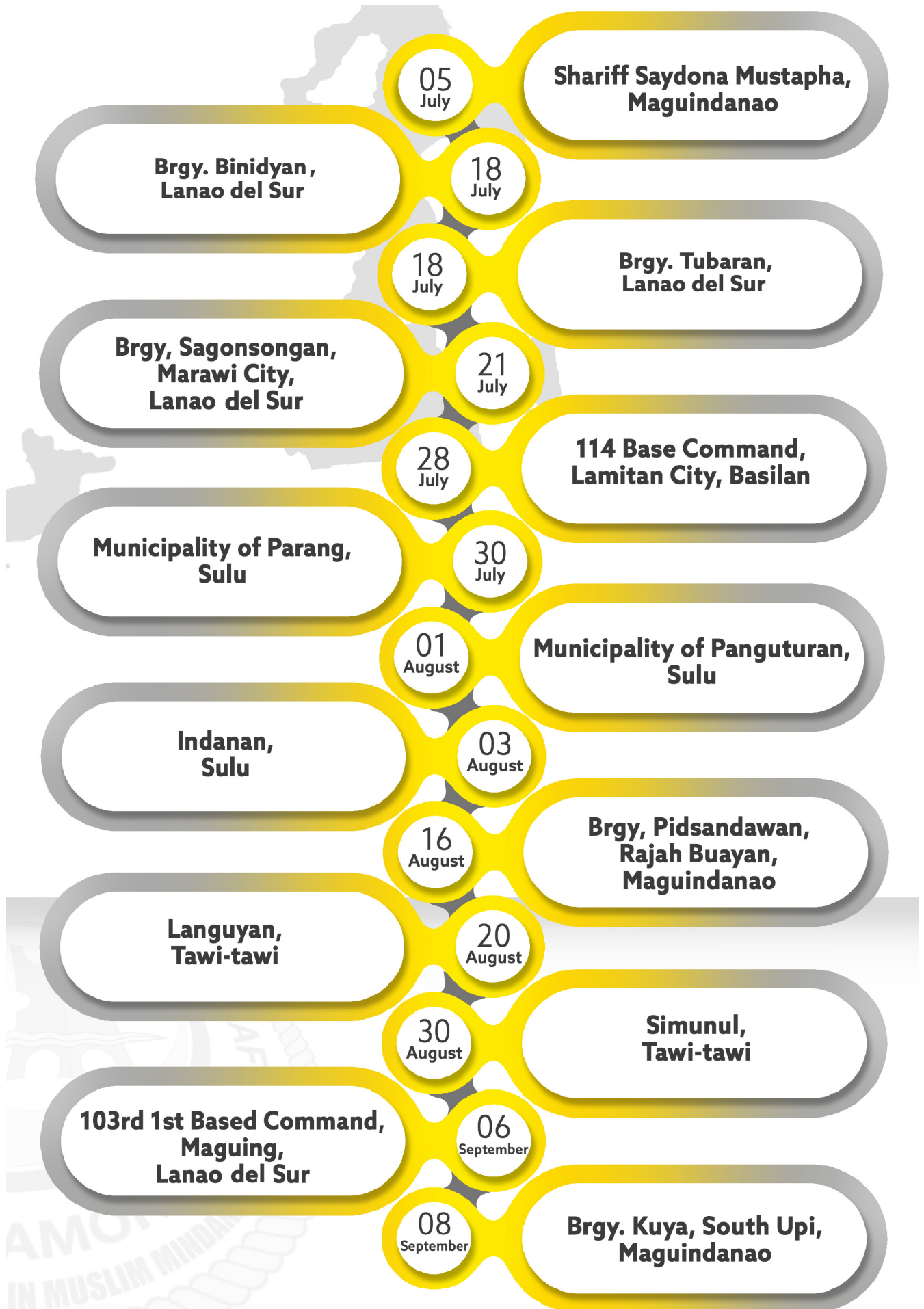


Figure 1.3 Timeline of Mashuwara Kalilintad in 2022

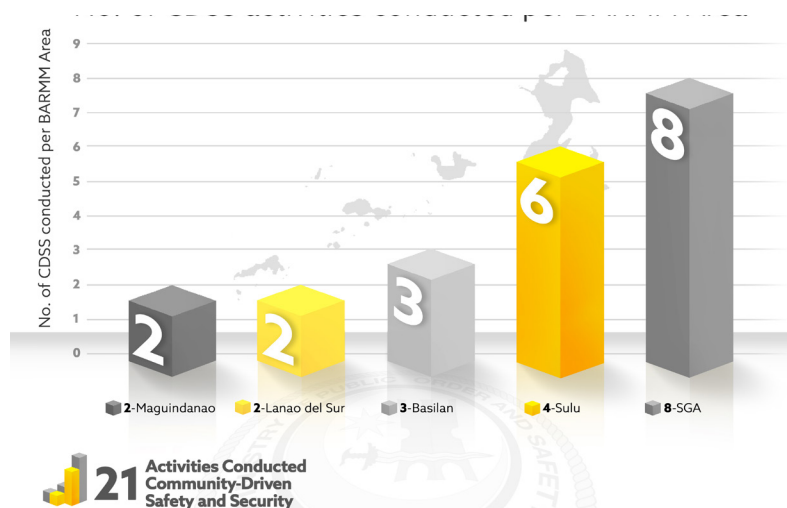


## MPOS trains 636 EWER volunteers through Safe BARMM's Community-Driven Safety and Security



*EWER volunteers on their simulation of First Aid Response during the CDSS training in Sulu.*

The Ministry of Public Order and Safety through its Community-Driven Safety and Security equipped 636 Early Warning and Early Response (EWER) volunteers across the BARMM. 21 CDSS were conducted, two (2) in Maguindanao, two (2) in Lanao Del Sur, three (3) in Basilan, six (6) in Sulu, and eight (8) in Special Geographic Area. These EWER volunteers underwent three-day training and workshop on EWER conflict mapping, analysis, and reporting, which helped them enhance their capacity to understand and analyze human-induced warning signs and respond appropriately depending on the nature of the early signs.



*Figure 1.4 No. of CDSS activities conducted per BARMM area*

In 2021, 370 of 636 EWER volunteers from the Municipalities of Pikit, Aleosan, Carmen, Midsayap, Pigcawayan, Kabuntalan, Ampatuan, Shariff Saydona Mustapha, Matanog, Marawi, and Pagayawan were first capacitated on Culture of Peace, Importance of Volunteerism, and Orientation on Early Warning and Early Response, Basic Life Support, First Responder's Assessment and Rescue Simulation, Civilian Arrest, Basic Human Rights, Methods of Apprehending or Arresting Criminals, and Camp Coordination and Camp Management.

In 2022, these existing 370 EWER volunteers were given communication equipment support and additional training on conflict mapping, analysis, and reporting. The EWER network expanded and reached the Bangsamoro region's island provinces to increase its scope and forces by 100%. The result of which increased from 370 to 636 EWER volunteers from the island Municipalities of Maluso, Lamitan, Tuburan, Lantawan Akbar, Lantawan Indanan, Luuk, Patikul, Omar, Parang, Panamao, Kalingalan, and these new EWER volunteers were also trained based on the first training topics.

These EWER volunteers comprise youth and women sectors, religious and traditional leaders, internally displaced persons (IDPs), Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF) and Moro National Liberation Front (MNLF) local leaders, members of the Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Team, Barangay Peacekeeping Action Team (BPAT), and Barangay Local Government Unit staff.

Under the CDSS program, the existence of EWER networks in the mainland and island provinces demands community participation. Individuals in the areas which have the EWER system voluntarily joined the Safe BARMM's CDSS program and were recognized by the Ministry as EWER volunteers. Training and workshops are given to them as pre-requisite to equip them in conflict monitoring. Upon the completion of the required training, as one EWER network, the EWER volunteers feed real-time information (quantitative or qualitative) about the situation of conflicts, alerting decision-makers, and peace and security actors to avoid the emergence or escalation of conflict.

Community-driven Safety and Security (CDSS) is a project that establishes and strengthens community-based Early Warning and Early Response (EWER) groups in the Bangsamoro region that identifies, analyze, and monitor conflict trends, and report to prevent destructive conflicts in the community as answer to duties and function which is to establish a community-based early warning/ response and conflict reporting system relating to public order and safety.

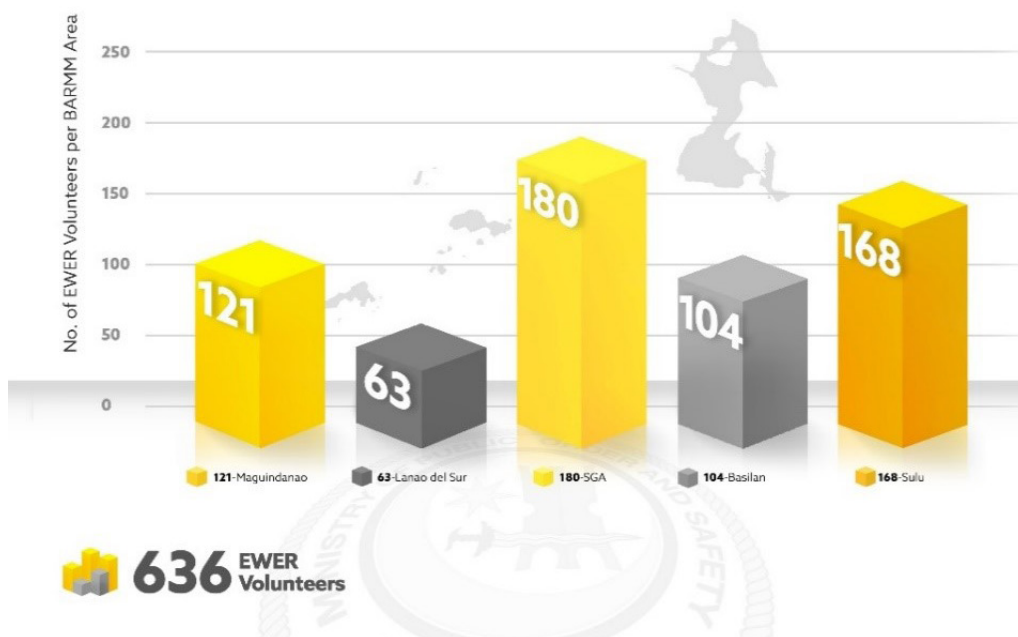


Figure 1.5 No. of EWER volunteers per BARMM area

## Lanao del Sur

In Lanao del Sur, the Ministry equipped 64 EWER volunteers from Sogonsongan and Boganga Shelter in Marawi City and in Pagayawan on July 18 and 19, 2022. Several of the participants were traditional/religious leaders, the women sector, internally displaced persons (IDPs), and members of the local disaster risk reduction management team. The training aimed to aid their situational needs and growth as EWER community volunteers and provided them with individual handheld radios necessary for executing their functions. One of the participants said that the provision of an individual handheld radio is of great use to their channel of communication even they are situated in the far-flung community.



*"Community Volunteers in their workshop on conflict mapping during the training in Marawi City, Lanao del Sur on July 18-19, 2022"*

## Maguindanao

In Maguindanao, the Ministry equipped 40 EWER volunteers from the different barangays (Brgy. Gambar, Pagalongan, Bagumbayan, and Langeban) of the Municipality of Kabuntalan composed of Barangay peacekeepers, religious leaders, and civil society organization (CSO) representatives participated the training, through the Early Warning, Early Response and Conflict Reporting System (EWERCRS) through the CDSS on June 2, 2022, at Al-Maseer Function Hotel, Awang, Datu Odin Sinsuat, Maguindanao.

On June 20 to 21, 2022, the Ministry trained 130 EWER volunteers from Kabuntalan, Matanog, Shariff Saydona Mustapha, and Ampatuan in Shariff Aguak, Maguindanao. Among the participants were leaders and representatives from youth, women, and indigenous people (IPs) and settler communities of their respective localities. MPOS provided handheld radios as support of their community peacekeeping endeavors.



*"An EWER volunteer of Barangay Bagumbayan shared their recorded crimes and conflicts in their barangay through a conflict map on June 2, 2022."*

*"EWER volunteers reporting their conflict mapping during the Community-Driven Safety and Security in Maguindanao."*



# COMMUNITY-DRIVEN SAFETY SECURITY



*“The handheld radios will be of great help po sa amin para ma-address ang aming challenges in terms of reporting violent conflicts sa communities. Mahirap ang communication namin sa area dahil kami po ay nasa bundok. Mahina ang signal. Kaya naman, salamat po MPOS. Makakaasa po kayo sa amin bilang inyong MPOS community volunteers.” One of the participants said during the conduct of the training in Shariff Aguak, Maguindanao.*

## Basilan

In Basilan, the Ministry equipped 100 community volunteers from ten (10) Barangays including Brgy. Parangbasak, Brgy. Baas, Brgy. Baimbing, and Brgy. Colonia in Lamitan City on July 20-21, 2022; Brgy. Matarling, Brgy. Pamucalin and Brgy. Lower Banas in Lantawan Municipality on July 23-24, 2022; and Brgy. Calangcanas, Fuente, Tubigan in Maluso Municipality on July 25-26, 2022.



*“Community volunteers trained by the BFP on the steps in first aid response using a handkerchief in Tubigan, Maluso Municipality in Basilan on July 25-26, 2022.”*

Topics discussed include the proper monitoring and reporting of incidents in the community, fundamentals of “Civilian Arrest and Miranda rights”, “Early Warning, Early Response Mechanism”, and “Basic Life Support and First Aid Response” among others. The volunteers underwent workshop and conflict mapping to identify the risks and ways forward in maintaining peace, public order, and safety in their respective communities.

The Ministry gave individually a EWER kit which includes a security vest, flashlight, and group identification items that will be utilized for incident reporting.



## Sulu

In Sulu, on August 20 to October 6, the Ministry trained 148 EWER community volunteers from nine (9) barangays namely: Brgy. Seit Lake, Brgy. Kan-ukol and Brgy. Kandayok, in Panamao Municipality; Brgy. Angilan, Brgy. Andalan and Brgy. Tangkuan in Omar Municipality; and Brgy. Bual, Brgy. Kanmindus and Brgy. Tandu Bato in Luuk Municipality. The attending community volunteers were the religious sectors, Barangay Peacekeeping Action Teams (BPATs), Barangay Local Government Unit (BLGU), Child Development Workers (CDW), Barangay Health Workers (BHW), Moro National Liberation Front (MNLF), and Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF) local leaders, Sangguniang Kabataan and Women sectors in partnership with the PNP, BFP, and CBCS. Volunteers learned the topics on the culture of peace with emphasis on volunteerism, the legal basis for civilian arrest and basic human rights, a simulation of proper hand-cuffing and safe procedure of apprehending criminals, and training on first aid and rescue simulation.

On August 20 to October 06, 2022, 90 community volunteers were capacitated through Community-Driven Safety and Security in ten (10) barangays of Sulu province. These were the Brgy. Maligay, Brgy. Kabbon Takas and Brgy. Tugas, of Patikul Municipality, Brgy. Timbangan, Brgy. Kajatian and Brgy. Buansa, of Indanan Municipality, and Brgy. Bagsak, Brgy. Buton, Brgy. Lupah Abu, and Laum Suwah of Parang Municipality. The participants were the BLGU, BPOC, BPAT, Health Sector, MNLF, and MILF representatives, youth, and women.



*"EWER volunteers signed a covenant of peace to fully pledge their commitment to observing peace and security in their communities."*



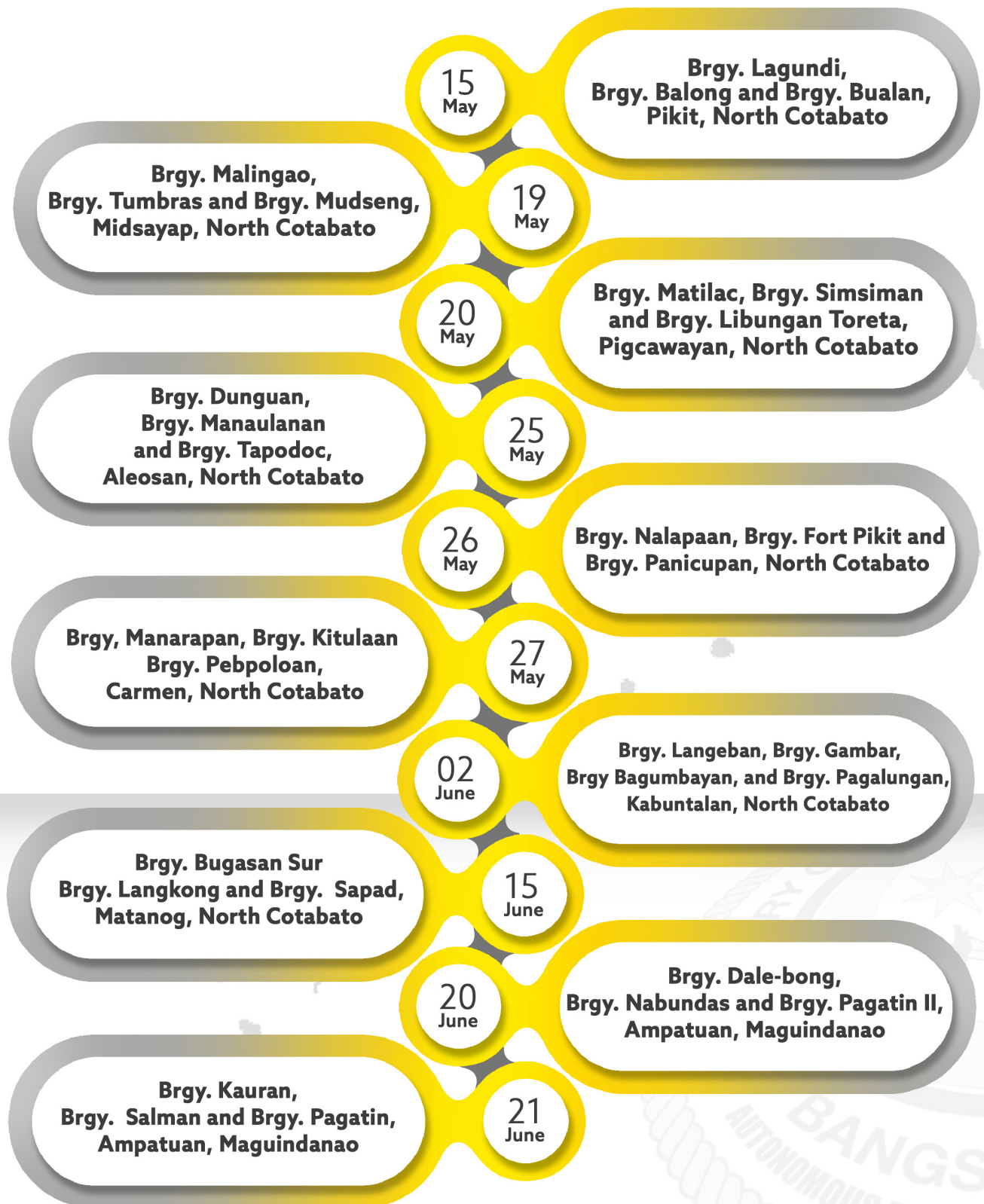
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## Special Geographic Area

In Special Geographic Area, the Ministry trained 60 EWER volunteers, from Brgy. Mudseng, Brgy Malingao and Brgy Tumbras, Midsayap, and Brgy. Simsiman, Brgy Matilac, Brgy Libungan Toreta, Pigcawayan, North Cotabato on May 19 and 20, 2022. The EWER volunteers were capacitated on the fundamentals of the Early Warning and Early Response (EWER) mechanism and community participation through MPOS' Community Driven Safety and Security (CDSS) program. Discussions include community profiling and mapping, conflict analysis, and report writing.

On May 26, 2022, EWER community volunteers from Brgy. Nalapaan, Brgy. Fort Pikit and Brgy. Panicupan of Pikit and Brgy. Manarapan, Brgy. Kitulaan and Brgy. Pebpoloan, of Carmen, North Cotabato, received a series of capacity development training through the Early Warning and Early Response and Conflict Reporting System (EWERCRS) of CDSS. At their culmination, participants were recognized as official MPOS Community Volunteers. The Ministry distributed brand-new handheld radios and other necessary equipment to support them.

# Community-Driven Safety and Security



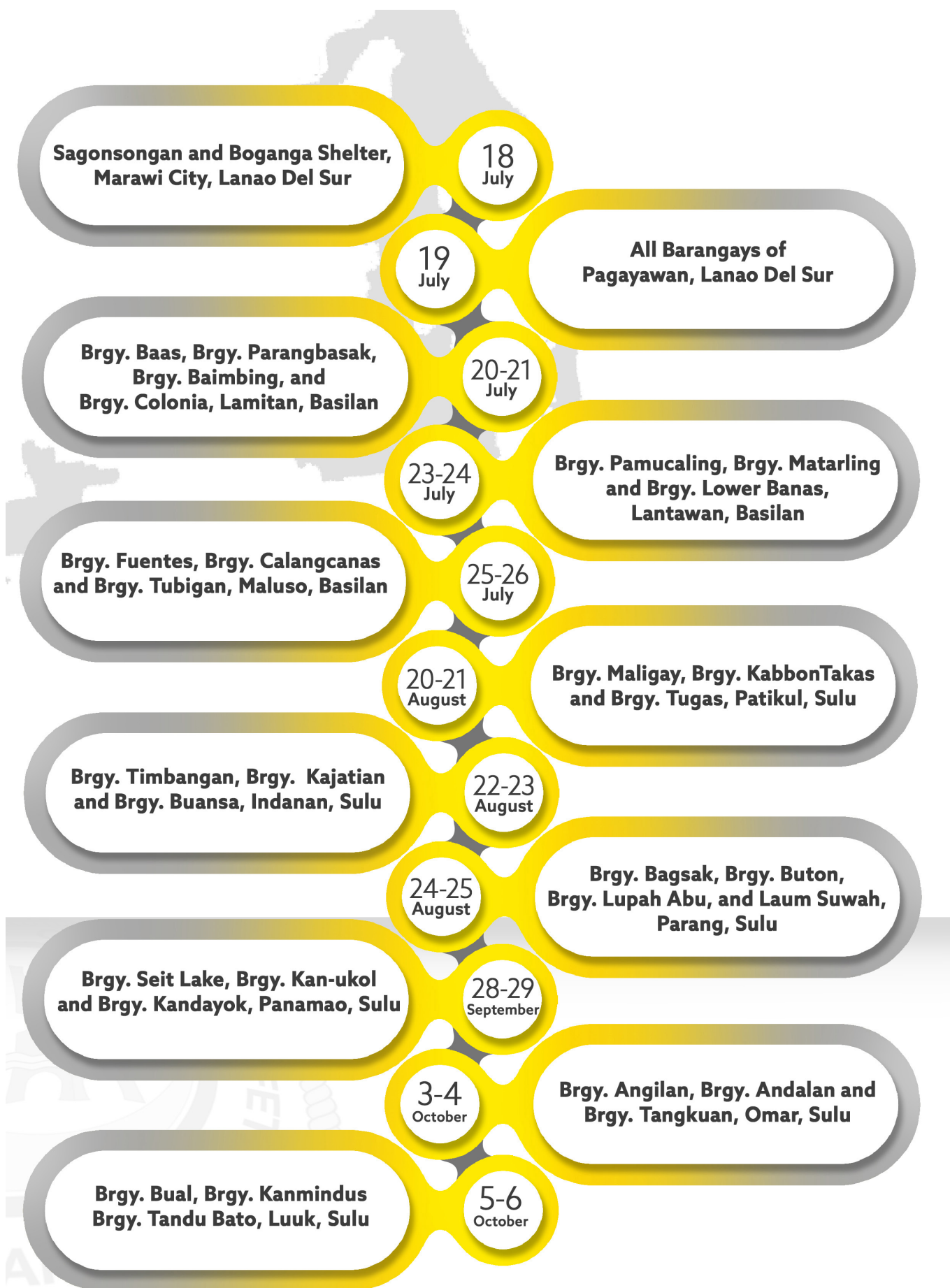


Figure 1.6 Timeline of community-driven safety and security trainings in 2022





*“Sulutan sa Garigayan Ali Benasing emphasized the importance of achieving peace in the Holy Month of Ramadhan in his opening message.”community.*

## MPOS conducts Muhadarah Al-Islamiya in Buldon, Maguindanao



*“Participants from the Municipalities of Barira, Buldon and Pigcawayan convened in the Ministry’s Advocacy Campaign Public Order and Safety through the Muhadarah Al-Islamiya on April 12, 2022.*

The Ministry facilitated the Muhadarah Al-Islamiya, an advocacy campaign on peace, public order, and safety in Barangay Mataya, Buldon, Maguindanao on April 12, 2022. 1,040 individuals from three different municipalities of Buldon, Barira, and Pigcawayan participated in the advocacy campaign.

These participants came from youth and women sectors, Islamic leaders, and scholars. They convened to learn the important teachings of Islam. Sheikh Ahmad Baltao discussed the Virtues of Ramadhan, Dr. Muh’d-Ata Abdulkarim lectured Fasting Nullifiers, topic on Brotherhood in Islam and Killing is Prohibited in Islam is discussed by Camaroddin Abdulkarim, and Sheikh Abdulsalam Baltao Ezrail discussed the Muslim Behavior in Ramadhan. Further, these Islamic Scholars also explained the importance of achieving peace especially in the observance of the Holy Month of Ramadhan.

The Muhadarah Al-Islamiya aimed to disseminate further accurate and truthful information to aid the promotion of peace and sustainable development that could strengthen the collaboration among peace practitioners and religious leaders in addressing public order and safety issues.





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## 42 Islamic religious leaders receive Islamic textbooks

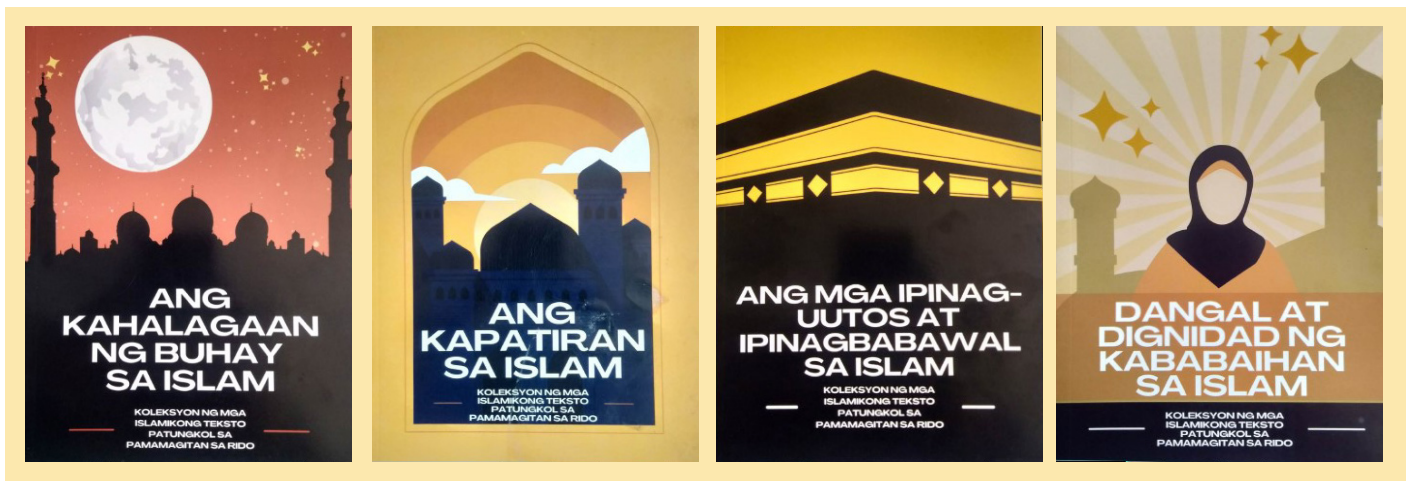
The Ministry distributed collection of Islamic textbooks to 42 Islamic religious leaders through the Public Order and Safety Advocacy: A Religious Sermons on Peace, Public Order and Safety in the Special Geographic Areas (SGA) held at J&L Rendezvous, Pikit, North Cotabato on August 30-31, 2022. The Islamic textbooks consist of essential contents on Rido which campaign public awareness against rido and illegal and harmful activities, such as, proliferation of prohibited drugs, illegal gambling, and other horizontal conflict.

These information, education, and communication (IEC) materials namely: 1.) Ang kahalagaan ng Buhay sa Islam; 2.) Ang Kapatiran sa Islam; 3.) Ang mga Pinag-uutos at Ipinagbabawal sa Islam, and: 4.) Ang Dangal at Dignidad ng Kababaihan sa Islam, will be used by the Ulamas in their Khutbah: religious sermons.

Prior to the distribution of Islamic printed materials, the Ulamas first underwent public speaking workshops and a series of lectures from recognized and respected Islamic resource persons, such as: 1.) The Role of Religious Leaders in Peace, Public Order and Safety and Lecture on Islamic Textbooks by Dr. Mohammad Taib Pangca; 2.) Islamic Concept of Wasatiyyah by Ustadz Habib Usman; 3.) The Art of Public Speaking by Aleem Aljor T. Decayan, and 4.) The Khutbah Ways: Delivery and Presentations of Sermons by Ustadz Jaafar Ali.

After the series of lectures, selected Ulamas exercised the practical application of their insights based on the four Islamic textbooks through Khutbah.

The Islamic textbooks support the role of religious leaders as advocates of peace and public order and serve as a reference beneficial in establishing enduring peace in the conduct of Khutbah or religious sermons during Friday prayer in their respective communities.



Four Islamic textbooks contain essential information that will be used by the Asatidz and Ulamas in propagating the teachings of Islam and the ways of achieving a peaceful life and the means to evade rido. These textbooks, namely: 1.) *Ang Kahalagahan ng Buhay sa Islam*; 2.) *Ang Kapatiran sa Islam*; 3.) *Ang mga Pinag-uutos at Ipinagbabawal sa Islam*; and 4.) *Ang Dangal at Dignidad ng Kababaihan sa Islam*

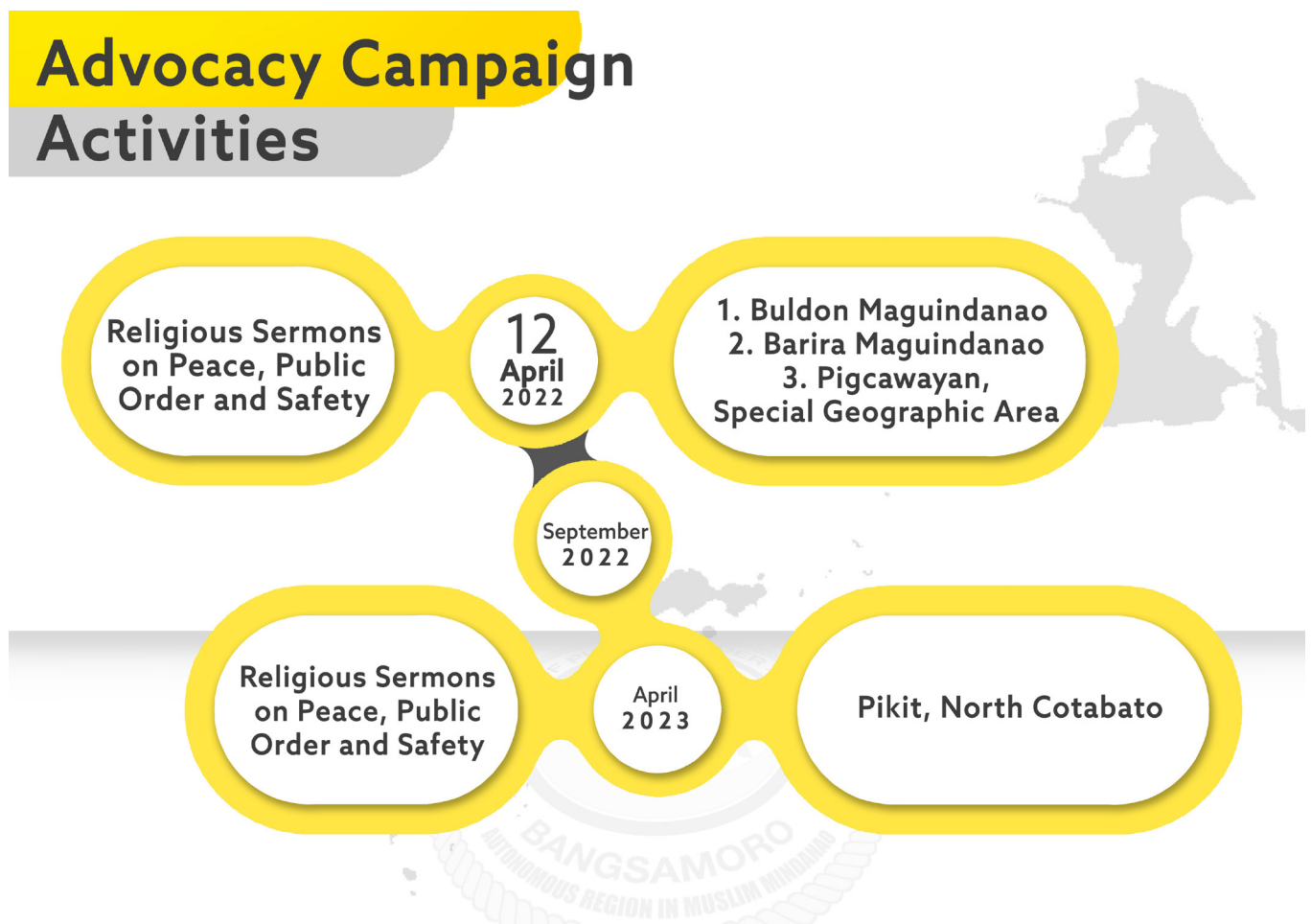
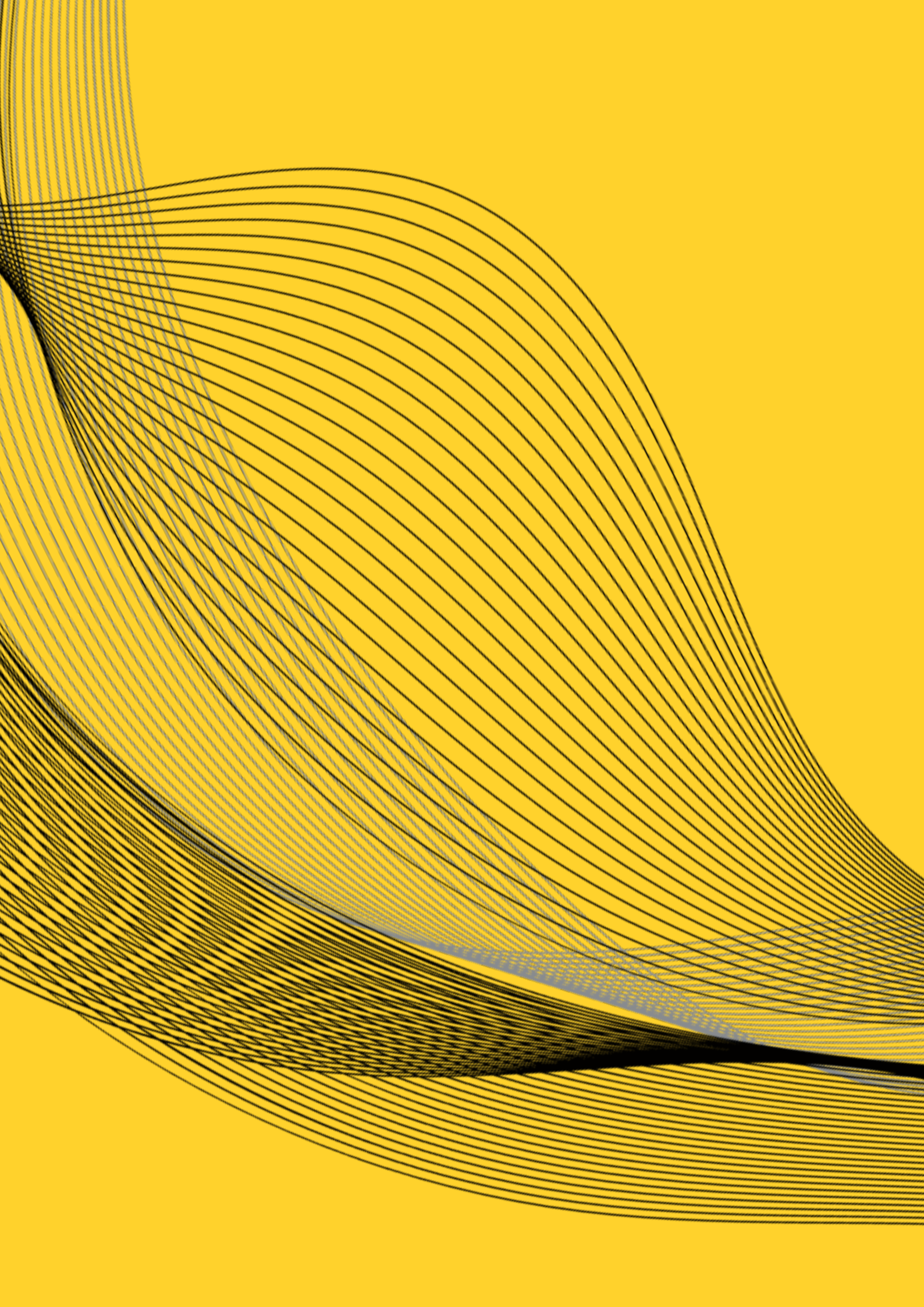


Figure 1.7 Timeline of advocacy campaigns in 2022

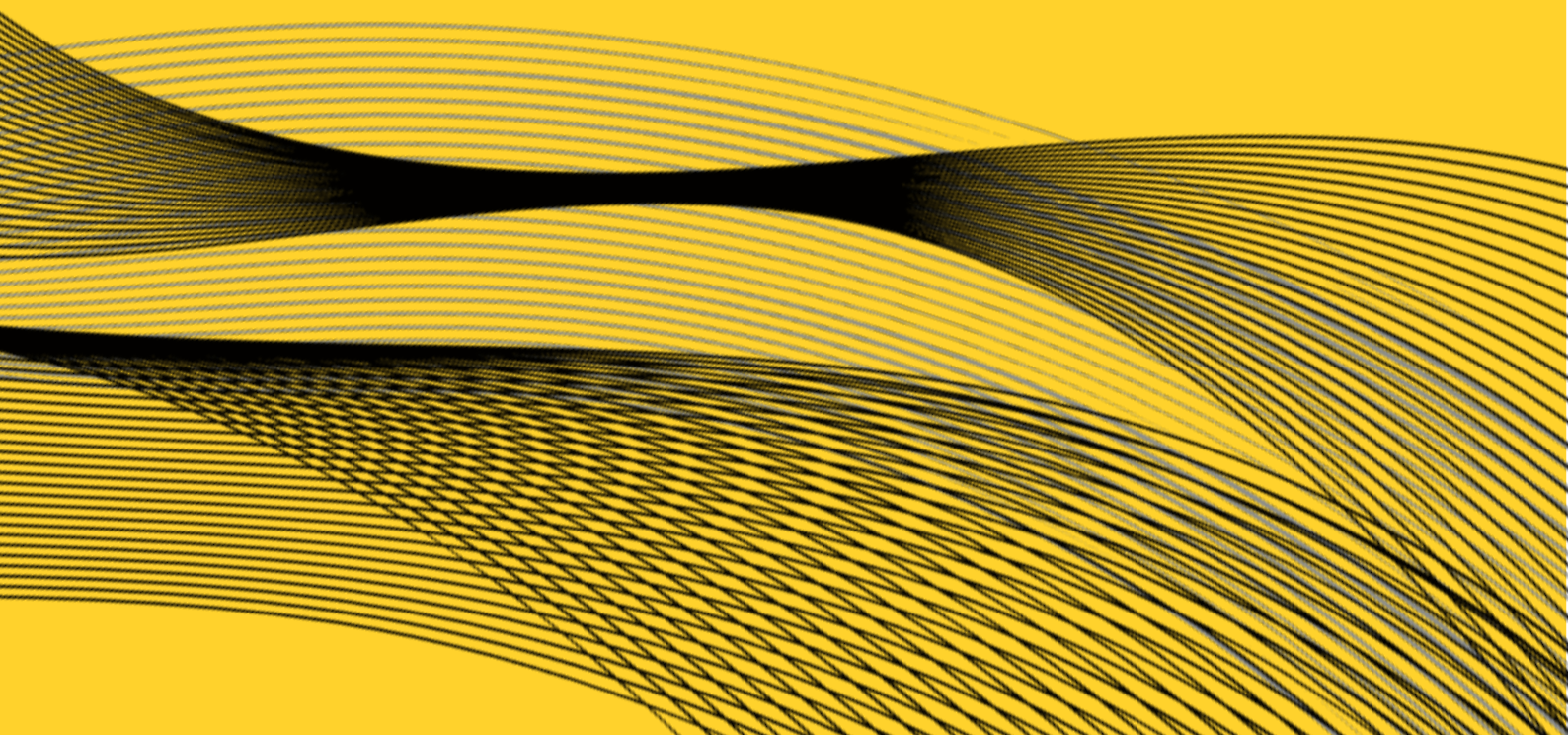






# **CLEAR**

**COORDINATION WITH LAW  
ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN  
THE REGION**



The CLEAR program shall facilitate partnership with Law Enforcement Agencies through periodic coordinative meetings, consultations, and conferences. Technical and other tangible support such as capacity development training and other material support, respectively, be provided to Law Enforcement Agencies.



*“Different law enforcement agencies, organizations and offices convened in the Third Bangsamoro Public Order and Safety Conference in Davao City.”*

## CLEAR Program holds the third Bangsamoro Public Order and Safety Conference

The Ministry of Public Order and Safety (MPOS) along with ministries and members of the Parliament, Law Enforcement Agencies, and major stakeholders both international and local non-government organizations convened to discuss the current peace and security situation of the region on its third annual Bangsamoro Public Order and Safety Conference (BPOSCon) held at the SMX Convention Center, Lanang, Davao City, on December 10-11, 2022.

The two-day conference focused on collaboration and harmonization of efforts of all stakeholders in creating a free-from-harm environment, to entrench the mechanisms in the prevention of human-induced hazards including the family and clan feuds or “rido”, private armed groups, illegal drugs, reduction of loose firearms, violent extremisms, and all kinds of crimes, as well as to determine the gaps and challenges to

form durable solutions concerning the peace and development in the Bangsamoro region.

Key officials from the Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP), Philippine National Police – Police Regional Office Bangsamoro Autonomous Region (PNP-PRO BAR), Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP-BARMM), Bureau of Jail Management and Penology (BJMP-BARMM), Philippine Coast Guard (PCG), Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA), and other law enforcement agencies in the region joined the conference.

Chief Minister Ahod B. Ebrahim, in his message, pointed out the relevance of dialogues in addressing social problems, injustices, and illicit criminalities, and that public safety and security is of utmost concern.



*“Finally, we found a venue to institutionalize mechanisms for countering violence, harm conflicts, human rights, and all sorts of criminalities.” Chief Minister Ebrahim said.*



Meanwhile, MPOS Minister Hussein Muñoz emphasized the role of the Ministry in ensuring security, safety, and public order. Further, he highlighted the importance of coordination and collaboration with government agencies, peace advocates, and other stakeholders, including the general population.

During the conference, the Ministry shared its accomplishments and programs in the past two years. The participants presented their issues and challenges and formulated mechanisms concerning peace order and security; enforcement of anti-illegal drugs; jail management; recovery programs for the former local insurgents and victims of violent extremism ideology; normalization aimed to disband the proliferation of private armed groups; interventions aimed at illegal firearms acquisition and campaigns against firearm-related violence; women empowerment and peace education in the region.

This conference adhered to the theme “Establishing the foundations for enduring peace in the Bangsamoro”, which served as a platform for the invention of inclusive programs and interventions in the continuous promotion of the ministry’s mandate which is to promote peace, reconciliation, and unification for the betterment of the BARMM.



*“Given the absence of policing power bounce truly and through actively strengthens its coordinative functions primarily with the law enforcement agencies to ensure peace and harmony in the Bangsamoro homeland. To fortify such, the MPOS as a ministry, with the coordinative functions develops various ways to promote peace and harmony in the region,” Minister Muñoz noted.*





## MPOS visits all BARMM areas to coordinate LEAs' issues and concerns

Six (6) coordinative meetings with Law Enforcement Agencies were conducted: two (2) Maguindanao, one (1) in each of the Provinces of Lanao del Sur, Basilan, Tawi-Tawi, and Sulu where ministries, agencies, offices, NGOs, CSOs, and Law Enforcement Agencies convened to discuss peace and security situation of the region.

The meeting was designed to consult the stakeholders on how to best establish a coordinating mechanism between MPOS and LEAs in the province as well as explore possible partnership in which the Ministry can assist and appropriately refer their needs and recommendations to other concerned government institutions.

On February 29, 2022, the Ministry convened with the Bureau of Fire Protection – BARMM to discuss the Multimedia Campaign on Public Order and Safety under the Safe BARMM program at the BFP Regional Office in Cotabato City. The BFP-BARMM shared their initiatives on information dissemination in dealing and preventing destructive fire which was developed and contextualized by the regional office. For them, the

*"MPOS convened LEAs in a coordinative meeting."*





campaign on fire prevention deemed essential and is materialized using Audio-Visual Production (AVP) and extended by means of social media platforms to circulate the ways to prevent fire-related accidents in the wider public.

Relatively, the Ministry supports its plans and actions since this advocacy corresponds to the Ministry's Multimedia Campaign on Public Order and Safety.

The BFP regional office also trained community fire volunteers in selected barangays in Cotabato City especially the congested areas for them to become responsive and resilient in untoward fire accidents. Both have agreed to boost the campaign on fire prevention during the Fire Prevention Month.

On July 22, 2022, the Ministry conducted a coordinative meeting at Ragayan Training Center, Marantao, Lanao del Sur, on July 22, 2022, and raised the issues on Rido profiling, the process of plea bargain, arsons and fire incidents, illegal drugs-related concerns, the establishment of PDEA provincial office, prevention of violent extremism, augmentation of custodial personnel, incomplete documents of inmates, and psychosocial and mental interventions. The representatives from the Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), the Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA), the Bureau of Jail Management and Penology (BJMP), the Philippine National Police, and the Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP) were present in the said meeting.

On July 25, 2022, the Ministry and LEAs convened a meeting at Lepa Sandbar Beach Resort, Tawi-Tawi. Present in the meeting were the province's PNP- Police Provincial Office, Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA), Bureau of Jail

Management and Penology (BJMP), Philippine Coast Guard (PCG), Armed Forces of the Philippines and the 1st SOU Maritime Group. Some of the issues raised include insufficient police manpower, lacking detention cells for female persons deprived of liberty, lacking operational offices for parole and probation administration in provincial jail of Tawi-Tawi and PDEA, floating assets for Philippine Coast Guards and could be essential in implementing Barangay Drug Clearing Program (BDCP), necessary actions to prevent counter violent extremism, and continuous operations in ending the local armed conflict.

The Ministry believes that the issues and concerns will be endorsed to the Bangsamoro Transition Authority to assess the needs of the law enforcers and the issues concerning public order and safety. The agenda was to deepen the understanding of the condition of peace, public order, and safety and to build a constituency for the institutionalization of a responsive policy on public order and safety program in BARMM and to create an effective and suitable coordinating mechanism between the Ministry and Law Enforcement Agencies (LEAs) in the province.

On July 29, 2022, the Ministry gathered law enforcement personnel in a coordination meeting held at Farmland, Isabela City, Basilan. This aim of the meeting is to gain knowledge and understanding on administration and field of operation issues in their respective institutions and to discuss the salient points on institutionalizing responsive policies on public order and safety programs in the province. Present in the meeting are the representatives of PNP-Police Provincial Office of Basilan, Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA), Bureau of Jail Management and Penology (BJMP), Philippine

*"A roundtable discussion on peace, public order and safety with the law enforcement personnel in the province of Tawi-Tawi."*



*“Jail Officer from BJMP Basilan discussed their interventions to detainees during the coordinative meeting.”*



Coast Guard (PCG), Philippine Information Agency (PIA), Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP) and Provincial Local Government Unit.

The concerns addressed are the interventions to the insurgents who returned to the folds of the law, concerns on unsettled rido, lacking of jail facility, issue on the compliance of Drug Free Work Place Program, custody of fire trucks, augmentation of floating asset of CGs, and the implementation of Barangay Drug Clearing Program (BDCP).

According to AFP, the concern interventions to the returnees need to undergo the process from JAPIC to avail their government assistance and those failed to qualify, the Ministry can aid intervention. On the other hand, it was agreed to obtain the profiles of the unsettled rido and to observe the effectiveness of the covenant signed by the involved parties to uphold the unity and peace in them.

On August 2, 2022, the Ministry convened a coordinative meeting with the law enforcement agencies at Notre Dame of Jolo Review Center, Jolo, Sulu, to discuss the pressing issues on peace and security in the province. Representatives from the PNP-Police Provincial Office of Sulu, Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA), Bureau of Jail Management and Penology (BJMP), Philippine Coast Guard (PCG), Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP) and other peacekeeper institutions deliberately expressed their concerns such as the inconsistency on the identification of data on rido and other incidents, seminars for the BPATs, interventions to the surrenderees, fire station, and facilities, and floating assets for CGs.

The Ministry and PNP agreed to develop a memorandum that will facilitate the consistency of data pertaining to rido and further discussed the formulation of a policy or intervention program for the renunciation process of the alleged rebels returned to the folds of law and transitioning them to become peacekeepers in attaining a conflict-free community. Training intended to BPATs on Early Warning and Early Response were also introduced. Other concerns addressed are expected to be endorsed to its relevant agencies for recommendation.

On August 25, 2022, the Ministry organized a meeting with law enforcement agencies at Hasssarff's Seafoods and Grill Resto, Kanto Bubong, Mother Tamontaka, Cotabato City, to discuss the pressing problems and gain knowledge on the peace and security situation of the city.





*“PNP Master Sergeant shared the security and interventions of alleged rebels who returned to the folds of the law in Jolo, Sulu.”*

The personnel from National Bureau of Investigation – BARMM (NBI-BARMM), G3 6ID of the Armed Forces of the Philippines (G3 6ID – AFP), the Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA), the Philippine Coast Guard (PCG), National Police Commission (NAPOLCOM), Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), and Police Provincial Office of Maguindanao (PPO-Maguindanao) gathered to give updates and share their concerns regarding the public order and safety.WW

The deradicalization program for violent extremists FVEs, the proliferation of loose firearms, ridos (feuds), lack of jail and office facilities, and fire suppression units were the common concerns in the said meeting. Thus, the coordinative meeting with the law enforcement agencies connects and updates the ministry on the issues and challenges encountered by LEAs and draws recommendation by extending its support in the ways that the office can provide.



# Coordination with Law Enforcement Agencies in the Region (CLEAR)

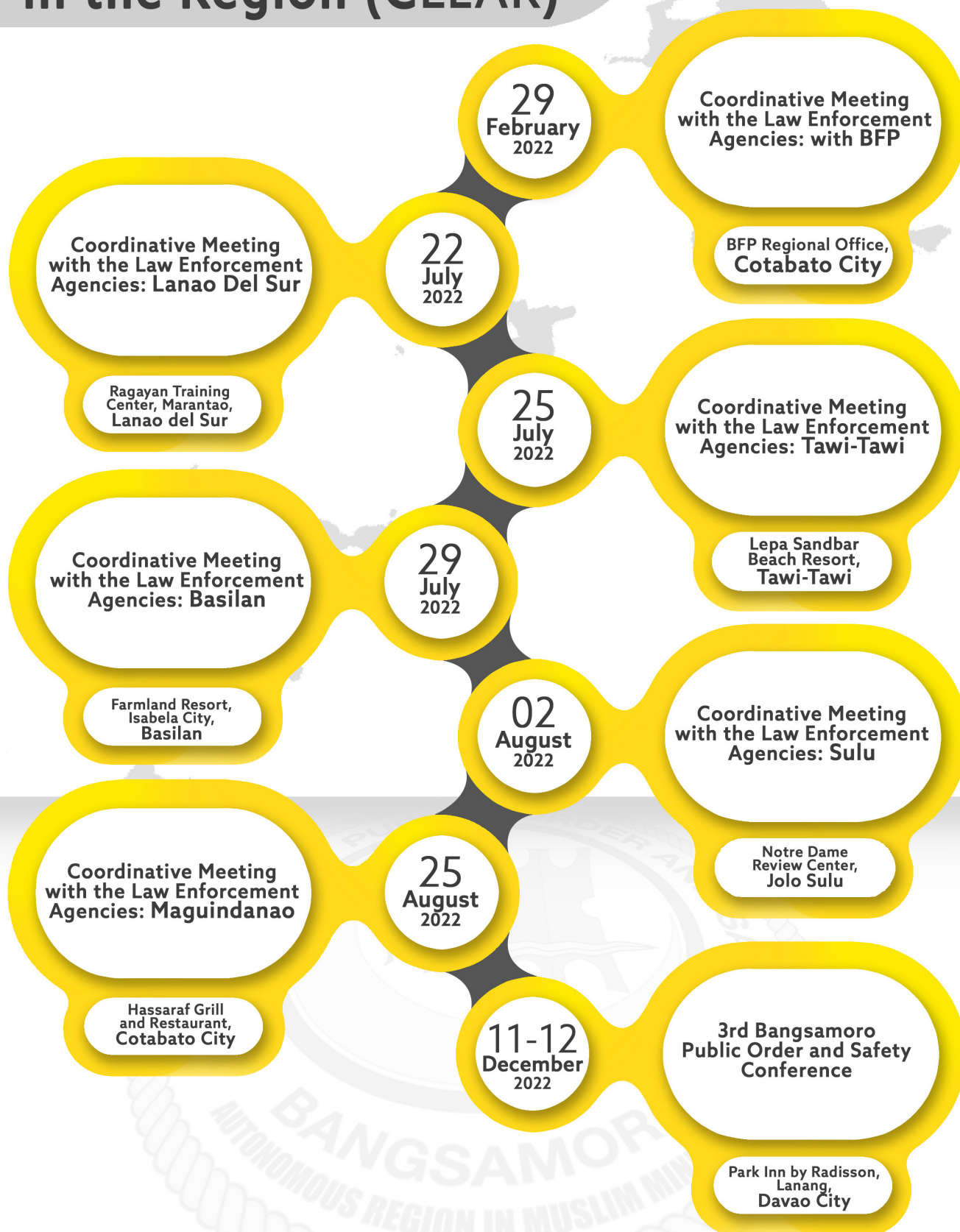


Figure 2.1 Timeline of coordination meetings with LEAs in 2022



*“PNP personnel of PPO Tawi-Tawi in their learning session on the notion of rido.”*

## Tawi-Tawi cops undergo Learning Session on Rido Settlement

The Ministry organized a learning session on rido settlement to ten (10) Municipal Chief of Police and 11 officials and representatives from the PNP Provincial Headquarters Tawi-Tawi - Provincial Police Office (PPO) on July 26, 2022, at the Tawi-Tawi PNP-Police Provincial Office. The learning session on rido assists the Police Provincial Office of Tawi-Tawi in their efforts to deeply understand the complexity of rido as well as to establish a proper coordinating mechanism and partnership between the Ministry and PPO in the efforts to reduce, if not eradicate, rido in the province.

Rido is one of the distinct conflicts prevalent in the Bangsamoro region. It affects the socio-economic activities in the province because of its probable retaliation and violence among conflicting parties. To further understand and grasp the nature and dynamics of rido, topics on “Rido Settlement”, “Alternative Dispute Resolution in BARMM”, “MPOS Rido Digital Profiling”, “Building a Culture of Peace” and “Rido Settlement in Practice by Association of Local Mediators of Tawi-Tawi (ALMTA)” were presented and discussed in the learning session.

One of the police officers expressed his gratitude to the Ministry for conducting the learning session and traversing the distance to reach the island province. He assured he will use the learnings in ensuring public order and security in the province.



*“Sa pamamagitan ng learning session na ito ay mas naiiintidihan ko nang mabuti ang ibig sabihin at epekto ng rido (family feud) na makakatulong sa pagpapatupad ng aking serbisyo bilang pulis sa probinsya ng Tawi-Tawi.” Police Officer said*





*"MPOS convened LEAs in a coordinative meeting."*

## MPOS and PDEA conduct training on the chain of custody rule for BaSulTa LEAs

The Ministry of Public Order and Safety (MPOS) tapped the Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency – BARMM, Provincial Prosecutors, and Trial Court Judges in the to conduct workshops on handling drugs cases under the chain of custody rule on September 30 - October 1, 2022, in Bongao, Tawi-Tawi, on October 3-4, 2022, in Jolo, Sulu, and on October 6-7, 2022, in Isabela City, Basilan.

According to MPOS Director-General Atty. Al-Rashid Balt, the workshop resulted from a coordinative meeting with LEAs on July 2022 under the Ministry's Coordination with Law Enforcement Agencies in the Region (CLEAR) Program.

Present in the training were the representatives from Philippine National Police - Police Provincial Offices (PNP-PPO) Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP), PNP – Criminal Investigation and Detention Group (CIDG), PNP – Special Action Force (SAF), Provincial Drug

Enforcement Unit (PDEU), Philippine Coast Guard (PCG), Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP), and Philippine Drug Enforcement Agency (PDEA).

PDEA Intelligence Officer V Marlon P. Santos explained the topics on inquest proceedings and preliminary investigation, rules on the use of body-worn cameras in the execution of warrants, investigation and marking of evidence, latest jurisprudence related to Republic Act No. 9165 or guidelines on court proceedings as prosecution witness; and salient features of the Joint Memorandum Circular Number 1 series of 2021.

Law enforcers from the Basilan, Sulu and Tawi-Tawi, performed the simulation of practical exercises on buy bust operations, serving warrants, warrantless arrests, such as in flagrante delicto arrests, and moot court, among others.

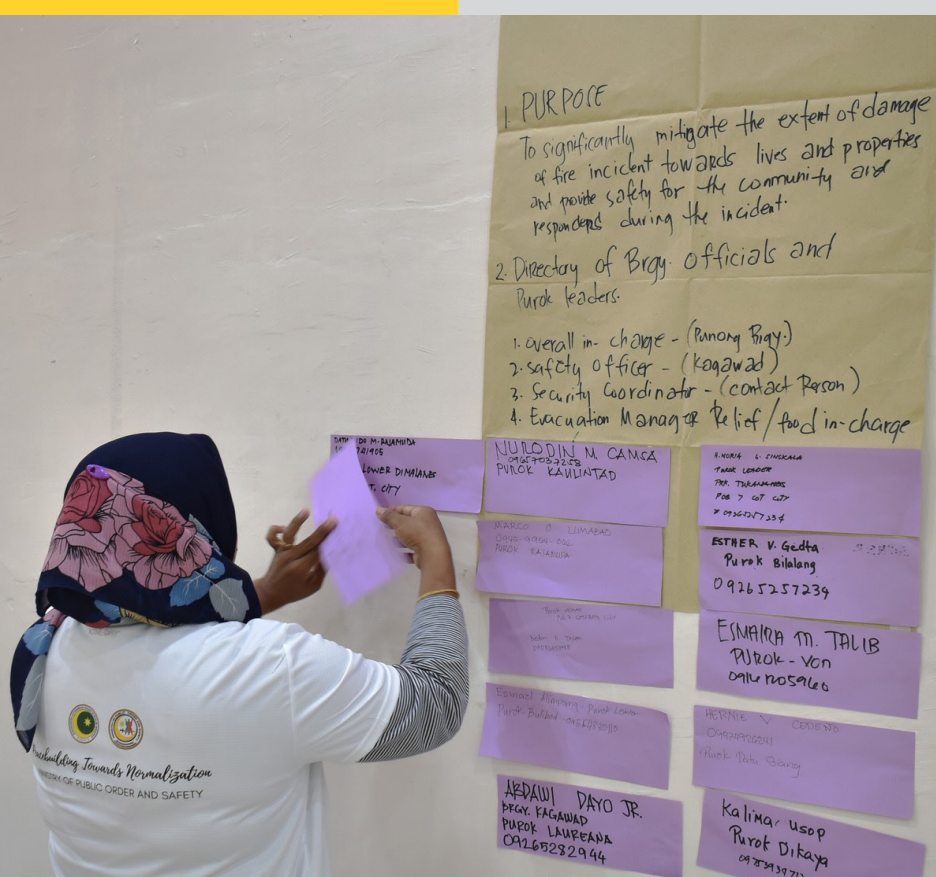


## MPOS and BFP train Community Fire Volunteers in Cotabato City

41 community fire volunteers of Barangay Poblacion VII, Cotabato City received training on Fire Prevention and Basic Firefighting skills organized by the Ministry, in partnership with the Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP) – BARMM, on August 25, 2022, at Pagana Kutawato Native Restaurant, Cotabato City.

The activity was conducted to support the community fire volunteers composed of barangay officials, purok leaders, and disaster risk reduction management members, in enhancing their knowledge and skills in fire prevention. They learned to formulate an effective fire incident contingency plan, hazard mapping, emergency evacuation routes, fire safety prevention campaigns, and others.

*“Community volunteer developed their incident contingency plan and directory of barangay officials”*



# Support and Assistance to Law Enforcement Agencies

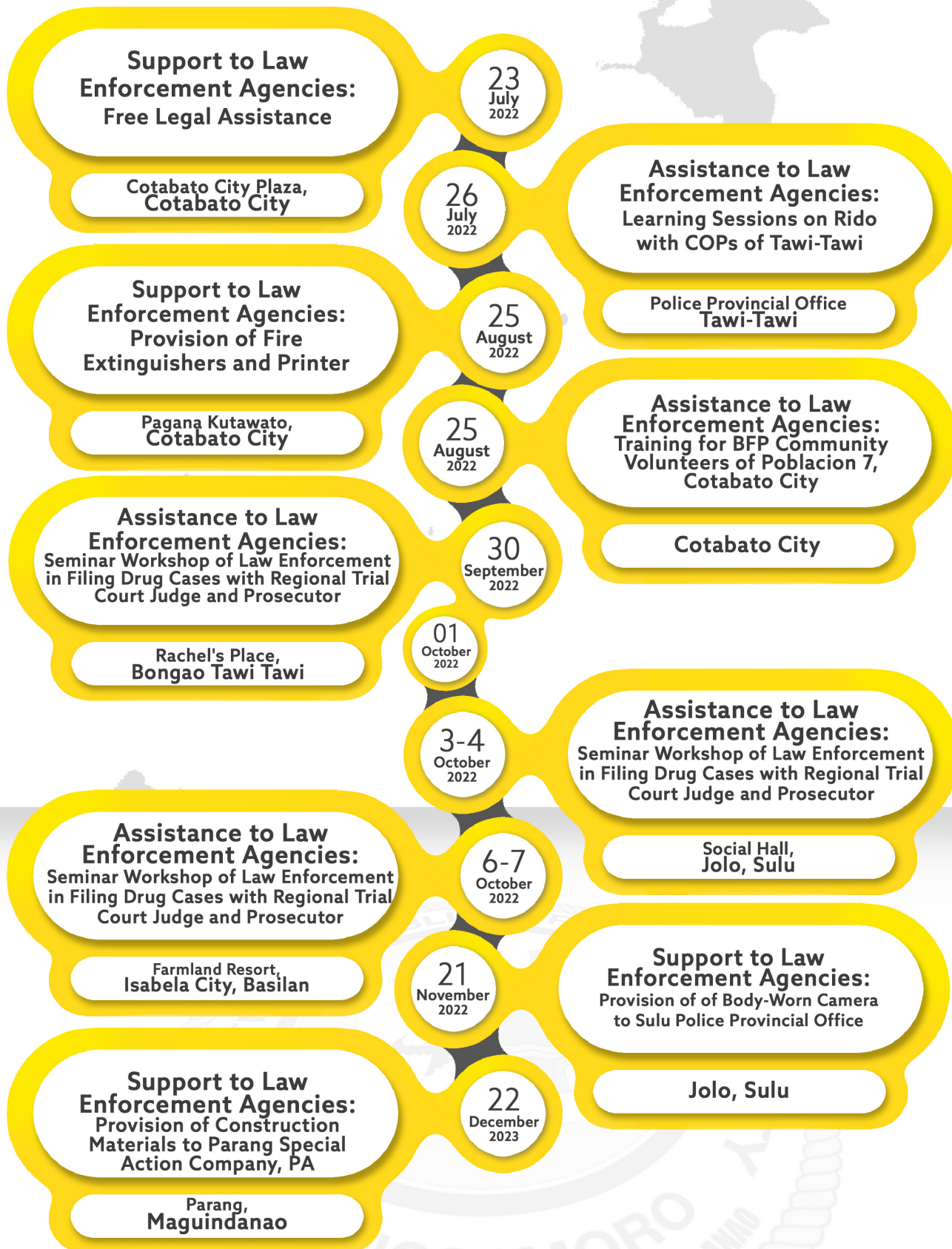


Figure 2.2 Timeline of support and assistance to LEAs in 2022





*“MPOS Atty. Abuali M. Abbas provided legal advice on how to file a case regarding the unlawful stealing of one’s property.”*

## **MPOS offers free legal assistance in the 27th Police Community Relations**

The Ministry offered free legal assistance to the citizens of Cotabato in line with the celebration of the 27th Police Community Relations (PCR) at the City Plaza, Cotabato City on July 23, 2022.

National Police Commission (NAPOLCOM), Philippine National Police (PNP), Bangsamoro Attorney General’s Office (BAGO), Department of Justice – Public Attorney’s Office (DOJ-PAO), City Government of Cotabato, and other organizations joined together with the Ministry in giving legal advice and counseling to the Bangsamoro citizens not capable of availing private legal services. This initiative aimed to uphold fundamental freedoms by taking legal action concerning their interests, especially in public order and safety.

With the theme “Uganayan Pulisya at Komunidad Tungo sa Mapayapa, Maayos at Maunlad na Pamayanan”, the 27th Police Community Relations of the PNP envisions a harmonious relationship of police-community and ministry in promoting peace and order and public safety to attain a safe and peaceful Bangsamoro.



## MPOS distributes Fire Extinguishers to Poblacion VII in Cotabato City



*“Community fire volunteers from Poblacion VII received their fire extinguishers during the conduct of support to law enforcement agencies in Cotabato City.”*

41 community fire volunteers from Barangay Poblacion VII, Cotabato City received five (5) fire extinguishers, one (1) unit printer for their operation, and customized polo shirts for their community identification on August 25, 2022, at Pagana Kutawato Native Restaurant, Cotabato City.

The provision of fire extinguishers and printer are basic equipment that will be used by the community fire volunteers in executing their functions and to minimize the risk of potential damage in their barangay in times of fire hazards.

Prior to the distribution of support, the Ministry organized training on Fire Prevention and Safety to equip them in dealing with untoward fire accidents. It is beneficial to give these community fire volunteers the basic knowledge of operating fire extinguishers and other ways of preventing a blaze from spreading

further. The portion of the fire safety training includes identifying fire hazards and fire safety risk assessment in case a fire occurs, community fire volunteers are taught how to work together to effectively stop the advance of fire. Overall, this initiative enabled them to become responsive in times of risk. Poblacion VII is among the barangays in Cotabato City that is populated and full of compacted houses and has the most record of fire accidents. This initiative is part of the Ministry's subprogram to support to Law Enforcement Agencies and community volunteers in the Bangsamoro region.



*“Provincial Director of Sulu Police Provincial Office Police Colonel Narciso Paragas received the body-worn cameras through the Ministry’s Director General Atty. Al-Rashid L. Balt.”*

Sulu Police Provincial Office received 20 body-worn cameras from the Ministry of Public Order and Safety on November 21, 2022, in Jolo, Sulu.

“Ito’y bilang tugon sa hiling ng SPPO na mabigyan sila ng naturang gamit na kailangan ng mga pulis sa tuwing may operasyon ang mga ito tulad ng ilegal na droga na isa sa mga requirement o hinihingi ng korte”, Atty. Balt said in an interview with Radyo Pilipinas Jolo.

The Ministry sees the essential use of body-worn cameras in all law enforcement activities of PNP. The provision of body-worn cameras allows them to accurately document police and community contacts, arrests, critical incidents, tactical responses and other forms of police operations.

This also helps them in enhancing SPPO-PNP capability in reviewing and evaluating police operations and ensures that public order and safety will become the primordial concern on top of the privacy communication of PNP personnel and the citizens.

Accordingly, the body-worn cameras will be distributed to 19 Municipal Police Stations of the Sulu Police Provincial Office.

The Sulu Police Provincial Office extended their gratitude to the Ministry for providing them assistance to fully execute their mandate and transparent service to the Bangsamoro people.

## **MPOS provides 20 body-worn cameras to Sulu Police Provincial Office**





*“MPOS Director General Atty. Balt flamed the cauldron, a sign to begin the Inter-Barangay Firefighting Challenge”*

## **MPOS supports CFAG Inter-Barangay Firefighting Challenge**

The Ministry of Public Order and Safety and in collaboration with the Bureau of Fire Protection – Cotabato City Central Fire Station successfully organized the first-ever Inter-Barangay Firefighting Challenge on October 13, 2022, at Notre Dame University Quadrangle, Cotabato City.

Established Community Fire Auxiliary Group (CFAG) from Barangay Poblacion VII, Rosary Heights – I and Mother Barangay Rosary Heights (MBRH) of Cotabato City participated and showcased their capabilities in a firefighting challenge.

These challengers unleashed their strengths and skills in trials set by CCFS such as hose throwing, busted connection and replacement, bucket relay, rescue relay, patient transfer, hose layout, and target aiming.



MPOS Director General Atty. Al-Rashid L. Balt graced the event and lighted the cauldron to formally begin the firefighting challenge. This activity has been a long time yearning of City Fire Marshal CINSP Lucilyn B. Jusay to set and conduct the CFAG Inter-Barangay Firefighting Challenge that will empower the force multipliers.

With all of the contenders, the Mother Barangay Rosary Heights made the cut and bagged home two (2) major awards, bucket relay, and busted hose connection and replacement. CINSO Jusay dispatched a message of encouragement that is to sustain and improve the services of CCFS and establish a strong, responsive and harmonious relationship with the CFAG in their respective communities.

The Ministry and the BFP aimed to spread awareness to the Bangsamoro community that this activity is a reminder that fire prevention starts with ourselves and can be dominated if the people participate and cooperate to each other in achieving a safe environment.

*“Fire Officers and Community Fire Volunteers showed camaraderie during the Firefighting Challenge.”*







**PBI**

**PEACE BUILDING INITIATIVES**





The MPOS devised the Peacebuilding Initiatives (PBI) program as part of its endeavor to attain lasting peace, sustainable development, and peaceful co-existence in the region. PBI is the lead program of MPOS in fostering different peace efforts in the region. This includes support for normalization, different listening and dialogue sessions, and support to vulnerable combatants, widows of violent extremists, orphans of violent extremists, local insurgents, and those that are neglected, vulnerable, and/or marginalized institutions.

Furthermore, the program will complement and empower grassroots peace champions, involving different youths in conflict-affected and vulnerable communities in fellowship activities and localization of the National Action Plan on Preventing and Countering Violent Extremism (NAP-PCVE)



*“A former combatant shared his insights on achieving peace and was assisted by one of the facilitators during the training on Peacebuilding Towards Normalization.”*

## **201 former vulnerable combatants across the BARMM receive peacebuilding interventions**

201 former vulnerable combatants from different camps in the Bangsamoro region received peacebuilding training and financial assistance through the Ministry's PeaceBuilding Initiatives. These combatants were carefully selected by camp commanders to ensure that there was no duplication of beneficiaries and to encourage wider participation in the peacebuilding efforts.

The combatants underwent comprehensive training in peacebuilding, including specialized courses such as “Jihad and Peacebuilding in Islam,” “Building a Culture of Peace,” and “Shared Visioning: Becoming an Active Citizen towards a Peaceful and Safe Community.” To equip them with the necessary knowledge and skills to actively contribute to peacebuilding in their communities.

To further aid the combatants in their transition to civilian life and promote community integration, each beneficiary

received financial assistance amounting to Php 10,000.00. This needs-based support was specifically designed to assist in their livelihood endeavors and foster their role as peace advocates. By providing financial assistance, the project aimed to alleviate the economic challenges faced by combatants and create opportunities for them to sustain themselves and their families.

Prior to the distribution of financial assistance, a rigorous process was undertaken, which involved profiling, validation, and listening sessions. These steps ensured that the support reached the intended beneficiaries and that they were equipped with the necessary tools and understanding to effectively contribute to peacebuilding efforts. The Ministry organizing these activities demonstrated a commitment to a comprehensive and inclusive approach to supporting the combatants' reintegration into society.

The impact of such initiatives on achieving peace in the Bangsamoro region cannot be understated. One former combatant highlighted that projects like this help them feel prioritized by the Bangsamoro government. By actively engaging combatants who are not part of the decommissioning process and who reside in camps, the project addresses the vulnerability these individuals face. Lack of sufficient means to support their families can make them susceptible to recruitment by violent extremists or other lawless elements. Through targeted support and empowerment, the project aims to mitigate these risks and provide a pathway to peace and stability. The Ministry capacitated and aided 200 former combatants across the region. 65 in Maguindanao, 20 in Special Geographic Area, 55 in Lanao del Sur, 30 in Basilan, 10 in Sulu, and 20 in Tawi-Tawi.

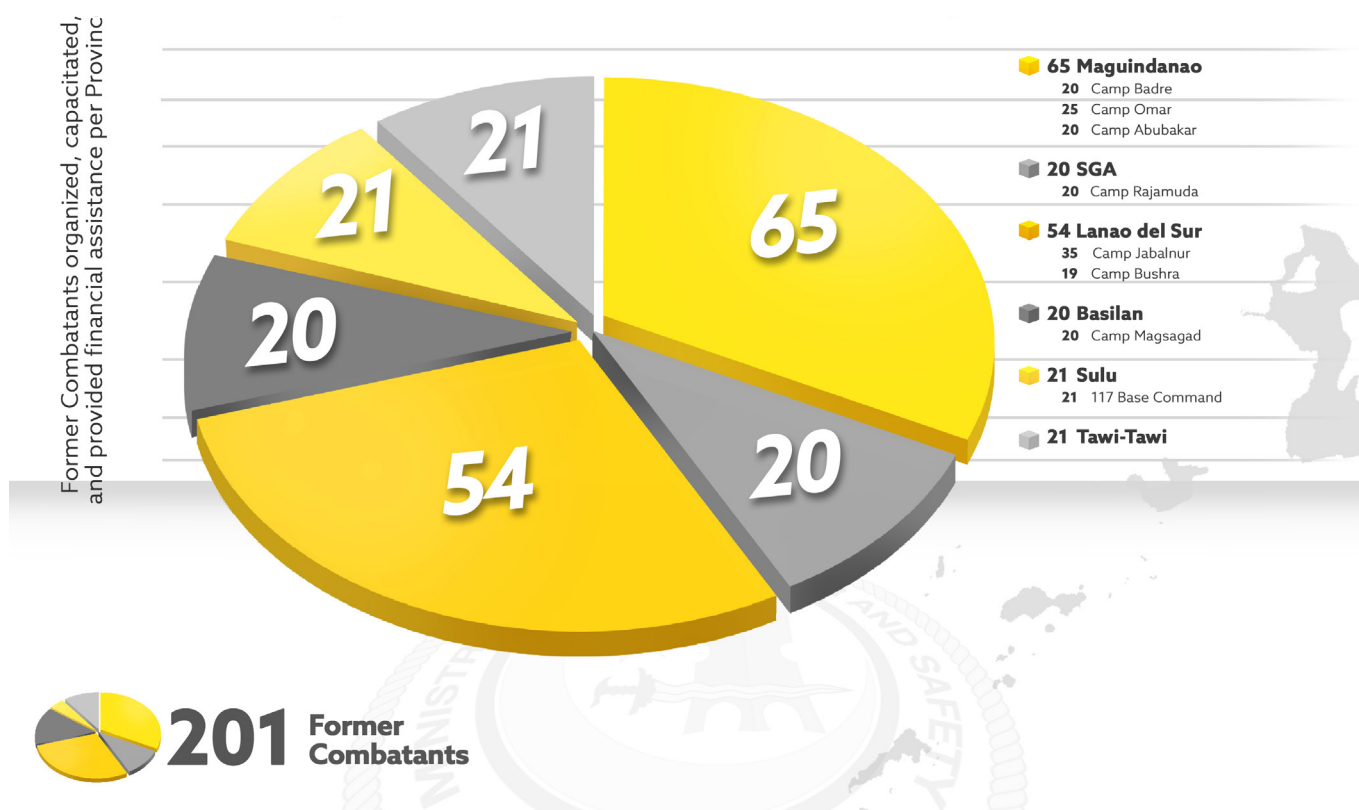


Figure 3.1 Former combatants organized, capacitated, and provided financial assistance per province



## MPOS provides assistance to 50 widows of martyrs from Lanao del Sur and Sulu



*“Maraming salamat sa MPOS dahil ‘di kami pinabayaan at buo ang gaming suporta sa pagkamit ng patuloy na kapayaan sa ating bayan” a widow of martyr said during the distribution of financial assistance.*



*“Widows of former ASG members were activated as peacebuilders in the Province of Sulu.”*

50 widows of violent extremists received capacity training on peace and aided them financial assistance from the provinces of Lanao del Sur and Sulu. These widows, who were previously associated as wives of members of violent extremists, received comprehensive assistance to facilitate their integration into mainstream society as ordinary citizens.

Financial assistance worth Php 10,000.00 pesos was provided to support their transition and ensure their successful integration. This assistance aimed to alleviate their economic challenges and enable them to establish stable livelihoods, thereby reducing their vulnerability and dependency. In addition to financial support, the widows underwent peacebuilding activities that equipped them with essential peacebuilding skills.

Through training such as “Building a Culture of Peace,” “Psychosocial Support Sessions,” “The

Islamic Concept of Wasatiyyah (Moderation),” and “Shared Visioning”. These widows were empowered to become peacebuilders within their communities. By acquiring knowledge and skills in conflict resolution, moderation, and fostering shared visions of peace, the widows were equipped to actively contribute to promoting harmony and stability.

To ensure that the support reached the intended beneficiaries, a thorough process was undertaken. This involved profiling, listening sessions, and validation activities, which were conducted to identify the widows who faced challenges in reintegrating into the community due to the stigma associated with their past association with extremist groups. By specifically targeting these widows, the intervention aimed to address their unique

needs and provide them with the necessary support to overcome societal barriers.

The implementation of this intervention is crucial in potentially saving vulnerable widows from being targeted for marriage by active members of violent extremist groups. By providing economic assistance, peacebuilding training, and facilitating their reintegration, the widows are offered an alternative path away from the influence of violent extremism. This approach not only safeguards the widows’ well-being but also contributes to broader efforts in countering violent extremism and promoting sustainable peace in the region.

The total number of Widows of Violent Extremists organized, capacitated, and provided financial assistance:

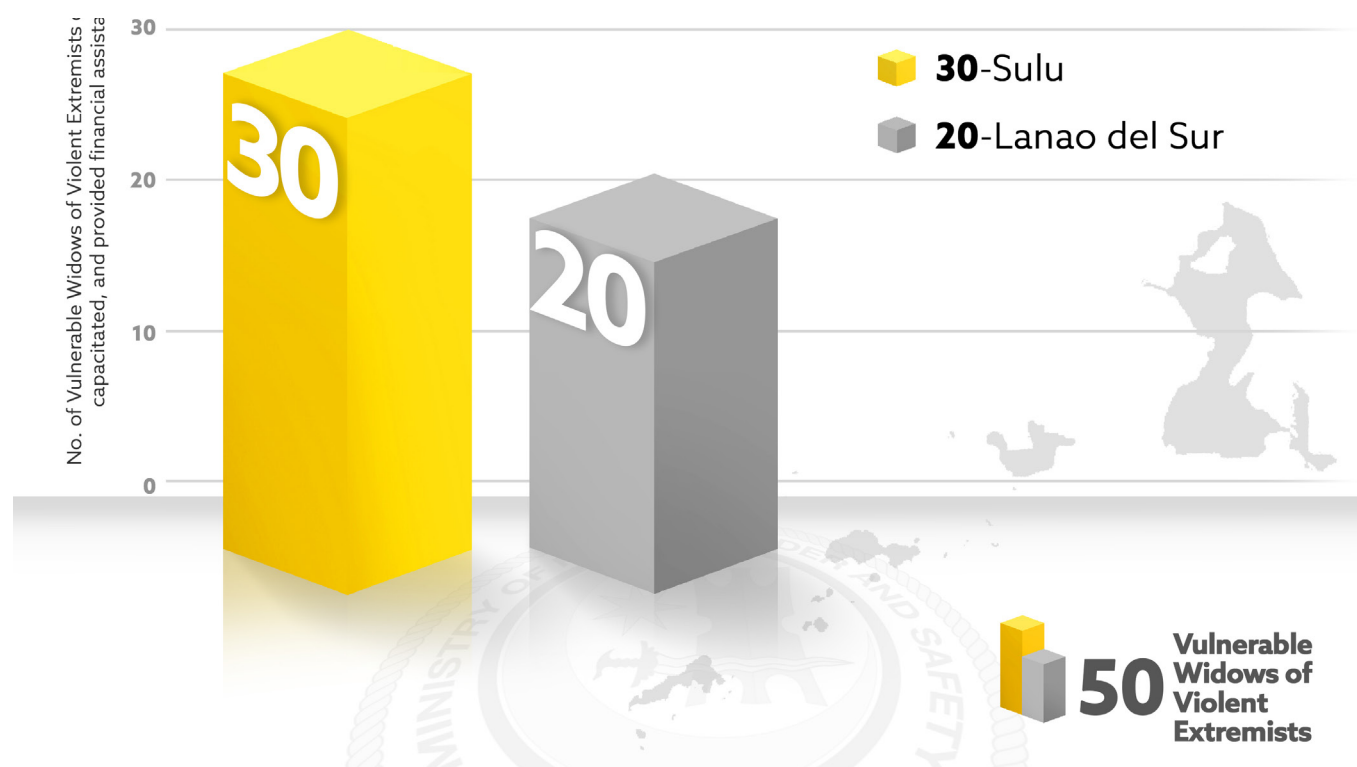


Figure 3.2 No. of widows and martyrs organized, capacitated, and provided financial assistance



*“A former BIFF member received its financial assistance after the turn-over of their firearms to the Philippine Army.”*

## **156 former local insurgents receive peacebuilding interventions and financial assistance**

Financial assistance amounting to P10,000.00 was provided to the identified local insurgents to support their transition towards a peaceful and productive life. This financial aid aimed to alleviate their immediate economic challenges and serve as an incentive for them to embrace lawful means of livelihood. By offering this assistance, the government demonstrated its commitment in reintegrating former local insurgents as valuable resources for the region's progress.

In addition to financial support, the beneficiaries underwent comprehensive peacebuilding training, and were equipped with knowledge and skills related to conflict resolution, violence prevention, and peacebuilding. Topics covered included “Fundamentals of Conflict, Violence, and Peace,” “Building a Culture of Peace and Tools for Making Peace Work,” and “The Islamic Concept of Wasatiyyah (Moderation),” among others. These training programs were designed to empower the beneficiaries with the necessary tools and understanding to actively contribute to peacebuilding efforts in their communities.

The implementation process involved thorough profiling and listening sessions to identify and evaluate the individuals who would benefit from the initiative. These beneficiaries were former members of extremist groups such as the Abu Sayyaf Group, Maute Group, and Bangsamoro



Islamic Freedom Fighters. The profiling and listening sessions enabled a comprehensive understanding of their needs, aspirations, and potential for reintegration.

The AFP endorses the FLIs to the Ministry, and is subject to verification by the project proponent, ensured the credibility and integrity of the selection process.

The primary goal of the intervention is to reinforce the government’s efforts in ensuring that these individuals remain law-abiding citizens, while also striving to encourage and attract local insurgents to renounce violence and contribute positively to the region’s development.

Breakdown of former local insurgents who were capacitated and provided financial assistance is shown below:



“Former BIFF members were officially recognized by the Ministry and AFP and granted their financial assistance in Maguindanao.”

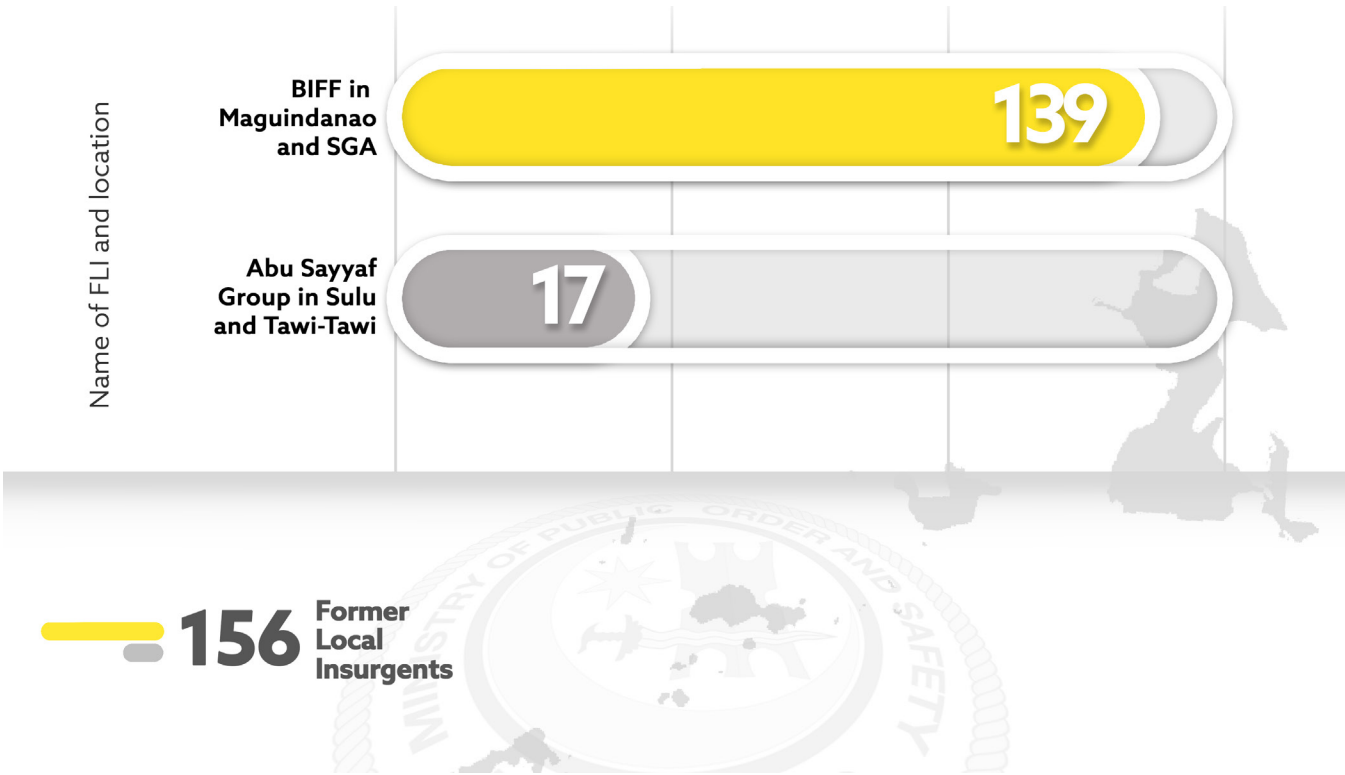


Figure 3.3 No. of formal local insurgents capacitated and provided with assistance



*Vulnerable orphans received their financial assistance after psychosocial intervention and workshops on peacebuilding in Lanao del Sur.*

## **MPOS provides interventions for 50 Orphans of Violent Extremists from LDS**

In an effort to address their immediate needs, the identified orphans of violent extremists received financial assistance amounting to P10,000.00. This support aimed to cater to their basic needs, providing them with essential resources and a sense of security. By offering this assistance, the government sought to not only meet their tangible requirements but instill hope toward a renewed appreciation for life.

To further empower and nurture these orphans, they underwent peacebuilding workshops and psychosocial interventions. These programs were designed to equip them with necessary skills to peacefully settle grievances and conflicts, fostering a mindset of dialogue, understanding, and nonviolence.

By providing these resources and training, the initiative aimed to break the cycle of violence and ensure that these children will have the opportunity to grow as responsible, compassionate, and peaceful individuals.

The beneficiaries' profiles were meticulously managed through a service provider with extensive connections to the community. This ensured that the selection process was thorough to avoid duplication with verified information as provided by the project proponent.

The development of this intervention specifically for vulnerable orphans reflects the government's proactive approach to address the concerning issue of orphans of violent extremists being at a higher risk of recruitment or voluntary association with extremist groups. By providing support, peacebuilding interventions, and financial assistance, the Ministry aims to create an environment that promotes resilience, rehabilitation, and a positive future for these orphans.

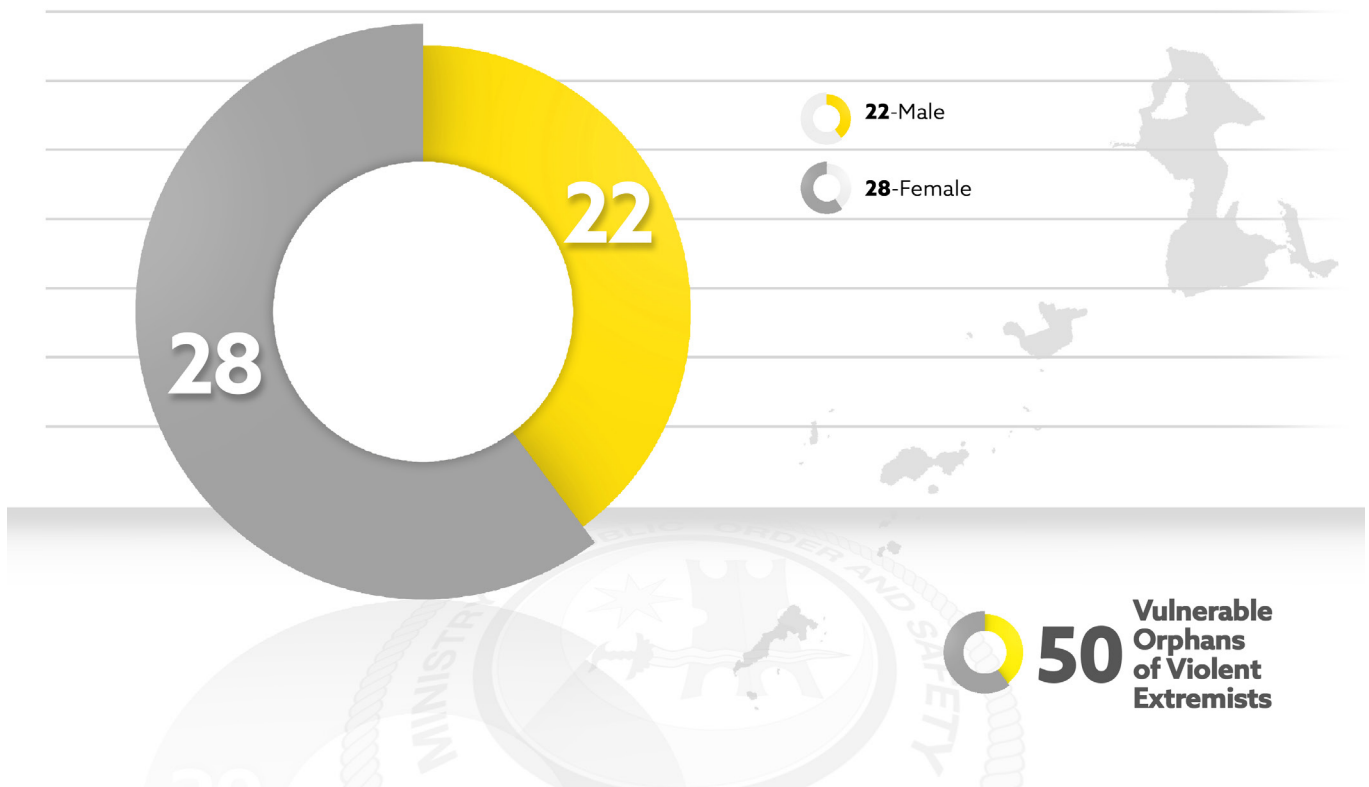


Figure 3.4 No. of vulnerable orphans of violent extremists capacitated and provided with assistance





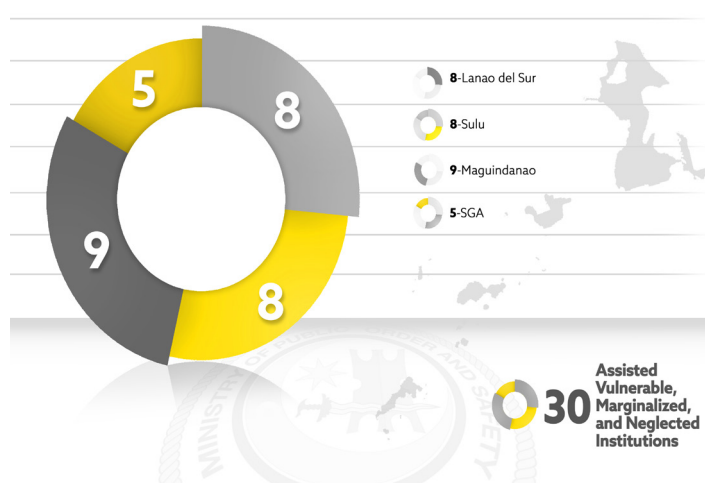
*Armed Forces Officers offered assistance in constructing classroom furniture*

## 30 institutions consider vulnerable, marginalized, and neglected receive financial assistance

30 vulnerable, marginalized, and neglected institutions received Php 30,000.00 as financial support for repairs, the purchase of materials and equipment, as well as the distribution of essential relief goods such as rice, grocery items, and hygiene kits.

The primary goal of this initiative is to bolster the operational and administrative functions of these institutions, enabling them to sustain their efforts in promoting peace and harmony.

This project is the Ministry's effort to empower these institutions to help continue their valuable work within conflict-affected areas. These institutions, which include Madrasahs, Torils, and Masajid, were specifically targeted due to their vulnerability to becoming breeding grounds for violent extremism. Moreover, many of these institutions lacked support from both government agencies and non-government organizations,



*Figure 3.5 No. of vulnerable, marginalized, and neglected institutions assisted*

further highlighting their marginalized status. The institutions were thoroughly profiled and assessed to ensure the effectiveness and fairness of the assistance provided. This initiative sought to strengthen the resilience of these institutions and mitigate the vulnerability they face.



*"A student from the MSU Tawi-Tawi participated in the open forum on moral governance during the peace promotion fellowship in Tawi-Tawi."*

## **MPOS intensifies peace interventions in the Island Provinces through Bangsamoro Peace Promotion Fellowship**

The Ministry of Public Order and Safety (MPOS) culminated the National Peace Consciousness Month through a 1-day Bangsamoro Peace Promotion Fellowship, where it gathered 200 Fundamentals of Peace Education 101 (FPE-101) students of MSU Tawi-Tawi, academe, civil society organizations, local government unit, law enforcement agencies, and security sector held at the MSU-TCTO Gymnasium, on September 30, 2022. The fellowship focused on discussions about modest gains of moral governance in Tawi-Tawi; narratives and advocacies of the sectoral peace partners of Tawi-Tawi for the youth, women, and academe; and the challenges of defending and sustaining peace in the province in the context of illegal drugs.

Similarly, the said fellowship was also conducted in the province of Basilan in partnership with the Philippine Information Agency, the Provincial Government of Basilan, and the Nagdilaab Foundation. The fellowship was conducted during the Mindanao Week of Peace on May 25, 2022 to raise consciousness on the narratives of the Basileños during the struggles, atrocities, and violence that once tainted the island province of Basilan. This initiative significantly conducted to gather students, CSOs, LGUs, LEAs, and security sector from remote, vulnerable, and conflict-affected areas and provide a venue where they can share local perspectives on the recurring and emerging peace and security situations in their communities, and at the same time engage them in solving such. This fellowship plays a crucial role in the BARMM region by fostering moral governance, amplifying marginalized voices, addressing challenges related to illegal drugs, promoting multi-stakeholder engagement, and empowering remote and conflict-affected areas. These points collectively highlight the significance and impact of the fellowship in contributing to peacebuilding and development efforts in the region.





*"Ms. Abdullah of Sulu bagged the prize for the Quest of the Bangsamoro Peace Champions 2022."*

## Bangsamoro Peace Champions 2022: Grassroots peacebuilders on rise

Ms. Wahida Abdullah's exceptional dedication to peacebuilding and advocacy led her to be recognized as the 2022 Bangsamoro Peace Champion. After a rigorous selection process, she bested 32 other applicants through a series of panel interviews and screenings that evaluated their advocacies and peacebuilding initiatives. Ms. Abdullah's organization, Gagandilan Mindanao Women Inc., focuses on empowering women and widows of local insurgents in Sulu. In recognition of her outstanding contributions, Ms. Abdullah was granted a substantial cash reward of Php100,000.00. This significant award serves as a testament to her dedication that led to the positive impact she has in her community.

Moreover, the rigorous selection process ensured that only the most deserving individuals were considered, further solidifying the prestige of the BPC award.

In addition to Ms. Abdullah's remarkable achievement, the program also celebrated the efforts of the Top 4 finalists who each received a cash prize of Php 50,000.00. These finalists are Police Captain Razul G. Pandulo of Maguindanao with the peace initiative called "Nagkakaisang Komunidad,"; Mr. Benladin M. Macarampat with his "Project Pagari"; Ms. Connie G. Dumato, women advocate for women's participation in the mediation process of horizontal conflicts; and Mr. Jamal M. Baulo with his peace initiative titled "Project Cinemapya.

These peacebuilders were commended for their exemplary peacebuilding initiatives and advocacies that have significantly contributed to the betterment of the Bangsamoro region. By recognizing and supporting these local peacebuilders, the BPC program aims to foster a culture of peace and provide much-needed encouragement for grassroots communities in BARMM.





*"CBCS Chairperson Alim delivered his topic on Cultural Sensitivity during the first cohort of Bangsamoro Peace Institute."*

## MPOS launches BPI: trains 40 law enforcers on peacebuilding

The Ministry trained 40 law enforcers from the 6th Infantry Division and 103rd Infantry Brigade of the 1st Infantry Division of the Philippine Army and provincial police officers from the Police Regional Office Bangsamoro Autonomous Region (PRO-BAR) through the Bangsamoro Peace Institute (BPI) on December 8 to 11, 2022, at the Park-Inn Hotel in Davao City. Participants from PNP Special Action Force (PNP-SAF) trained in the second cohort took place on January 15-18, 2023. The training brought together participants and demonstrated its commitment to peacebuilding.

The training covered a range of topics crucial to the participants' roles as law enforcers to address the specific needs of the Bangsamoro region, including Moral Governance, Bangsamoro Peace Process, Updates on Normalization and Decommissioning, Building a Culture of Peace and Cultural Sensitivity in the Bangsamoro, Gender and Peacebuilding, Tools to Make Peace Work, and Alternative Dispute Resolution in BARMM. The discussions and workshops aimed to equip the trainees with the necessary knowledge and skills to effectively contribute to peace, public order, and safety in their respective areas of responsibility. The selection of topics for the training was a collaborative effort between the participants and the Ministry. Through a series of coordination meetings with partner non-government organizations and stakeholders, the project was carefully studied and planned to ensure its effectiveness and relevance.

"I appreciate the lecture on Moral Governance. Ngayon, naiintindihan na namin ang goal ng Bangsamoro Government through Moral Governance principle. Kami po ay inyong kabahagi sa pagpapalaganap ng kapayapaan sa Bangsamoro." Col. Ricky Bunayog of 6th ID PA, one of the cohort participants said in a sharing session.



*"An Islamic religious leader during his discussion on the significance of faith in achieving peace and unity beyond religious differences."religious differences."religious differences."*

## Religious sectors from BARMM provinces engage in powerful conversations through dialogues

The Ministry gathered 26 religious leaders from Tawi-Tawi to discuss their important roles in conflict sensitivity and peace promotion in the BARMM through the intra-faith dialogue held at the Almari Beach Resort, Bongao, Tawi-Tawi. Through the powerful conversation with the religious sectors involving the youth, the Ministry organized three (3) peace dialogues in Tawi-Tawi, Special Geographic Areas, and Maguindanao.

The dialogue provided a platform for religious leaders to exchange perspectives, share insights, and discuss strategies for fostering peace and harmony in their communities. One of the central themes of the dialogue was the importance of unity, mutual understanding, and coexistence among different religions and beliefs. By emphasizing these values, the leaders aimed to mitigate the potential for conflicts that may arise due to religious differences. Through intra-faith dialogue, the Ministry sought to highlight the significance of religious leaders as influential figures who can contribute to building a peaceful society in the BARMM. The discussions focused on the role of religious teachings and principles in promoting tolerance, respect, and peaceful coexistence among diverse religious communities. By fostering dialogue and collaboration among religious leaders, the Ministry aimed to harness their collective wisdom and influence to prevent conflicts and promote a culture of peace in the region.





*"MPOS partner stakeholders in their workshop on an action plan to the pressing issues and concerns on public order and safety in Pikit, North Cotabato."*

## **MPOS and partners craft action plan for violent conflict in SGA through dialogue**

In November 2022, the Ministry gathered 24 community and religious leaders in the Special Geographic Area (SGA) for an interfaith dialogue towards a peaceful community, where they crafted an action plan to address the pressing issues and concerns on public order and safety, particularly in Pikit, North Cotabato. The dialogue is a direct response of the Ministry to the series of violent conflicts that resulted to the loss of lives in the Municipality of Pikit and discussed collaborative efforts among leaders in SGA by taking part in helping resolve the pressing issues and identifying ways how to influence and promote peaceful co-existence in SGA, including the creation of a Religious-Military Advisory Group.

During the dialogue, the community and religious leaders actively participated in the crafting of the stage to tailor the specific needs and challenges of the SGA. The action plan focused on identifying strategies and initiatives that would contribute to promoting peaceful coexistence in the area.

One notable outcome of the dialogue was the creation of a Religious-Military Advisory Group, which aimed to facilitate collaboration between religious leaders and the military in addressing issues of public order and safety.

This initiative exemplified the Ministry's proactive stance in addressing the challenges faced by the SGA and highlighted the value of interfaith cooperation in promoting peace and stability. Through the collective efforts of community and religious leaders, the dialogue laid the foundation for ongoing collaboration and shared responsibility in working towards a peaceful and harmonious community in Pikit.





## Young Bangsamoro Peace Advocates engage in the Tri-People Summit

*“Tri-people youth were actively prepared and participated in the ways in achieving peace organized by the facilitator during the Tri-People Summit in Cotabato City.”*

The Ministry gathered 36 young Bangsamoro peace advocates from different tribes in the region for the three-day summit conducted at the Em Manor Hotel, Cotabato City, on November 28-December 1, 2022. The three-day summit aimed to empower and inspire these young advocates to actively contribute to peacebuilding efforts in the BARMM.

Throughout the summit, the participants engaged in a series of dynamic learning sessions focused on essential topics related to peace, conflict, and violence. These sessions included discussions on the Fundamentals of Peace, Conflict, and Violence; Promoting Religious Tolerance; History of Peace; and the Importance of Gender in Peacebuilding. By covering these diverse subjects, the Ministry sought to provide a comprehensive understanding of the various dimensions and factors involved in peacebuilding.

The summit was aligned with the broader initiative known as the “Mindanao People’s Peace Summit,” which aimed to create a safe and peaceful space for discourse, solidarity, and action in pursuit of peace and justice for grassroots

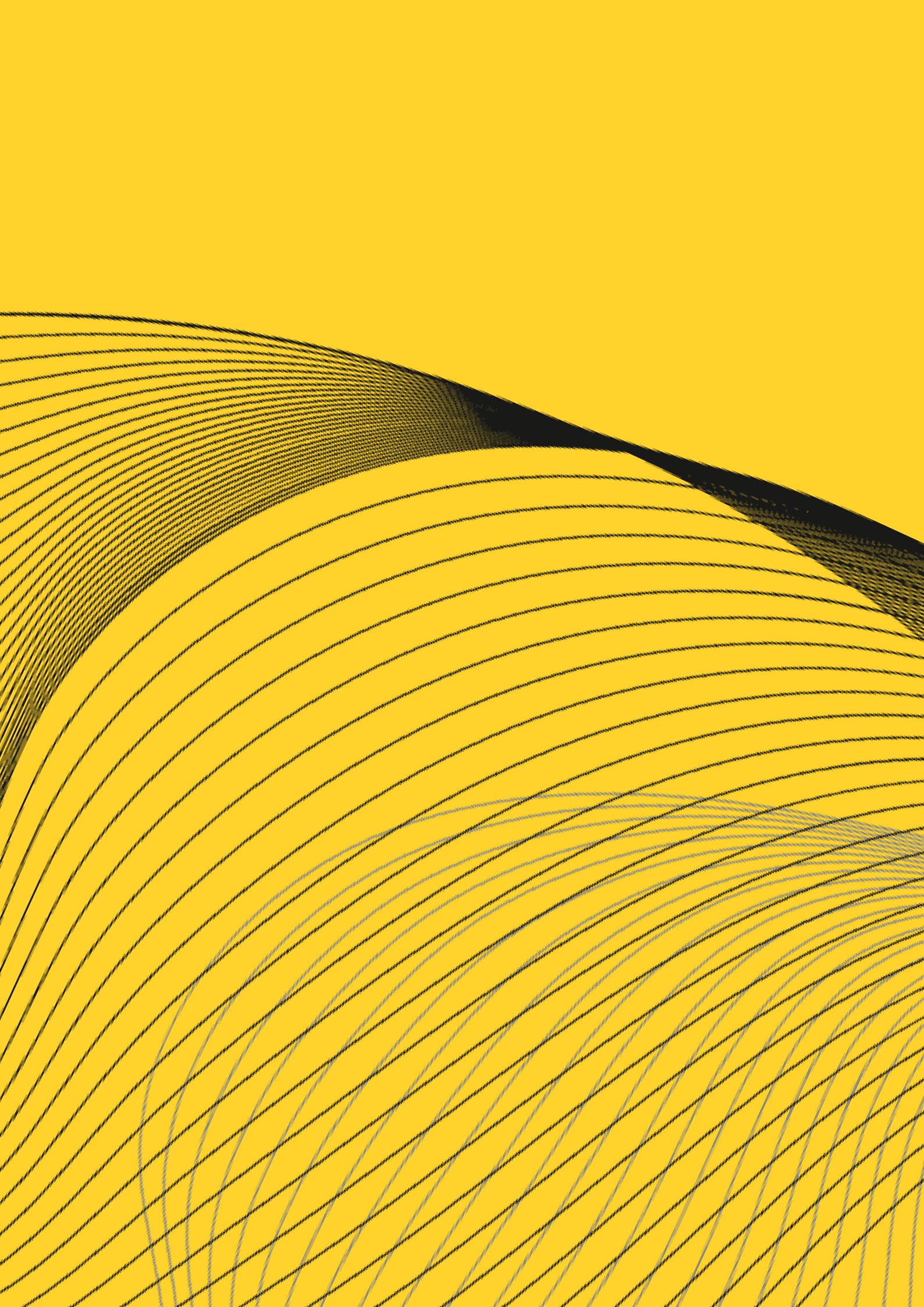
Moros, Lumads, and migrants.

“Marami po sa youth ang di nakakakilala sa aming tribo” participant Hassy, a peace advocate from the Kagan tribe of the Davao region stated. “Pero dahil sa summit na ito, na-aware po sila sa existence ng tribong Kagan”

According to Minister Hussein P Muñoz, “We chose you because we believe that you have a crucial part in peace building for the nation.” The Ministry’s commitment to organizing such a summit showcased its dedication to nurturing a new generation of peace advocates who can actively contribute to the region’s peacebuilding journey. By providing a space for learning, collaboration, and networking, the summit empowered these young peace advocates to become catalysts for positive change in their respective communities. The event served as a vital stepping stone in building a strong network of young leaders who are passionate about promoting peace, harmony, and reconciliation in the BARMM.

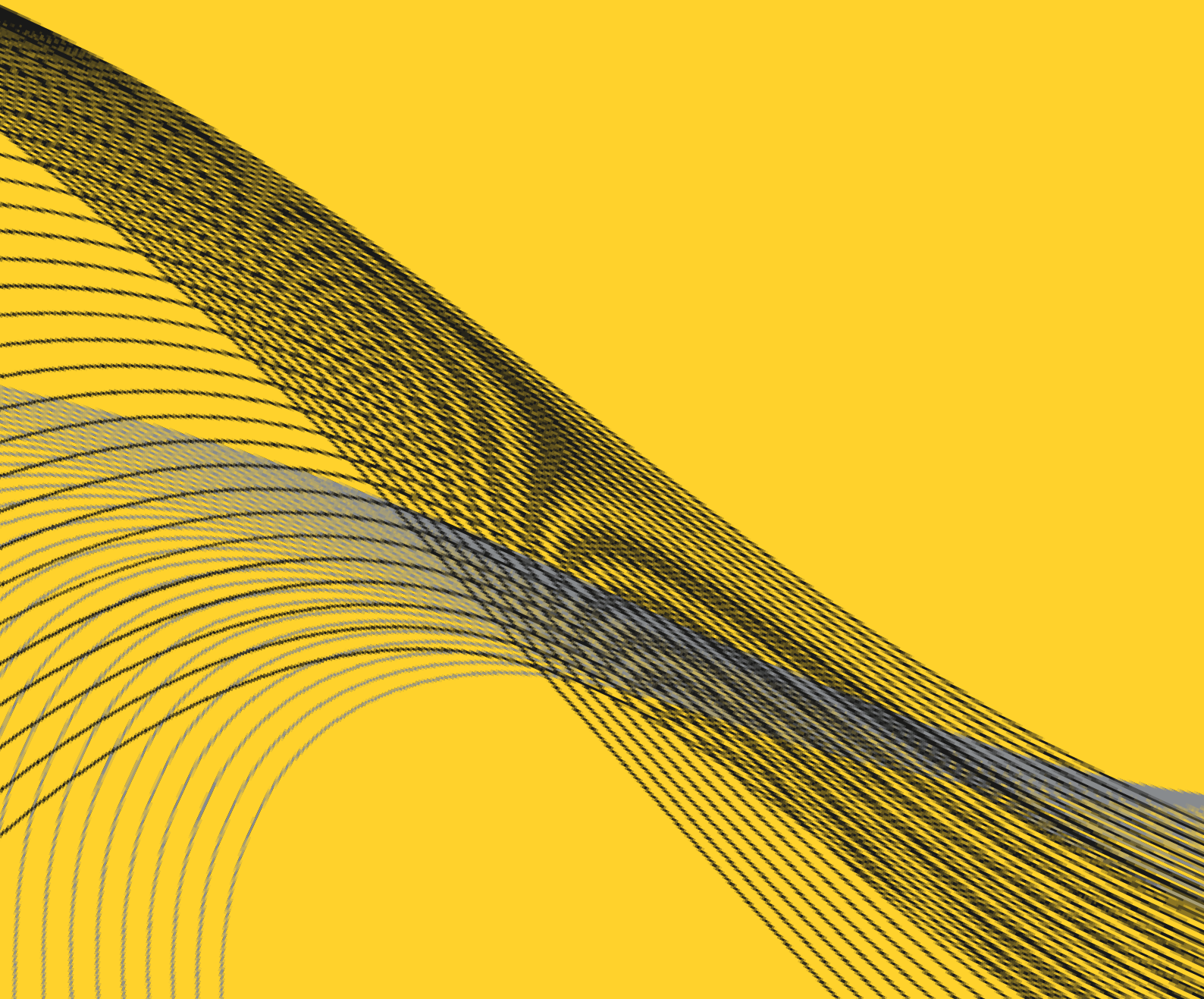






# **PBHE**

**POPULARIZATION  
OF BANGSAMORO  
HISTORICAL EVENTS**





The Ministry of Public Order and Safety (MPOS) is mandated under the Bangsamoro Administrative Code to conduct programs, projects, and activities relating to peace building, reconciliation, and unification. This is to complement the Bangsamoro Parliament in its efforts to establish a Transitional Justice and Reconciliation Commission in the region and in its transitional, justice and reconciliation efforts as stated in the Bangsamoro Organic Law. In addition, Proclamation No. 0001, s.2021, issued by the Chief Minister declared March 2021 and every year thereafter as “Bangsamoro History Month” and tasked the MPOS to lead the commemoration or celebration of historical events that transpired in the Month of March.

In view of these, the MPOS devised the Popularization of Bangsamoro Historical Events as part of its endeavor to promote transitional justice, reconciliation, and unification in the Bangsamoro



*Mr. Sumpingan, from the Bangsamoro Transition Authority – Office of MP Mangudadato, the champion of the first-ever Tagisan ng Talino*

## **BTA staff hails as the “Tagisan ng Talino 2022” champion in the Bangsamoro History Month**

18 applicants participated in the first-ever Tagisan ng Talino 2022: An Inter-Agency Bangsamoro History Quiz Bee” on March 25, 2022, Mr. Mahadudin P. Sumpingan of the Bangsamoro Transition Authority — Office of MP Mangudadatu declared as a champion of Tagisan ng Talino: An Inter-Agency Bangsamoro History Quiz Bee” spearheaded by the Ministry, held at Al-Nor Convention Center Hall 2, Cotabato City.

In the difficult round, Mr. Sumpingan garnered 75 points, one question ahead of the 1st runner-up Nezzar U. Ali of Mindanao State University-Maguindanao, and took home Php10,000 cash prize and a plaque of recognition from the Ministry of Public Order and Safety. Meanwhile, as part of the BHM, Ms. Ali and 2nd runner-up Ms. Farissa L. Abas of MSU-Maguindanao received Php 7,000 and Php 5,000 cash prize and plaque, respectively.

Participants from the Ministry of Social Services and Development (MSSD), Ministry of Basic, Higher, and Technical Education (MBHTE), Ministry of Public Works (MPW), Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries, and Agrarian Reform (MAFAR), Bangsamoro Planning and Development Authority (BPDA), Bangsamoro Women’s Commission (BWC), BARMM national high schools, universities, and organizations, all came to compete in the said quiz bee. This event brought together representatives from diverse ministries, educational institutions, and organizations, each demonstrating their commitment to promoting excellence and preserving the rich cultural heritage of the Bangsamoro people.



*“Ang CAB ay hindi lamang isang dokumento na nilagdaan noong 2014, ang pinaka-core niya ay ang Framework Agreement on the Bangsamoro. Ang istorya natin bilang Bangsamoro ay dumaan at nakaranas ng iba’t ibang historical injustices at marginalization”, Minister Atty. Raissa Jajurie of MSSD.*

The Ministry conducted the second Bangsamoro Peace Forum dubbed as “CABataang CABabaihan sa Ika-Walong Anibersaryo ng Comprehensive Agreement on the Bangsamoro (CAB)” to commemorate the historic signing that affirmed the commitment between the Government of the Philippines (GPH) and the Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF) in 2014.

The forum discussed the role of women in the Bangsamoro peace process on March 27, 2022, held at the Shariff Kabunsuan Cultural Complex, in collaboration with the Bangsamoro Youth Commission.

“This day marks the beginning of our incredible journey towards building a bureaucracy dedicated to every Bangsamoro. Their sacrifices and to assure our next generation of a better future,” Chief Minister Ahod B. Ebrahim stated in a recorded speech.

Member of Parliament and Ministry of Social Services and Development (MSSD) Minister Atty. Raissa Jajurie presented the salient features of the CAB in front of 150 individuals from youth, women, and civil society organizations participants.

## MPOS hosts 2nd Bangsamoro Peace Forum



## MPOS tributes the 3rd Anniversary of BARMM inauguration



*The third-year momentous Inauguration of the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM) and the inaugural session of the Bangsamoro Transition Authority (BTA) took place on March 29, 2022.*

On March 29, 2019, the Bangsamoro Government and the interim eighty (80) Members of Parliament of the Bangsamoro Transition Authority were officially sworn in, assuming the responsibility of shaping the region's future held at the Shariff Kabunsuan Cultural Complex.

This significant event marked a new era for the Bangsamoro people, granting them the authority and means to exercise their right to self-determination. BARMM was established as a result of lengthy peace negotiations between the government and the Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF).

The commemoration of these two historic occasions aligns with the observance of Bangsamoro History Month, as stated in Proclamation No. 0001, s. 2021 by the Office of the Chief Minister.

The theme of Bangsamoro History Month was "Strengthening BARMM through the lessons of the past and the promises of the future." Throughout this month-long celebration, the rich and extensive history of the Bangsamoro people was highlighted, encompassing significant events such as the Bud Dajo Massacre, the Jabidah Massacre, Dansalan Declaration, All Out War, the signing of the Comprehensive Agreement on the Bangsamoro, the inauguration of BARMM, and the inaugural session of the Bangsamoro Transition Authority, among others.



*The Ministry went to Corregidor, Cavite to pay tribute to the lost lives in commemoration of the 54th Jabidah Massacre on March 18, 2022.*

# MPOS commemorates historical injustices in Bangsamoro

On 18 March 2022, the Ministry commemorated the Jabidah Massacre at Corregidor, Cavite. The 54-year-old tragedy (Jabidah Massacre) served as the triggering point of the Moro Rebellion in Mindanao during the Marcos era and to call for the independence of Mindanao from the Philippines and formed the Mindanao Independence Movement (MIM). The commemoration of the Jabidah Massacre is a form of recognition of the despair experienced by the Bangsamoro. It is an initiative towards healing the past, reconciliation, and unity of all the peoples in the country

The Battle of Bayang was the first and fiercest battle between the Moro and the American army in the Philippines that happened on May 2, 1902. Moros fought against the American rule during the Philippine-American War in order to protect their homeland, among others. The Ministry and the local government of Bayang Municipality, Lanao del Sur commemorated the 120th anniversary of the Battle of Bayang known as “Padang Karbala” at Barangay, Sultan Pandapatan, Bayang, Lanao del Sur on May 2, 2022.

*The Ministry commemorated the 120th anniversary of the Battle of Bayang known as “Padang Karbala” in Bayang, Lanao del Sur.*





On June 19, 2022, the Ministry commemorated the Manili Massacre at the Manili, Carmen, North Cotabato. June 19, 1971, seventy (70) Muslim Moros were gathered inside a Masjid by members of the Police Constabulary on the pretext of a peaceful discussion. Officials and employees visited the Manili memorial site and paid respect to the lost lives of Bangsamoro people who were then the victims of the infamous Manili massacre that took place in Brgy. Manili, Carmen, North Cotabato. This historical incident is one of the fateful parts of the Bangsamoro history that caused people to call for justice and demand their right to self-determination. The activity includes learning sessions, conversations with the survivors, study tour, provision of relief items, medical check-up and other social healing activities. MPOS believes that remembering and preserving the historical narrative of Manili will help in the achievement of the implementation of the transitional justice and reconciliation in the Bangsamoro.

The Malisbong Massacre is among the historical injustices committed against the Bangsamoro people during Martial Law on September 24, 1974, in Barangay Malisbong, Palimbang, Sultan Kudarat. The Ministry led the commemoration of the uneventful 48th Malisbong Massacre at the site of the incident to pay respect and honor to the memories of the fallen victims and their bereaved families through “Revisiting the past, shaping the future while bringing the Bangsamoro Government closer to the people.” During the commemoration on September 24, 2022, the Bangsamoro Government provided medical services, livelihood packages, and welfare assistance to the survivors and their surrounding communities.



*The Ministry recognized the families of the victims of the Manili Massacre in Carmen, North Cotabato.*



*MPOS Minister Hussein P. Muñoz paid respect to the families of the victims Malisbong Massacre in Palimbang, Sultan Kudarat.*

## Popularization of Bangsamoro Historical Events



Figure 4.1 Timeline of Bangsamoro historical events in 2022



## MPOS conducts TJR in Lanao del Sur

The Bangsamoro region is at a turning point in its history to ensure that transitional justice and reconciliation are essential. The area has experienced violent conflicts for years, many of which have their roots in long-standing historical resentment, marginalization, and political tension. In order to address these problems and bring about long-lasting peace, the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao (BARMM) was established. But only a thorough procedure of transitional justice and reconciliation can lead to genuine healing and transformation.

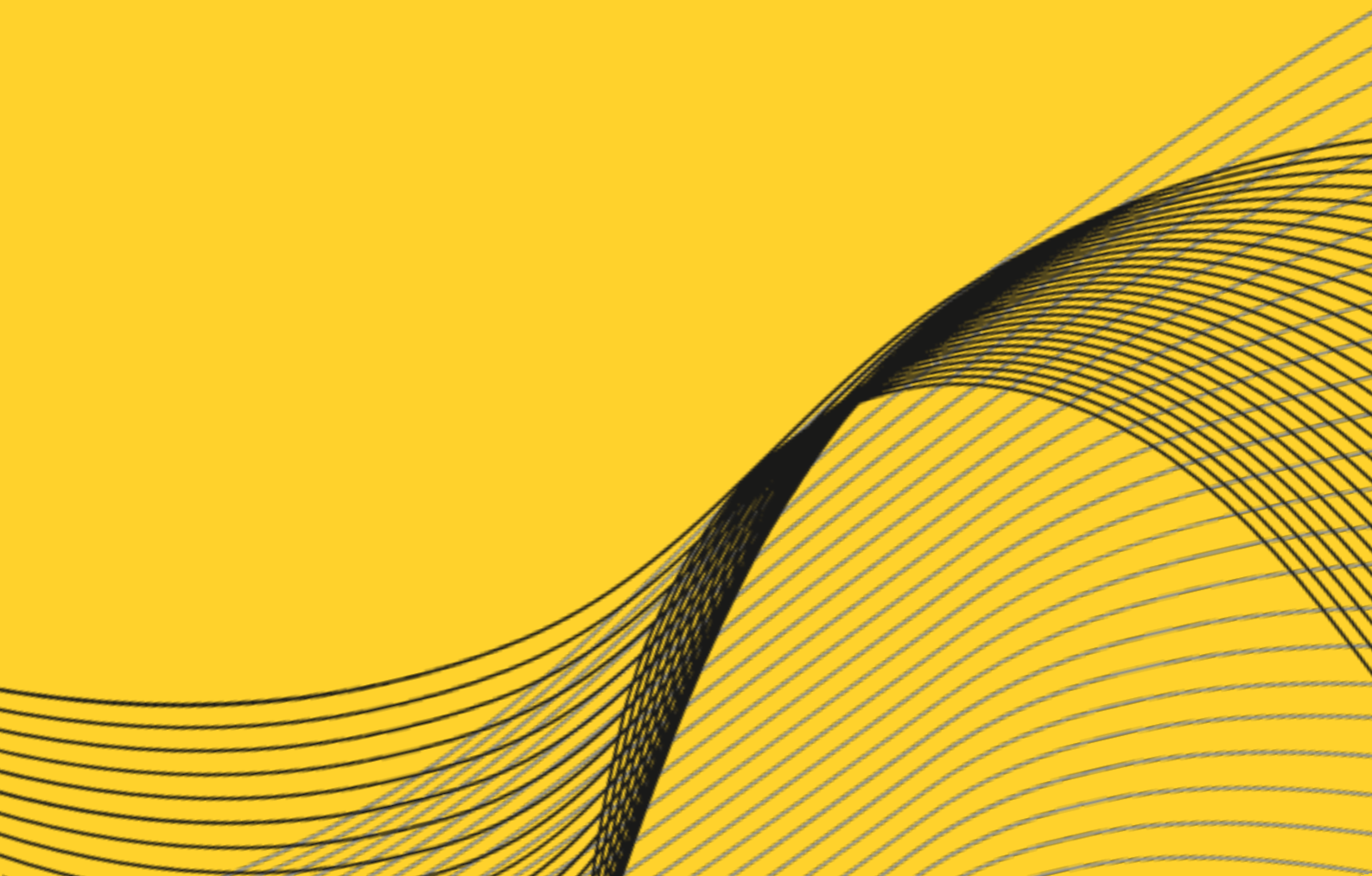
More than 200 individuals consisting of Marawi Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs), civil society organizations (CSO), peace practitioners, Transitional Justice and Reconciliation (TJR) advocates, and other stakeholders participated in the Forum on Transitional Justice and Reconciliation: A Conversation on the Marawi Siege Victims Compensation Act of 2022 (RA 11696), at Mindanao State University (MSU) Pavilion, Marawi City on May 2, 2022.

During the activity, Sittie Janine Gamao of MPOS, discussed the TJR principles and pillars in relation to the recently passed Marawi Siege Victims Compensation Act of 2022. Moreover, the same also served as a safe space for the IDPs to raise their concerns while living in temporary shelters for almost five years. The activity is part of the Ministry's peace-building efforts towards lasting peace in the Bangsamoro Autonomous Region in Muslim Mindanao.

*"Sittie Janine M. Gamao, PPO IV in her discussion on Transitional Justice and Reconciliation with the victims of Marawi siege."*



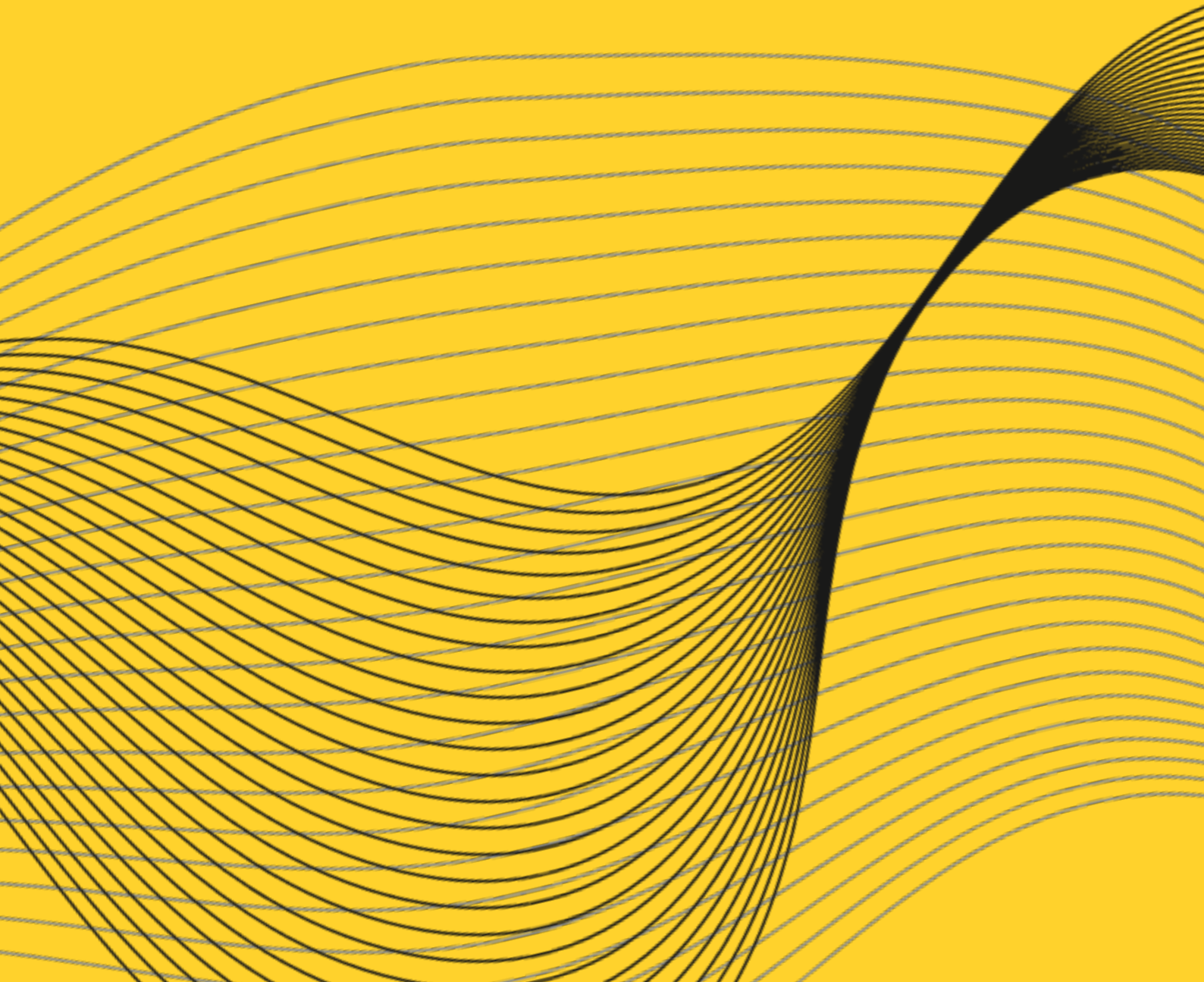






# **SAPA**

**SUSTAINABLE AGREEMENT FOR  
PEACE AND ADVANCEMENT**



This program is one of the banner programs of the ministry that seeks to address rido being one of the main impediments in achieving sustainable peace and development in the region. It aims to enable policies, programs, mechanisms, approaches, actors and stakeholders such as local mediators and concerned agencies to effectively implement rido settlement efforts, conduct research and studies on improving rido settlement in the region, formulate responsive interventions to prevent rido, engage in the reduction and settlement of rido, and implement programs for the rehabilitation of rido-stricken communities, as well as to support the strengthening and establishment of alternative dispute resolution mechanism that can sustain and reinforce rido settlement-related interventions in the communities.



Local mediator from Maguindanao explained the process of identification and evaluation of rido based on the process given by the MPOS. on March 18, 2022. religious differences."religious differences."religious differences."

## MPOS capacitates 303 local mediators across the region

A total of 303 local mediators, 180 men and 123 women across the region trained with capacity development training. 25 in Maguindanao, 60 in Lanao del Sur, 40 in Basilan, 66 in Sulu, 52 in Tawi-tawi, and 50 in Special Geographic Areas.

Empowering local mediators both women and men contribute to improving, advancing and sustaining their endeavors to prevent and reduce rido. Interventions to local mediators include capacity development trainings as well as logistics and financial support for their organizations to further strengthen their organizations, advocacies, and activities related to rido.

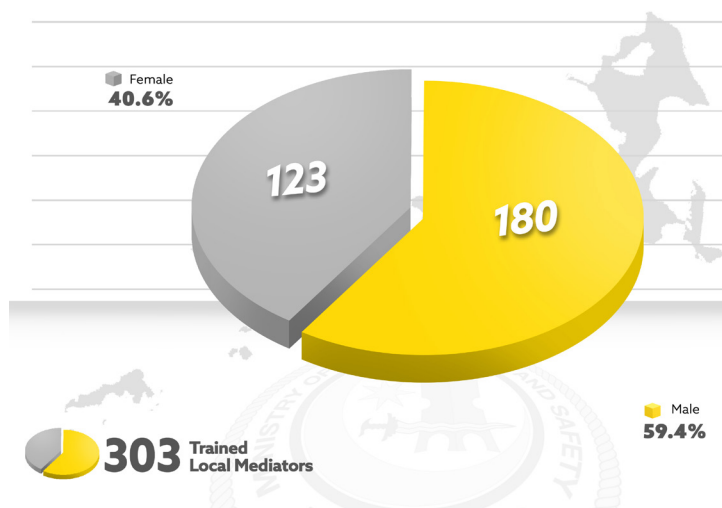


Figure 5.1 No. of local mediators trained



## Lanao del Sur

In Lanao del Sur, the Ministry took proactive steps to enhance the capacities of local mediators by organizing a development training held on 5-6 March 2022 at the Ragayan Training Center in Marantao. It brought together 40 participants from esteemed organizations such as Ranao Welfare and Reconciliation Committee Inc. (RWARCOM, Inc.), Reconciliation Committee Inc., and the Salam Task Force. The training focused on two crucial aspects: basic financial management and processes for non-government organizations and organizational development interventions. By equipping the participants with knowledge and skills in these areas, the Ministry aimed to foster organizational growth and efficiency.

The training program specifically emphasized the importance of developing key skills required within the organizations, including Facilitation Skills, Communication Skills, Documentation Skills, and Project Management Skills.

By highlighting these essential competencies, the Ministry enabled the participants to effectively contribute to their respective



*Col. Abdalbasher Bongcarawan explained the role of RWARCOM, Inc. local mediators in addressing disputes in Lanao del Sur as part of their capacity development.*

organizations and enhance their overall effectiveness. Through this capacity development, the Ministry empowered the participants and instill a deeper appreciation for organizational development. The Ministry fostered an environment where the participants could actively contribute to their organizations' success and positively impact the communities they served.



*"Local mediators from Maguindanao on their workshop on conflict monitoring and mapping during the Capacity Development Training."*

## Maguindanao

In Maguindanao, the Ministry trained 20 local mediators from Iranun Reconciliation Council (IRC), Political Committee (PolCom), and Timuay Justice and Governance (TJG) on 23-24 July 2022 held at the Pagana Native Restaurant, Cotabato City. They were capacitated on organizational management, negotiation, mediation, rido settlement, and conflict resolution in the province. The training includes topics on "ABCs and Circle of Conflict", "Dynamics of Communication and Non-violent Communication" and "Basics of Parliamentary Procedure." Further, the participants underwent interactive workshops and knowledge sharing.



*"Basilan Women Local Mediators on their workshop on identifying conflict indicators."*

## Basilan

In Basilan, the Ministry capacitated 40 partnered local mediators (20 men and 20 women) with relevant skills particularly on rido settlement as well as introduced the Ministry's intervention program for rido settlement and defined coordination and collaboration areas to gather recommendations on how to best address the problems on rido and to determine the possibilities of settling existing rido in the province and to develop an action plan and strategies on how to effectively implement the activities under the program. The activity was held on 28-29 July 2022 at Kasinnahan Hotel and Resort, Isabela City, Basilan.

## Sulu

In Sulu, the Ministry trained 66 active local mediators (30 men and 36 women) on 02-03 August 2022 at Notre Dame Review Center, Jolo, Sulu. The training served as an avenue for the local mediators to organize and establish a new group of mediators tentatively to be known as "Sulu Local Mediators", while its registration is on the process. The group is looking forward to registering their organization to the Security and Exchange Commission (SEC) and other accrediting institutions through the logistical and technical assistance of the Ministry.



*"Sulu Local Mediators on their workshop on identifying conflict indicators and mapping during the Capacity Development."*

## Tawi-Tawi

In Tawi-Tawi, the Ministry trained 52 local mediators (25 men and 27 women) on 01-02 June 2022. Series of lectures & discussions on mediation served as an avenue for them to share their experiences and challenges in mediating conflict in mediation their respective communities are also provided for them.



*"Women Local Mediators participated in the activity prepared by the facilitators during their Capacity Development."*





*"Discussion on technicalities on negotiation, mediation, and conflict resolution for the local mediators in Special Geographic Area."*



*Women local mediators from Lanao del Sur and SGA participated in the Intervention given to them.*

## Special Geographic Area

In the Special Geographic Areas, the Ministry conducted a capacity building for local mediators on 26-27 May 2022 at Rendezvous Function Hall, Pikit, North Cotabato where 50 individuals from MILF-Political Committee Midsayap Cluster, Area Coordinators of Kabacan and Carmen cluster, civil society organizations (CSO), and officials of local government units from the 63 Barangays of Special Geographic Areas of BARMM in North Cotabato participated to strengthen the technical know-how skills on negotiation, mediation, and conflict resolution of local mediators, but also to orient them the concept of alternative dispute resolution mechanisms.

Furthermore, the Ministry also convened 40 recognized women local mediators from Maguindanao, Lanao del Sur, and Bangsamoro Special Geographic Areas in a four-day capacity development training on 18-21 July 2022 at New Dawn Hotel, Cagayan de Oro City. This training reinforced and intensified the vital role of Bangsamoro women local mediators in conflict resolution in their respective Bangsamoro communities as well as strengthen the collaborative relationship with the Ministry. During the training, the participants underwent a series of lectures, workshops, and participatory action on "Nature and Dynamics of Conflict", "ABCs and Circle of Conflict", "Effective Communication", "principles of non-violent communication", and "Rido settlement program: Profiling and Documentation" and among others.

Further, they were also given the opportunity to plan their ways forward and strategies in creating secure and peaceful communities in their respective provinces.

The local mediator organizations and the number of mediators capacitated show below:

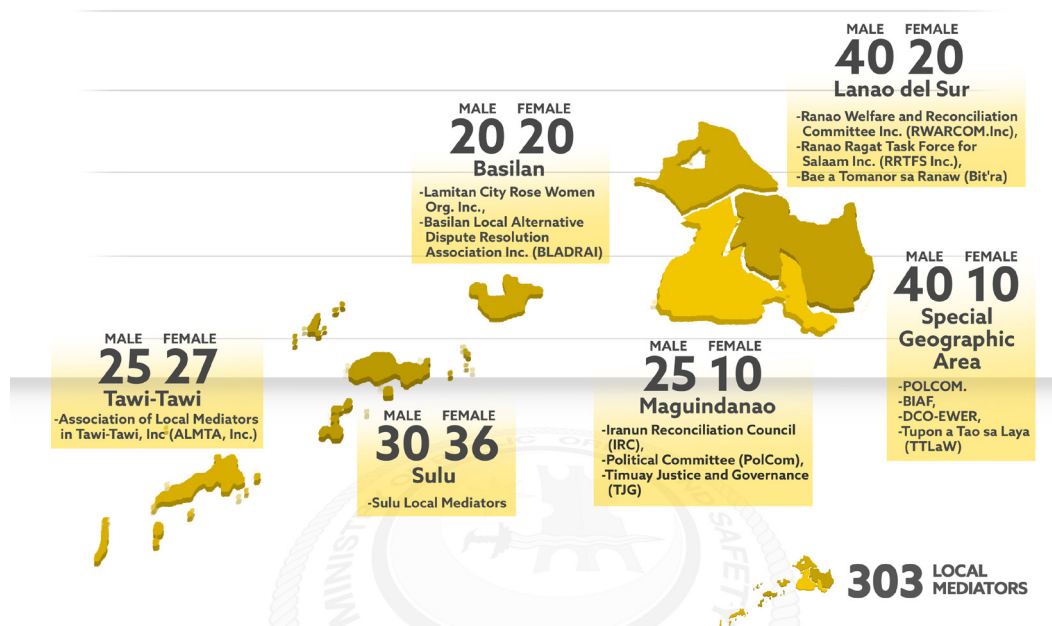


Figure 5.2 No. of local mediators across the BARMM



As of 2022, the Ministry profiled 577 rido cases. The profiling started in the year 2021 with a meticulous identification of partners on the ground, ensuring that the right individuals and organizations were involved. After this, an extensive effort was made to finalize the conflict profiling tool, ensuring its effectiveness and accuracy in capturing crucial information. Following this, the Ministry partnered with the Consortium of Bangsamoro Civil Society. (CBCS), and received an endorsement with the local government unit (LGU), solidifying their role in the endeavor.

In 2022, with a target number of 72 rido cases to resolve, the Ministry settled 92 rido cases. 33 in Lanao del Sur, 33 in Maguindanao, nine (9) in Basilan, six (6) in Sulu, four (4) in Tawi-Tawi, and five (5) in Special Geographic Areas.

# 92 rido cases settled in 2022

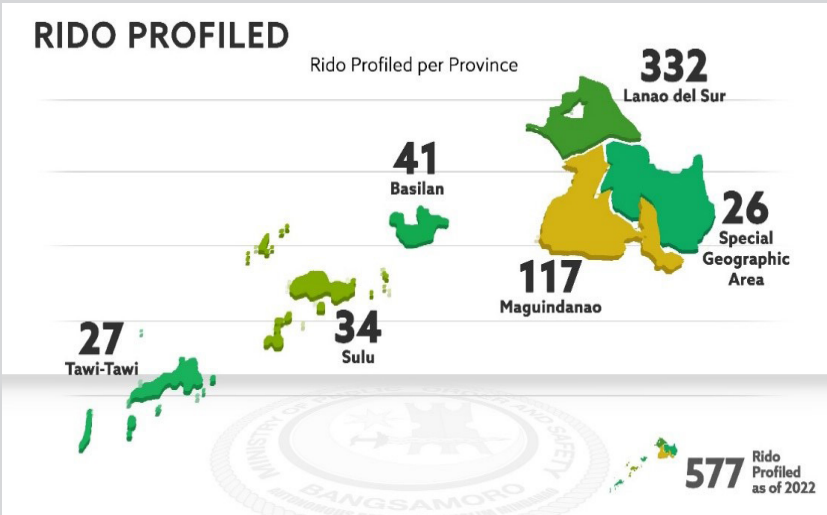


Figure 5.3 No. of rido profiled as of 2022

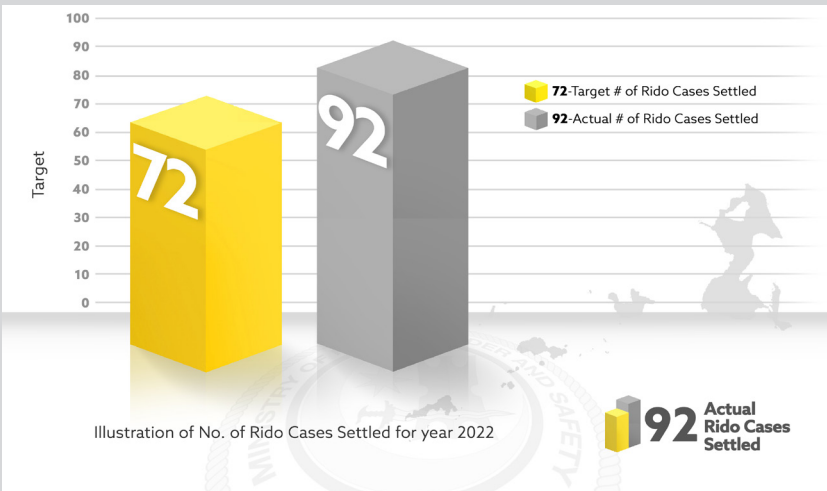


Figure 5.4 No. of rido cases settled for year 2022: Target vs. actual

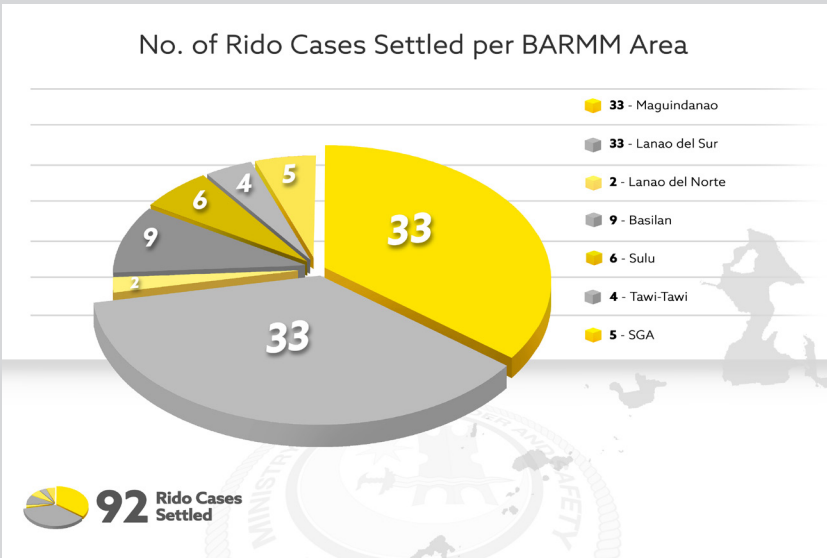


Figure 5.5 No. of rido cases settled per BARMM area

## Lanao del Sur

In Lanao del Sur, the Ministry has taken a proactive stance in addressing the pressing issue of rido, exemplified by their extensive profiling efforts. With a total of 332 rido cases profiled, Lanao del Sur stands as the province with the highest number of documented cases, underscoring the significance of the Ministry's work in this region. In 2022, the Ministry successfully resolved 33 cases, covering a range of conflicts like murder, marital disputes, vehicular accidents, shooting incidents, and tragic incidents resulting from elopement.

The CAOs collaborate with local stakeholders, such as local government units and local mediators to ensure a smooth settlement process. By incorporating community perspectives and working closely with local authorities, the Ministry fostered a collaborative approach that promotes long-term peace and stability in the province.

## Maguindanao

In the Province of Maguindanao, a commendable effort has been made by the Ministry to address the prevailing issue of rido, or clan feuds. Out of the 117 profiled rido cases, the Ministry has successfully resolved 33 cases, marking a significant step towards peace and harmony in the region. These cases encompass a range of conflicts, such as murder, land disputes, vehicular accidents, and other similar disputes that have caused strife among the local communities.

The settlement process has been effectively carried out through the collaborative efforts of the dedicated Community Affairs Officers (CAOs) in Maguindanao, working in close partnership with local mediators from the province. This collaborative approach ensures that the settlement process remains inclusive and representative of the parties' needs and concerns.

The CAOs diligently inform the parties involved, carefully explaining the steps involved in the resolution process. By providing clear communication and guidance, the CAOs set the foundation for a transparent and accountable process, fostering trust, and understanding among the disputing parties.

*Two reconciled parties pledged to the Holy Quran for a peaceful and united relationship during the rido-settlement.*

*"Kapasadan (Agreement) between the reconciled parties Buldon, Maguindanao."*







*"Reconciled families with their covenant during the Rido settlement in Ungkaya Pukan, Basilan."*

## Basilan

In Basilan, the Ministry has made significant strides in resolving rido cases, and successfully settled 9 out of the 41 profiled cases. These cases often revolve around contentious issues such as land disputes, political disagreements, and acts of murder, highlighting the complexity of conflicts faced by the province. To ensure a comprehensive and effective settlement process, the CAOs in Basilan actively collaborated with various local entities, including government units, mediators, law enforcement agencies, and other relevant stakeholders.

Through these coordinated efforts, the Ministry disseminated information about the settlement to all parties involved. To promote transparency and inclusivity. During the ceremonial settlement, the CAOs facilitated a formal process where the disputing parties document their settlement agreement in writing and affix their signatures as a testament to their commitment and sincerity. The ceremonial act served to reinforce the binding nature of the agreement and provided assurance to the involved that no further conflicts or acts of violence will arise. By emphasizing the importance of written commitments and symbolic gestures, the Ministry promoted a sense of finality and closure, fostering an environment of lasting peace and reconciliation.



*"Reconciled parties after their rido settlement in Luuk, Sulu."*

## Sulu

In Sulu, the Ministry has made commendable progress in resolving rido cases, and successfully settled 6 out of the 34 profiled cases. Among the conflicts resolved, murder cases were found to be the most common. The assigned actively coordinated with various key stakeholders, including the Local Government Unit, PNP-Municipal Police Station, AFP-MBLT 7, Local Mediators, and other peacekeeping sectors. This collaborative approach ensured that all relevant parties are involved and can contribute toward a comprehensive resolution.

After the ceremonial settlement, the CAOs prioritized the signing of an amicable settlement agreement to ensure the mutual agreement from conflicting parties. This formal documentation served as a concrete commitment to the settlement terms and solidifies the understanding reached during the reconciliation process. By securing the signed agreement, the Ministry ensured that all parties are bound to uphold the terms and helps prevent future conflict or escalation. Recognizing the practical needs of the parties involved, the Ministry went beyond the settlement process by providing financial assistance. This provision acknowledges the potential socioeconomic impact of the conflict and supported the affected families in their efforts to rebuild and move forward.



## Tawi-Tawi

In Tawi-Tawi, the Ministry successfully resolved 4 out of the 27 profiled rido cases related to murder and land disputes. The Ministry actively coordinated through its CAOs with local mediators, the local government unit, law enforcement agencies, and other security sectors. This collaborative effort ensured that all necessary precautions were taken to create a secured environment during the settlement. Following the successful resolution of conflict, the parties involved participated in the signing of an agreement to formalize their mutual understanding and commitment to the settlement terms, reminder to ensure both parties are equally agreed upon the terms.



*“Two parties embraced each other indicating reconciliation support to peace and unity”*



*Agreement signing of the reconciled families in Midsayap, North Cotabato.*

## Special Geographic Area

In Special Geographic Area, the Ministry has settled 5 out of its 26 profiled rido cases. Most common cases in the area cover land disputes, murder, and personal disputes. Before the settlement, the community leaders communicate with the Ministry to discuss the conflict. The CAOs assigned in the SGA validated the conflict through its pool of local mediators, after validation, the Ministry coordinated with law enforcement agencies and other security sectors for the settlement proper. After the ceremonial settlement, the CAOs prioritize the signing of an amicable settlement agreement to ensure the mutual agreement of both conflicting parties and proved financial assistance for livelihood impacts of both parties.

As part of the goal of the Ministry to institutionalize the Alternative Dispute Resolution in the BARMM, the Ministry is continuously strengthening its policies, programs, mechanisms, approaches, actors and stakeholders such as local mediators and concerned agencies to effectively implement rido settlement efforts, conduct research and studies on improving rido settlement in the region, formulate responsive interventions to prevent rido, engage in the reduction and settlement of rido, and implement programs for the rehabilitation of rido-stricken communities, as well as to support the strengthening and establishment of alternative dispute resolution mechanism that can sustain and reinforce rido settlement-related interventions in the communities.

Below is the list of the common nature of rido settled in 2022:

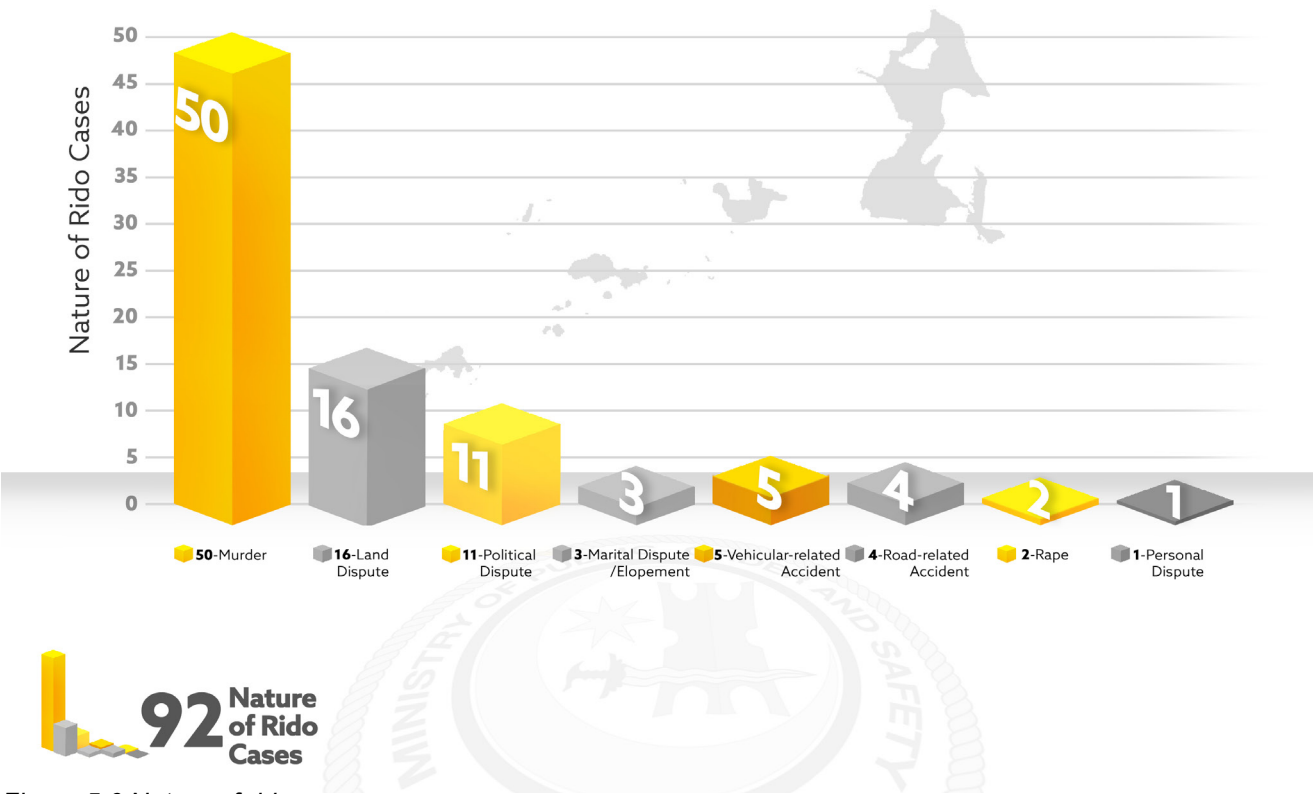
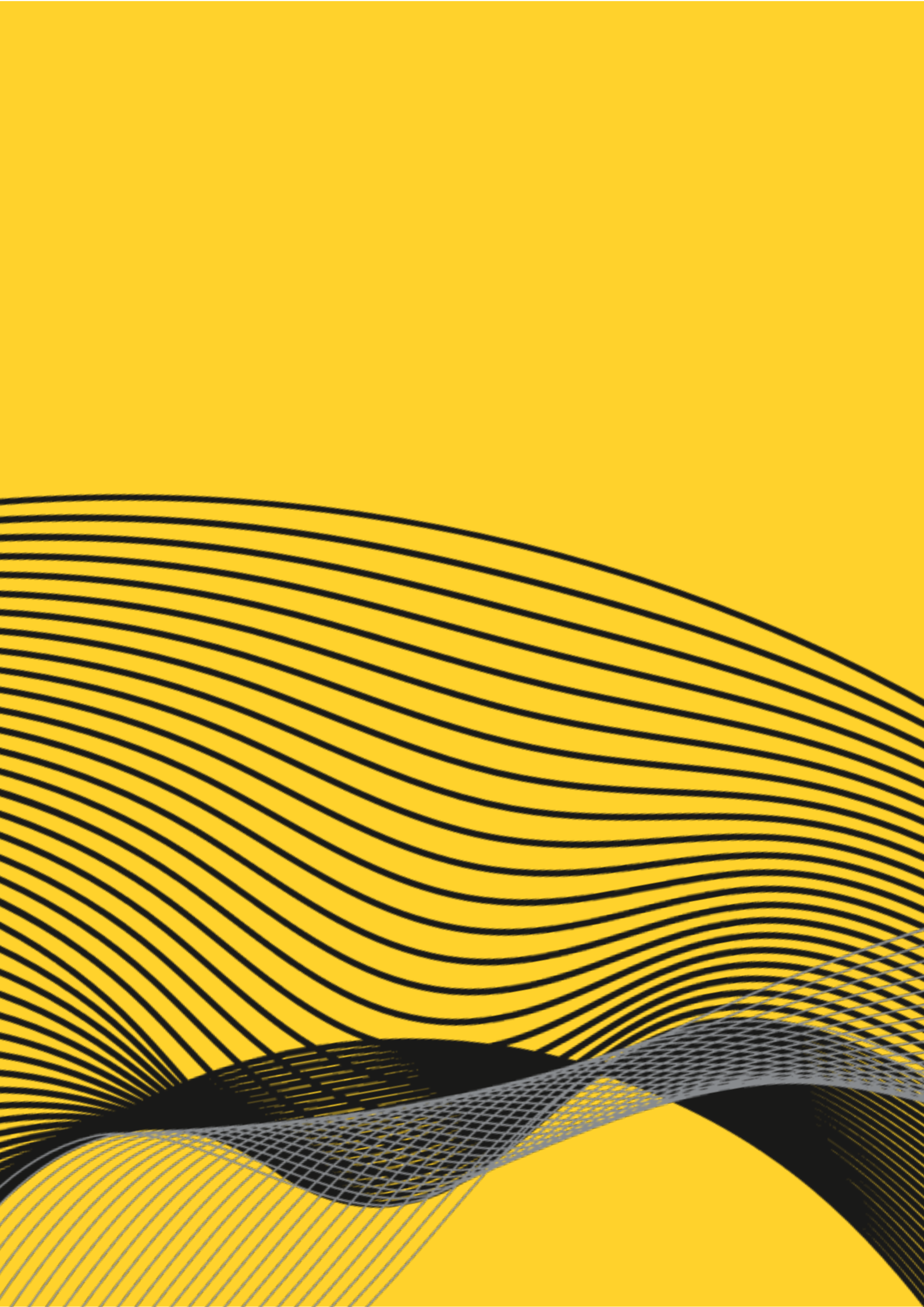


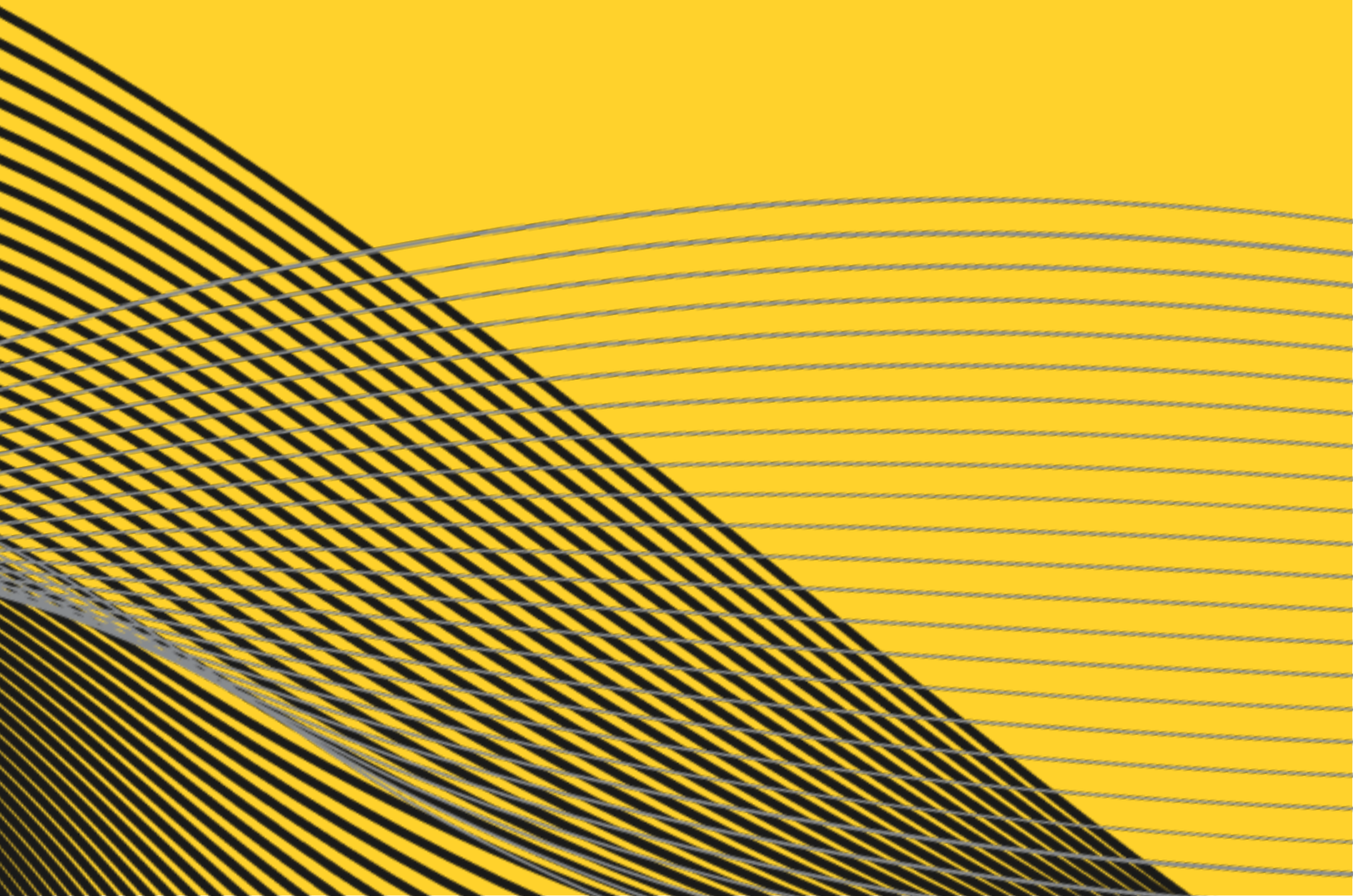
Figure 5.6 Nature of rido cases





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## Block Grant

Section 19, Article XII of Republic Act No. 11054 (known as BOL or “Bangsamoro Organic Law”) provides for the allocation of block grant which states that the Parliament shall pass an annual appropriations law allocating the block grant to various agencies and programs according to the powers and functions of the Bangsamoro Government.

The Ministry of Public Order and Safety – BARMM was allocated an amount equal to One Hundred Thirty Million Four Hundred Thirty-Five Thousand Three Hundred Six Pesos and Eighteen Centavos only (P130,435,306.18) in the approved Fiscal Year 2022 General Appropriations Act of Bangsamoro (FY 2022 GAAB). In contrast with FY 2021 regular/general fund, there was an increase of Twenty-One Million Six Hundred Thirteen Thousand Three Hundred Forty-One Pesos and Eight Centavos only (P21,613,341.08) or approximately 19.86119%.

Figure 5.7 below shows the breakdown of the approved FY 2022 regular fund allocated to the ministry.

ALLOTMENT CLASS	AMOUNT
Personnel Services (PS)	51,541,214.16
Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses (MOOE)	74,652,697.22
Capital Outlay (CO)	4,241,394.80
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>130,435,306.18</b>

Figure 6.1 Breakdown of appropriated fund per allotment class.

## Absorptive Capacity

Each ministry’s performance is measured in terms of physical targets by indicators for physical performance and budget utilization rate or absorptive capacity for financial performance. The performance results will be one of the bases in approving the ministry’s budget proposal for the next fiscal year.

Absorptive capacity refers to the ability of government agencies to utilize the resources (e.g., government funds) made available to them. The percentage of utilization is determined by dividing obligation against allotment.

## What the Numbers Tell Us

Dapat may kuwento ng resulta sa bawat kuwenta (Each financial allocation must have a clear story of results). Public funds must be spent in a timely and predictable manner in order to bring greater benefit to the people.

The Programs, Activities, and Projects (PAPs) are classified by cost structure into: General Administration and Support (GAS); Support to Operations (STO); Operations (OPE); and Projects.

GAS is defined as activities dealing with the provision of overall administrative management support to the entire ministry operation. STO is defined as activities that provide technical and substantive support to the operations and projects of the ministry. Operations are activities directed towards fulfilling the ministry’s mandate. A project is considered an investment in the capacity of a ministry to deliver a Major Final Output (MFO).

Out of the total appropriated regular fund, only 9% were not released to the ministry (see figure 6.2), mainly from For Later Release under PS allotment class.

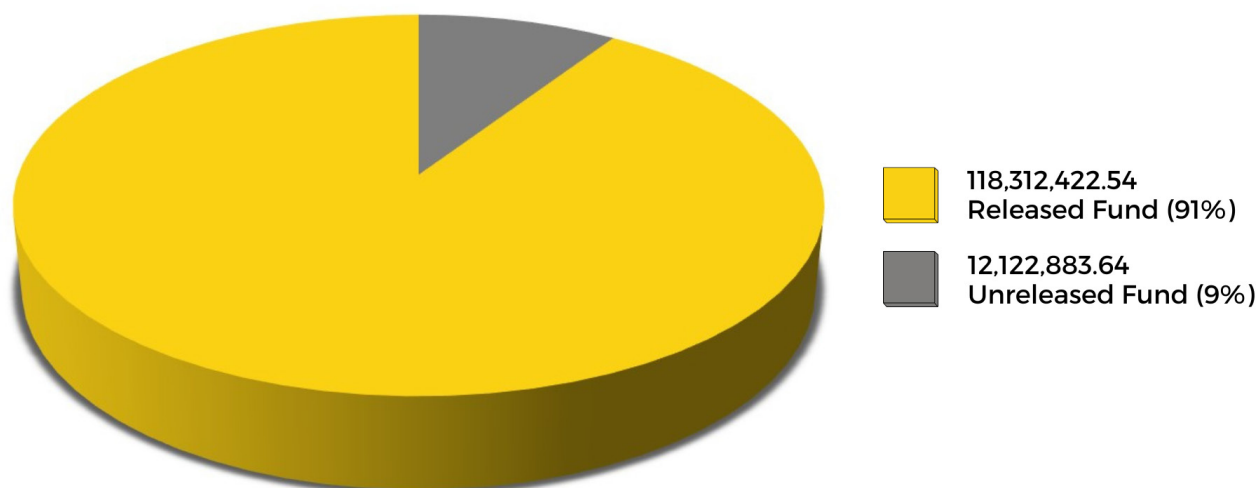


Figure 6.2 F.Y. 2022 Regular Fund percentage of released fund

From the total allotments released to the ministry amounting to One Hundred Eighteen Million Three Hundred Twelve Thousand Four Hundred Twenty-Two Pesos and Fifty-Four Centavos (P118,312,422.54), One Hundred One Million Five Hundred Twenty Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Eight Pesos and Thirty-Nine Centavos (P101,520,928.39) were utilized equivalent to 85.81% (see figure 6.3).

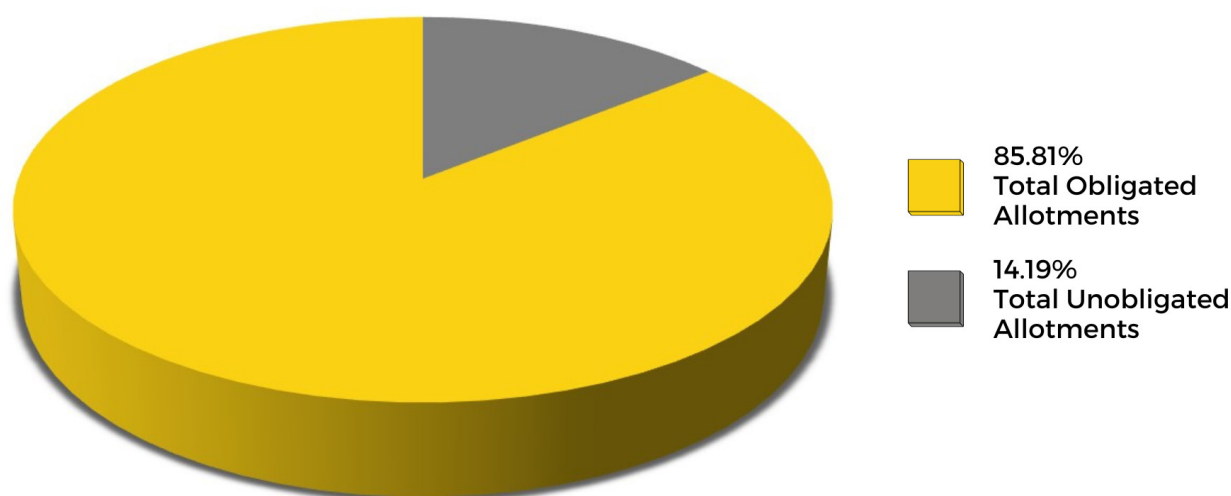


Figure 6.3 Fund utilization

The Ministry of Public Order and Safety has five programs in its operations under the regular fund during FY 2022, to wit:

1. Safe BARMM
2. Coordination with Law Enforcement Agencies in the Region (CLEAR)
3. Peace Building Initiatives (PBI)
4. Popularization of Bangsamoro Historical Events (PBHE)
5. Sustainable Agreement for Peace and Advancement (SAPA)

The financial performance results of these programs in terms of budget utilization rate are shown in Figure 6.4.



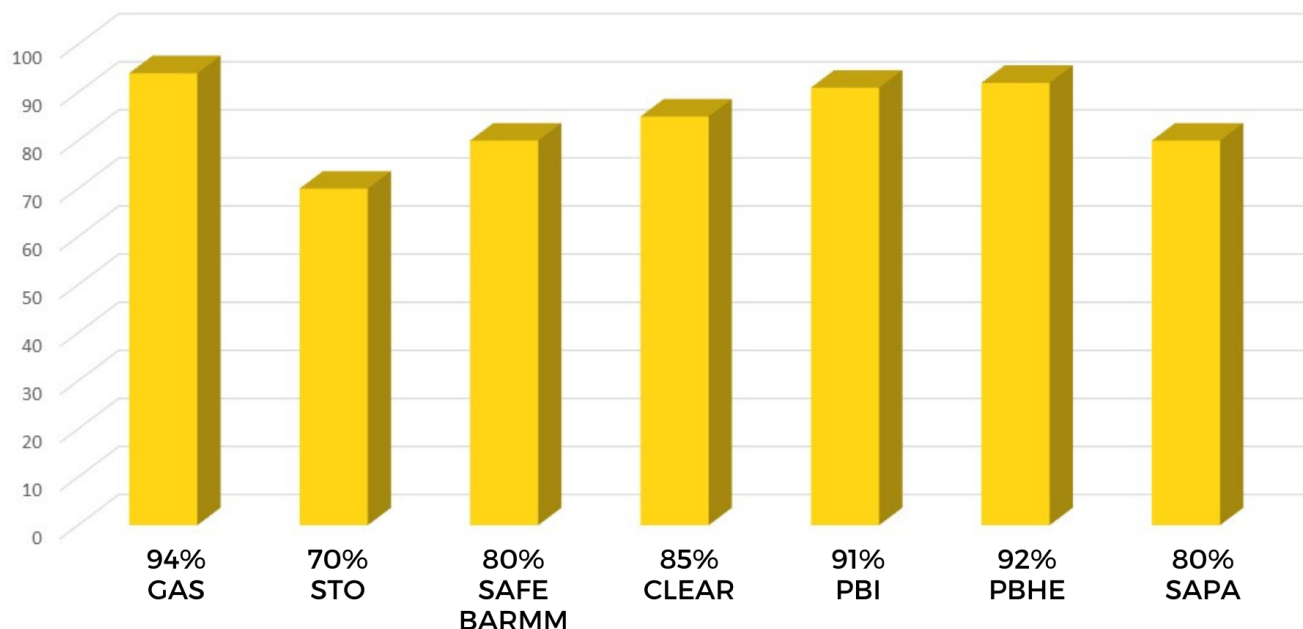


Figure 6.4 Budget utilization rate per program

GAS has the highest utilization rate of 94% while the lowest is the STO having utilized 70% only.

PAPs are further classified according to expense or allotment class: PS, MOOE, and CO. To disintegrate the utilization of the ministry's fund per program according to expense/allotment class, see Figure 6.5 below.

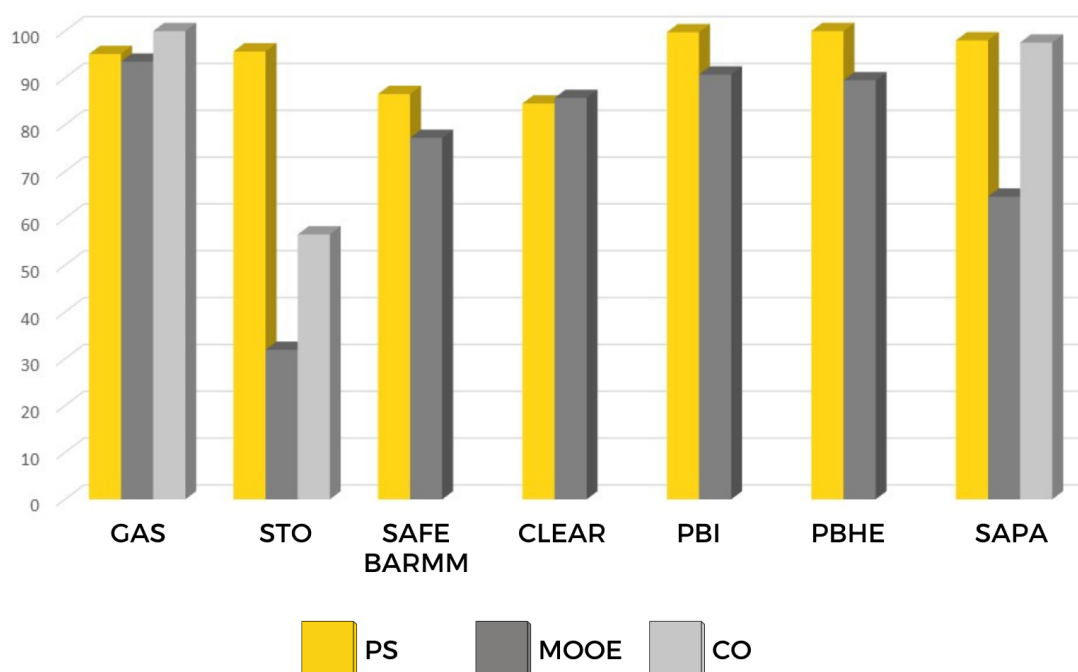


Figure 6.5 Breakdown of utilization per allotment class

It can be seen from figure 6.5 that the Safe BARM, CLEAR, PBI, and PBHE programs do not have a capital outlay component. The STO has the lowest utilization rate for MOOE equal to 31.94%. Out of 22 STO training activities, only 6 were implemented, 4 were ongoing, and 12 were not implemented by the end of the fiscal year 2022.

For operations, PBI program has the highest financial performance equivalent to 90.72% budget utilization rate. While some targets from various programs of the ministry were fully accomplished, the fund allocated to their corresponding activities were not entirely utilized resulting in fund savings.

For detailed financial performance results, see figures 6.6 and 6.7 below.

COST STRUCTURE	PS			MOOE			CO		
	ALLOTMENT	OBLIGATION	BUR	ALLOTMENT	OBLIGATION	BUR	ALLOTMENT	OBLIGATION	BUR
GAS	12,161,212.24	11,572,336.40	95.16%	30,161,480.22	28,190,968.61	93.47%	1,308,414.80	1,308,414.80	100.00%
STO	10,200,023.84	9,757,771.49	95.66%	6,581,060.00	2,101,757.57	31.94%	1,052,980.00	595,726.45	56.58%
SAFE BARMM	2,682,922.80	2,322,530.79	86.56%	5,133,500.00	3,963,813.06	77.21%			
CLEAR	2,081,128.84	1,759,440.01	84.54%	3,022,500.00	2,591,160.92	85.73%			
PBI	1,101,739.36	1,099,139.36	99.76%	12,501,032.20	11,340,411.22	90.72%			
PBHE	1,149,419.84	1,149,419.84	100.00%	3,778,124.80	3,381,366.80	89.50%			
SAPA	10,041,813.60	9,841,790.37	98.01%	13,475,000.00	8,710,858.38	64.64%	1,880,000.00	1,834,022.32	97.55%
TOTAL	39,418,330.52	37,502,428.26	95.14%	74,652,697.22	60,280,336.56	80.75%	4,241,394.80	3,738,163.57	88.14%

Table 6.1 BUR per program per allotment class

COST STRUCTURE	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(C)/(B)	(D)/(B)
	APPROPRIATION	ALLOTMENT	OBLIGATION	DISBURSEMENT	BUR	DR
GAS	43,631,107.26	43,631,107.26	41,071,719.81	39,054,725.32	94.13%	89.51%
STO	17,834,063.84	17,834,063.84	12,455,255.51	12,068,196.58	69.84%	67.67%
SAFE BARMM	11,658,226.48	7,816,492.80	6,286,343.85	5,868,492.38	80.42%	75.08%
CLEAR	7,375,530.56	5,103,628.84	4,350,600.93	4,337,356.08	85.25%	84.99%
PBI	15,121,921.96	13,602,771.56	12,439,550.58	11,954,400.78	91.45%	87.88%
PBHE	7,833,398.96	4,927,544.64	4,530,786.64	4,527,919.97	91.95%	91.89%
SAPA	26,981,057.12	25,396,813.60	20,386,671.07	20,310,709.35	80.27%	79.97%
TOTAL	130,435,306.18	118,312,422.54	101,520,928.39	98,121,800.46	85.81%	82.93%

Table 6.2 BUR and DR per program

Disbursement rate (DR) refers to the ability of government agencies to disburse public funds and is measured by Notice of Cash Allocation (NCA) utilization rates. It is determined by dividing the disbursement against the NCA. All allotments released to the ministry have corresponding NCA received accordingly. It can be seen from table 3 that the ministry has a good disbursement rate of 82.93%. It is apparent as well from the figures that payments to suppliers are not delayed for a long period.

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## Regular Ministry/Office (M/O) Fund – By Program

	AMOUNTS (IN ABSOLUTE VALUES)				BUDGET UTILIZATION RATE (%)				
PARTICULARS	APPROPRIATION	ALLOTMENT	OBLIGATION	DISBURSEMENT	OBLIGATION		DISBURSEMENT		
A	B	C	D	E	VS. APPRO. F = D/B	VS. ALLOT. G = D/C	VS. APPRO. H = E/B	VS. ALLOT. I = E/C	VS. OBLIG. J = E/D
GAS	43,631,107.26	43,631,107.26	41,071,719.81	39,054,725.32	94.13%	94.13%	89.51%	89.51%	95.09%
STO	17,834,063.84	17,834,063.84	12,455,255.51	12,068,196.58	69.84%	69.84%	67.67%	67.67%	96.89%
OPERATIONS:									
PROGRAM 1: SAFE BARMM	11,658,226.48	7,816,492.80	6,286,343.85	5,868,492.38	53.92%	80.42%	50.34%	75.08%	93.35%
PROGRAM 2: CLEAR	7,375,530.56	5,103,628.84	4,350,600.93	4,337,356.08	58.99%	85.25%	58.81%	84.99%	99.70%
PROGRAM 3: PBI	15,121,921.96	13,602,771.56	12,439,550.58	11,954,400.78	82.26%	91.45%	79.05%	87.88%	96.10%
PROGRAM 4: PBHE	7,833,398.96	4,927,544.64	4,530,786.64	4,527,919.97	57.84%	91.95%	57.80%	91.89%	99.94%
PROGRAM 5: ADR	26,981,057.12	25,396,813.60	20,386,671.07	20,310,709.35	75.56%	80.27%	75.28%	79.97%	99.63%
	130,435,306.18	118,312,422.54	101,520,928.39	98,121,800.46	77.83%	85.81%	75.23%	82.93%	96.65%

## Grand Total

	AMOUNTS (IN ABSOLUTE VALUES)				BUDGET UTILIZATION RATE (%)				
PARTICULARS	APPROPRIATION	ALLOTMENT	OBLIGATION	DISBURSEMENT	OBLIGATION		DISBURSEMENT		
A	B	C	D	E	VS. APPRO. F = D/B	VS. ALLOT. G = D/C	VS. APPRO. H = E/B	VS. ALLOT. I = E/C	VS. OBLIG. J = E/D
PERSONNEL SERVICES	51,541,214.16	39,418,330.62	37,502,428.26	37,420,020.38	72.76%	95.14%	72.60%	94.93%	99.78%
MOOE	74,652,697.22	74,652,697.22	60,280,336.56	57,040,463.16	80.75%	80.75%	76.41%	76.41%	94.63%
CAPITAL OUTLAY	4,241,394.80	4,241,394.80	3,738,163.57	3,661,316.72	88.14%	88.14%	86.32%	86.32%	97.94%
TOTAL REGULAR FUND	130,435,306.18	118,312,422.64	101,520,928.39	98,121,800.26	77.83%	85.81%	75.23%	82.93%	96.65%











