

AGUSAN DEL SUR PROVINCE

14 POINT ACTION COMMITMENT

**PROVINCIAL TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP ON
NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
(PTWG-NRMSD)**

AGUSAN DEL SUR PARADOX

ABUNDANT
RESOURCES

VAST
LAND

BUT

BUT

POOR
PEOPLE

OVERLAPPING
OF CLAIMS

1. BARANGAY SERVICE CENTER DELINEATION

- Identification of villages in forestlands



Barangay Site Delineation
Barangay Lucas, San Francisco

- DENR agreement that provincial government conducts the survey with technical supervision

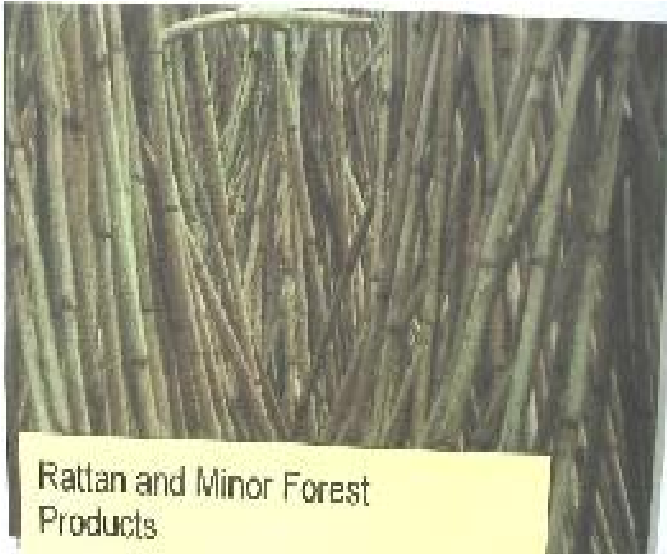
- Drafted policy guidelines

2. CONFLICT MANAGEMENT IN ANCESTRAL DOMAIN CLAIMS

- **Initial village & community consultations**
- **Conducted Indigenous Peoples Provincial Summit**
- **Community Mapping and Initial profiling**
- **Learning Visit**
- **Regional Workshop on Rural Livelihood**
- **Participation in Mindanao-wide IP Summit**
- **Strengthening of Tribal Council as initial step**
- **Tribal & Policy Orientation as well council resolution**
- **IPRA Orientation and Understanding of Lumad's Identity**
- **Stakeholders' dialogue**



Conflict Management Process in CADC Areas



3. RATTAN & OTHER MINOR FOREST PRODUCTS

- get baseline information on rattan operation (check actual performance and compliance)

- documentation of process flow from harvesting to marketing



4. SMALL-SCALE TREE FARMERS

- provide venue for discussions

5. CO-MANAGEMENT IN PROTECTED AREAS



Forestland Co-Management Agreement

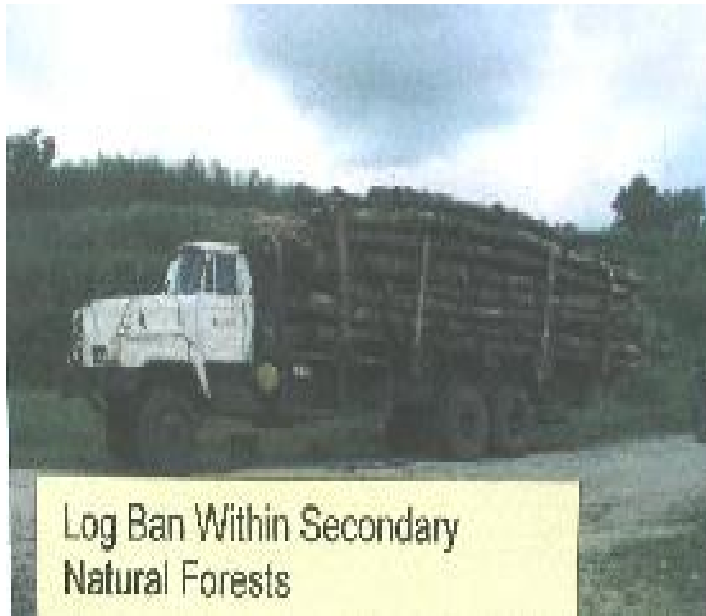
- Reviewed and strengthened existing co-management & its implementation
- Selection of other sites to co-manage
- Improvement of Criteria for Selection

6. FOREST RELATED VIOLENCE



The Increase in Forest-Related Violence

- Incidence analysis on forest-related violence
- Creation of dialogue and review committees



7. RESOURCE USE PERMITS and COMMUNITY-BASED FOREST MANAGEMENT

- Selection of pilot areas for study
- Data collection / profiling



8. WATERSHED AND IRRIGATION

- Focus on Andanan as initial study site
- Conducted village consultation
- Surfacing issues and concerns
- Linking with communities and stakeholders

- 1. CLARIFYING MINING ISSUES**
- 2. HUMAN DEVELOPMENT INDEX & ELEVEN COMMUNITY-BASED RESOURCE MANAGEMENT SITES**
- 3. AGUSAN MARSH**
- 4. PALM OIL**
- 5. POST-HARVEST FACILITIES**
- 6. CURBING ILLEGAL LOGGING**

CHALLENGES

- Harmonizing local and national policies
- Improvement of database for a well informed decision making
- Recognition of the legitimacy of tribal leaders (CADDC holders)
- Sustainability of PTWG collaboration
- Influence municipal local chief executive and local policies
- Passage of environmental code
- Mechanism and processes to be drawn in the identified convergence areas
- Commitment and expansion of PTWG membership
- Alleviate poverty