



On behalf of the League of Cities of the Philippines, I would like to extend my sincerest congratulations to the Community-Based Monitoring System (CBMS) Network Office of the De La Salle University – Angelo King Institute of Economic and Business Studies for the successful conduct of the 15th CBMS Philippine National Conference.

We applaud the CBMS Network Office for constantly promoting discourse on the value of local data in generating crucial decisions towards inclusive socioeconomic development. The conference has been a vital platform for showcasing the best practices of cities in utilizing data to address social equity and poverty eradication.

With the adoption of the Sustainable Development Goals set forth by the United Nations, it has become an imperative for Philippine cities to implement initiatives that will ensure a more sustainable future for the next generation of Filipinos. I am very confident that with the help of CBMS our cities will be able to deliver on these goals and finally pave the way for lasting peace and prosperity.

I wish you all a productive and meaningful event.

Thank you and God bless.

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