



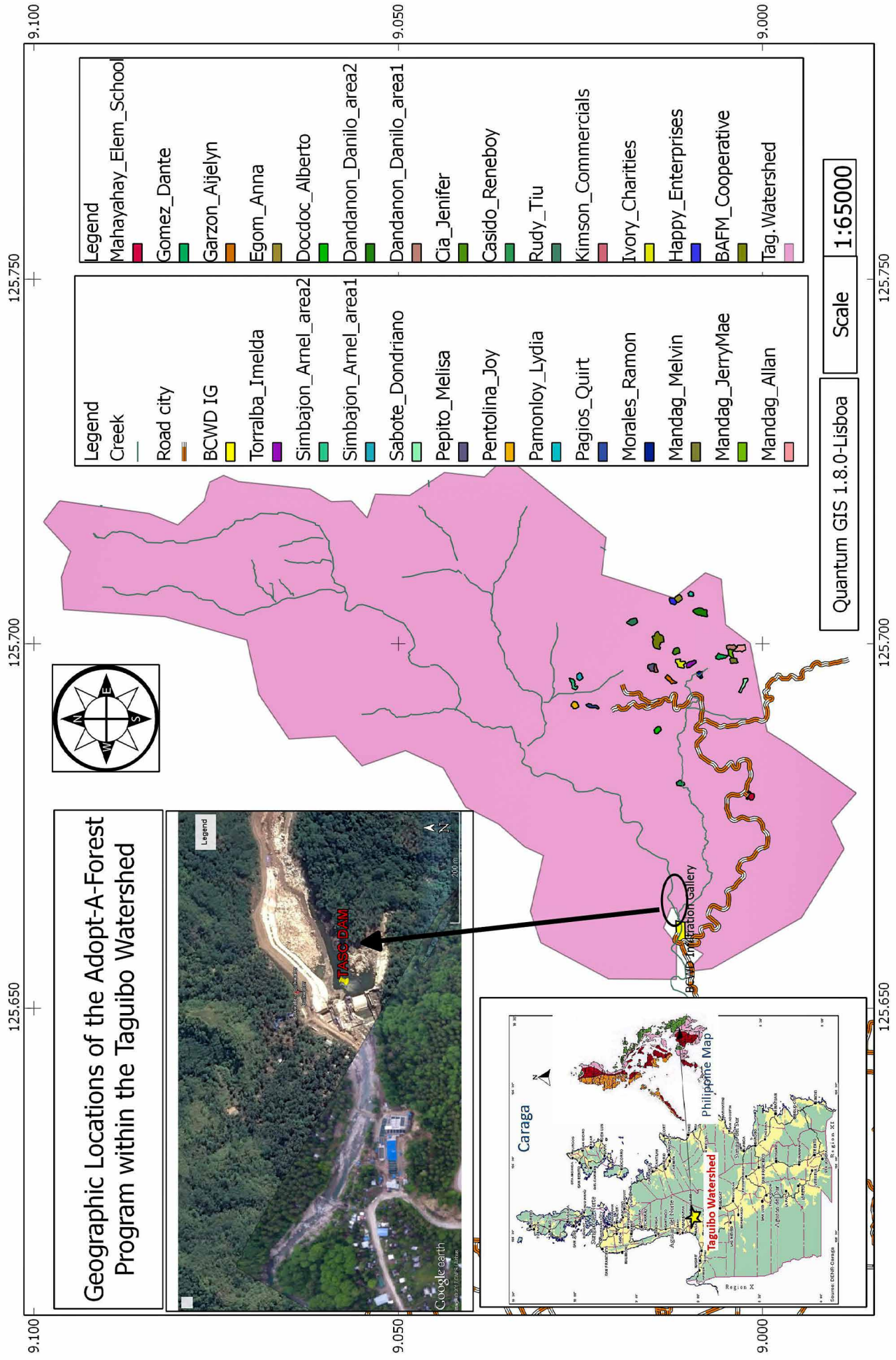
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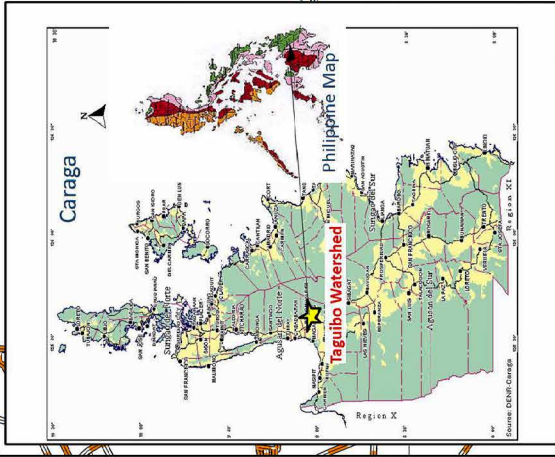
Taguibo River Watershed Forest Reserve

Adopt -a- Forest program





Geographic Locations of the Adopt-A-Forest Program within the Taguibo Watershed



- Legend**
- Creek
 - Road city
 - BCWD IG
 - Torralba_Imelda
 - Simbajon_Arnel_area2
 - Simbajon_Arnel_area1
 - Sabote_Dondriano
 - Pepito_Melisa
 - Pentolina_Joy
 - Pamonloy_Lydia
 - Pagios_Quirt
 - Morales_Ramon
 - Mandag_Melvin
 - Mandag_JerryMae
 - Mandag_Allan

- Legend**
- Mahayahay_Elem_School
 - Gomez_Dante
 - Garzon_Aijelyn
 - Egom_Anna
 - Docdoc_Alberto
 - Dandanon_Danilo_area2
 - Dandanon_Danilo_area1
 - Cia_Jenifer
 - Casido_Reneboy
 - Rudy_Tiu
 - Kimson_Commercials
 - Ivory_Charities
 - Happy_Enterprises
 - BAFM_Cooperative
 - Tag. Watershed

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Donor Update

Dear Donor,

The Butuan City Water District (BCWD) is honored to give the latest updates of our Adopt-a-Forest Program/ Project in the Taguibo River Watershed Forest Reserve. After infusing interventions and providing the means for these interventions to be relevant and be of use to the beneficiaries, we are beginning to see the fruits of our inputs as our recipients worked on the maintenance of the planted seedlings. With continuous maintenance activities from our beneficiaries, we are confident that majority of the planted seedlings will survive as can be attested by the survival rate during the monitoring and validation.

As of October 2017, a total of twenty-eight (28) hectares were planted with approximately thirteen thousand two hundred (13,200) various forest tree seedlings and fruit bearing seedlings.

Being a partner of the Adopt-a-Forest Program/ Project, you will not be the only person to benefit from the result of this endeavor but the entire community of Butuan City and nearby environs. Thank you very much for helping us in saving our Taguibo Watershed, thus, restoring its ecological integrity for present and future generations.

THANK YOU



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New Generous Donors : 6 hectares Adopt-A-Forest Program for CY 2017 at Taguibo River Watershed Forest Reserve Area

There are new generous donors for the BCWD's Adopt-a-Forest Program/ Project for CY 2017, namely: Happy Enterprises, Kimson Commercials & Resources Inc., Mr. & Mrs. Rudy Tiu, Ivory Charities Foundation Inc., Butuan Agusan Farmers Multipurpose Cooperative and Masulbad Irrigator's Association. The Implementation of the Adopt-a-Forest Program/ Project for CY 2017 in partnership with the aforementioned donors was started on October 3, 2017 and completed the site preparation (brushing, stacking & hole digging) and planting on October 20, 2017; it covers approximately six (6) hectares of area within Taguibo River Watershed Forest Reserve (TRWFR), and planted with 3,600 seedlings of various grafted fruits and forest trees such as Rambutan, Lanzones, Narra and Tugas or equivalent to 600 seedlings per hectare. The table below shows the names of the 5 donors and their respective number of hectares sponsored and number of seedlings planted with corresponding names of project beneficiaries.

BCWD Partners	Area Planted	No. of Seedlings Planted	Project Partner Beneficiaries
Happy Enterprises	1 hectare	600	Rogen Mabandos
Kimson Commercials and Resources Inc.	1 hectare	600	Rosalinda C. Mandag
Mr. & Mrs. Rudy Tiu	1 hectare	600	Eduardo M. Mandag Jr.
Ivory Charities Foundation Inc.	1 hectare	600	Anecito Pojaras
Butuan Agusan Farmers Multipurpose Cooperative & Masulbad Irrigator's Association	2 hectares	1200	Sheylame M. Anguit



Name of Beneficiary : MABANDOS, ROGEN
Project Location : Tagkiling, Anticala, Butuan City
Area Planted : 1 hectare
Year Planted : October 2017
Coordinates : 9°0'45"N, 125° 42' 21"E



Name of Beneficiary : MANDAG, ROSALINDA C.
Project Location : Tagkiling, Anticala, Butuan City
Area Planted : 1 hectare
Year Planted : October 2017
Coordinates : 9°0'51"N, 125°41'52"E



Name of Beneficiary : MANDAG, EDUARDO M. JR.
Project Location : Tagkiling, Anticala, Butuan City
Area Planted : 1 hectare
Year Planted : October 2017
Coordinates : 9°1'2"N, 125°42'11"E



Name of Beneficiary : Anecito Pojaras
Project Location : Tagkiling, Anticala, Butuan City
Area Planted : 1 hectare
Year Planted : October 2017
Coordinates : 9°0'40"N, 125°41'52"E



Name of Beneficiary : ANGUIT, SHEYLAME M.
Project Location : Tagkiling, Anticala, Butuan City
Area Planted : 2 hectares
Year Planted : October 2017
Coordinates : 9°0'53" N, 125°42'5"E





Figure 1. MOA Signing between BCWD & Mr. Tiu on March 31, 2017 at BCWD Board Room, Butuan City.



Figure 2. MOA Signing between BCWD and Kimson Commercials and Resources on March 31, 2017 at BCWD Board Room, Butuan City.





Figure 3. MOA Signing between BCWD and Happy Enterprises and Resources Inc. on March 31, 2017 at BCWD Board Room, Butuan City.



Figure 4. MOA Signing between BCWD & Ivory Charities Foundation Inc. on December 28, 2016 at BCWD Board Room, Butuan City.





Figure 5. MOA Signing between BCWD & Butuan Agusan Farmers Multipurpose Cooperative and Masulbad Irrigators Association on July 10, 2017 at BCWD Board Room, Butuan City.

4th PASS MAINTENANCE PROGRAM ON THE **FIFTEEN (15) HECTARES ADOPT-A-FOREST PROGRAM FOR CY 2016**

The 4th Pass Maintenance Program of the Fifteen (15) hectares Adopt-A-Forest Program/Project in partnership with Couples For Christ (CFC) Global Mission Foundation, CFC School of the Morning Star, Mr. Terence Yu / Y Hotel, Dir. Crispin Young & Family, Filipino-Chinese Lourdes Catholic Community and Butuan Doctors Hospital & Colleges Inc. was completed on September 30, 2017 with a survival rate maintaining to 91.50%.

The 15 hectares Adopt-A-Forest Program/Project was planted on December 2016 to January 2017. The maintenance activity is part of the program and will be implemented every two (2) months from planting for the year one of the project, and every quarter for the 2nd & 3rd year. This is to ensure high survival rate of planted seedlings. The **Fourth Pass maintenance** activity was completely validated on September 30, 2017. Maintenance activities include clear brushing, strip brushing and round weeding.

At the time of validation/inspection, the survival rate of the planted seedlings was 91.50%.



Summary of Seedlings Planted & Maintained:

Name of Partner Beneficiaries	Partner Donor	Area	Date Planted	Seedlings Planted	Seedlings Survived	Survival Rate
AIJELYN Z. GARZON	CFC Global Mission Foundation	1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	559	93.17%
ALBERTO DOCDOC	CFC School of the Morning Star	1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	548	91.33%
QUIRT PAGIOS	Y Hotel/ Terence Yu	1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	542	90.33%
JENNIFER CIA	Crispin Young & Family	1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	564	94.00%
RENEBOY CASIDO	Chinese Catholic Lourdes Community	1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	551	91.83%
DANTE GOMEZ	Butuan Doctors Hospital and Colleges Inc. and Family	1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	547	91.17%
ALLAN MANDAG		1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	538	89.67%
SOLLY JOY PETILUNA		1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	552	92.00%
MELVIN MANDAG		1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	529	88.17%
JEREMAE MANDAG		1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	546	91.00%
IMELDA TORRALBA		1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	547	91.17%
MELISA S. PEPITO		1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	536	89.33%
RAMON T. MORALES		1 ha.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	558	93.00%
ARNEL B. SIMBAJON		2 has.	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	1118	93.16%
TOTAL			15 has	January 2017	270 grafted F.Trees 330 indigenous spp.	8,235

In order to achieve higher survival rate, a re-planting activity will be conducted in the 5th pass maintenance activity which is scheduled on November – December 2017.

8th PASS MAINTENANCE PROGRAM ON THE **SIX (6) HECTARES** **BCWD'S ADOPT-A-FOREST PROGRAM FOR CY 2016**

The Implementation of the Adopt-a-Forest 8th Pass Maintenance Program in partnership with Phoenix Philippines Foundation, Inc. (5 has.) and Atty. Jeremiah Asis & Family (1 ha.) was completed on October 29, 2017 with a survival rate of 87.90 %.

Name of Partner Beneficiaries	Partner Donor	Area	Date Planted	Seedlings Planted	Seedlings Survived	Survival Rate
Danilo E. Dandanon Sr.	Phoenix Philippines Foundation, Inc.	3 ha	March 2016	510 grafted F.Trees 990 indigenous spp.	1,340	89.33 %
Lydia E. Pamonloy		1 ha	March 2016	170 grafted F.Trees 230 indigenous spp.	402	80.04 %
Analyn Egom		1 ha	March 2016	170 grafted F.Trees 230 indigenous spp.	439	87.78 %
Mahayahay Elem. School (Atty. Asis & Family)	Atty. Jeremiah Asis & Family	1 ha	April 2016	600 various grafted F.Trees & indigenous spp.	544	90.67 %
TOTAL		6 ha		3,100 seedlings	2,725	87.90 %

The latest maintenance activity conducted for the Adopt-a-Forest Program/Project sponsored by the Joint Rotary Clubs of Butuan North and Makati Salcedo was on October 17, 2017 with 85.50 % survival rate. The said Rotary Clubs are the first organization who responded to BCWD's Adopt-a-Forest Program/project way back year 2013.

Name of Partner Beneficiaries	Partner Donor	Area	Date Planted	Seedlings Planted	Seedlings Survived	Survival Rate
Benido Sabote	Joint Rotary Clubs of Butuan North and Makati Salcedo	1 ha	December 19, 2013	600 various grafted F.Trees & indigenous spp.	513	85.50 %



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Other BCWD's projects in the Taguibo Watershed

Abaca Dispersal/Intercrop

Alternative livelihood program is BCWD's continuing strategy in rerouting watershed settler's dependency of natural resources within the watershed area. It is a binding mechanism in every reforestation project in-a-way that partner communities will surely maintain their planted trees and fruit trees given that the short term beneficial crops were intercropped in their respective land and might become a main source of income of the partner beneficiaries.

BCWD continuously implemented abaca intercropping in the agro-forestry/reforestation sites since it is the growing and prevailing alternative livelihood of the community and in order to take advantage of the commitment of the watershed settlers in the protection of planted trees and fruit trees given that abaca grows best in cool/shaded areas.



Eleven (11) Units of Sanitation Facilities (DUAL ROOM/UNIT) for 2010-2016

One of the prevailing issues and concerns in the Taguibo River Watershed Forest Reserve (TRWFR) is the sanitation problem particularly within the built-up areas or residential areas within the watershed. For this reason, the Butuan City Water District (BCWD) funded the construction of communal Comfort Rooms at strategic locations particularly in sitio Tagkiling, Dugyaman, and Bungadman in Brgy. Anticala Butuan City portion of TRWFR.

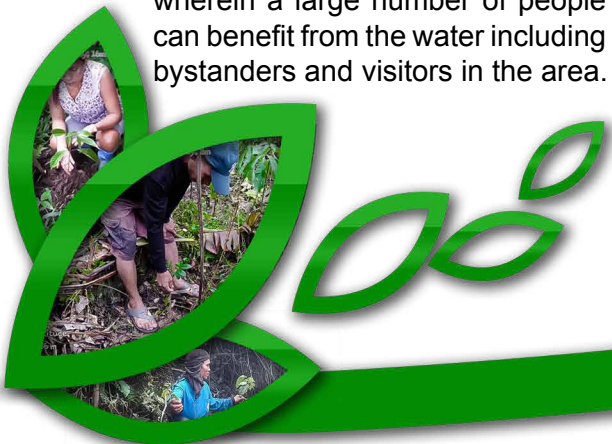


Water Supply Improvements

Water supply system improvement will provide the partner community easy access to safe potable water as part of BCWD's social corporate responsibility, thereby, strengthening the community's commitment in the rehabilitation and protection campaign of the Taguibo Watershed.

On October 07, 2016, the Engineering Department of BCWD headed by Engr. Germanico Pactol inspected the existing water supply system at Sitio Dugyaman, Anticala, Butuan City as per request of the community through a letter. Based on the assessment of the team, there were some materials necessary to improve the water supply of the recipient community such as PE tube, fittings, couplings, valves and faucets in order to set up a Level II water system. As such, the team recommended installing about ten (10) tap stands to be distributed evenly in the area or 2-4 household beneficiaries in every tap stand.

On December 29, 2016, the improvement of the water system was fully installed through a "Bayanihan System" wherein community members laid out the PE pipes, connected the couplings and provided assistance to the BCWD staff in the installation of tap stands in strategic locations wherein a large number of people can benefit from the water including bystanders and visitors in the area.



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IEC/Watershed Symposium

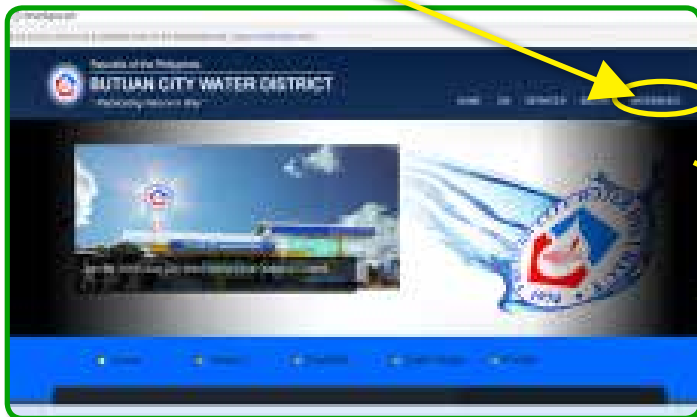
The Watershed Community Symposium is a quarterly activity of BCWD to ensure the continuing awareness and education of watershed settlers regarding the importance of the Taguibo Watershed. This is one of BCWD's ways of watershed protection and preservation by starting with the grassroot level. Said symposium is also attended by representatives from DENR and EMB as resource speakers.



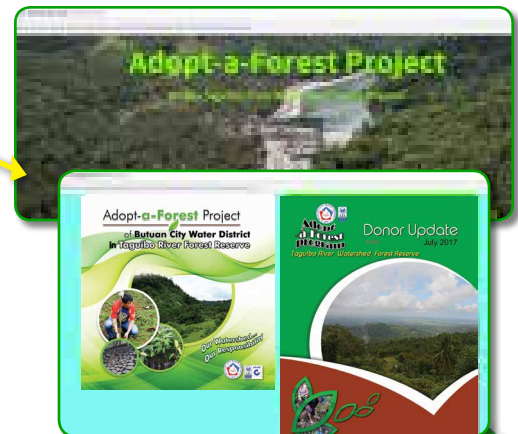
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HERE'S HOW:

1 Check the BCWD website at www.bcwd.gov.ph



2 Click the menu "Watershed" found in the home page



3 You will then enter the **Adopt-a-Forest Page** wherein you can find copies of the accomplishment reports, geocam/geotag photos and the map of the Taguibo Watershed and the geographical location of the Adopt-a-Forest Program/ Project.

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You're taking action with priorities like
restoring forests and conserving the Taguibo
River and its tributaries in the
Taguibo River Watershed Forest Reserve.



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Butuan City Water District in Taguibo River Forest Reserve

Donors

- Rotary Club of Makati Salcedo and Butuan North (1 Hectare)
- Phoenix Foundation Inc. (5 Hectares)
- Atty. and Mrs. Jehremiah Asis (1 Hectare)
- Butuan Doctors Hospital and Colleges Inc. (10 Hectares)
- Couples for Christ Global Mission Foundation (1 Hectare)
- CFC School of the Morning Star (1 Hectare)
- Crispin Young and Family (1 Hectare)
- Filipino Chinese Lourdes Catholic Community (1 Hectare)

- Butuan Agusan Farmers Multipurpose Cooperative and Masulbad Irrigators Association (2 Hectares)
- Mr. and Mrs. Terence Yu and YHotel (1 Hectare)
- Happy Enterprises and Resources Inc. (1 Hectare)
- Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Tiu (1 Hectare)
- Kimson Commercial (1 Hectare)
- Ivory Charities (1 Hectare)
- C' Zarlles (Construction and Supply)(1 Hectare)



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