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Dear Maam Enriquez,

Greetings from the Visayas State University!

The project, entitled **"Building Capacities of Farmers to Become Entrepreneurs Through Climate-Smart Farm Business School Approach in the Selected Municipalities of Region VIII"** is an extension project under the Yolanda Rehabilitation and Recovery Program funded by the Department of Agriculture Regional Field Office VIII in partnership with the Visayas State University. The Climate-Smart Farm Business School (CSFBS) community-based season-long training aims to enhance farmers' knowledge to become entrepreneurs and combat the effects of climate change.

As the project has come to an end, the CSFBS project management will conduct an **Exit Conference** in two different areas to reduce the number of participants, as we are still exercising the minimum health and safety protocol. On **December 14, 2021**, the event venue will be at **Haiyan Peak Hotel, Tanauan, Leyte** for participants coming from Samar and Eastern part of Leyte, while on **December 15, 2021**, the venue will be at **Origami Convention Center, Ormoc City, Leyte** for participants coming from Northwestern Leyte and the 3 municipalities of Biliran. The CSFBS management team will present the project implementation results to all our stakeholders and draft exit plan/continuity plan to make activities sustainable even after the project ends.

In this connection, we would like to invite you or your representative to the said activity and request you to give an inspirational message to the participants. Attached is a copy of the program of activities for your reference and guidance. Your presence will surely inspire our farmer partners and front-liners in moving forward to make farming more productive and rewarding.

Thank you and looking forward to a more fruitful partnership with you and your agency!

Very truly yours,

  
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