



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
REGION XI  
SCHOOLS DIVISION OF PANABO CITY

**Office of the Schools Division Superintendent**

**DIVISION MEMORANDUM**

SGOD-2026-0005

To : Assistant Schools Division Superintendent  
Chief of the Curriculum Implementation Division  
Chief of the Schools Governance and Operations Division  
Education Program Supervisors  
Public Schools District Supervisors

Subject: **PARTICIPATION TO THE COMMUNITY LISTENING SESSION WITH  
DEPED, ACADEME PARTNERS AND BENEFICIARIES**

Date: January 6, 2026

Attached is the letter invitation from Yvonee L. Biyo, Executive Director, Marsman-Drysdale Foundation Inc. to attend and participate in the **Community Listening Session with DepEd, Academe Partners and Beneficiaries** on **January 8-9, 2026** in Tagum City, Davao del Norte (final venue to be announced later).

Participants to the said activity are the following:

1. **Ana Liza M. Mendoza**, Senior Education Program Specialist
2. **Iris G. Separis**, Principal, Kasilak Elementary School

Travel and other related expenses are chargeable against Division/School MOOE funds subject to the usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

Please be guided accordingly.

  
**JINKY B. FIRMAN PhD, CESO VI**  
Schools Division Superintendent

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providing quality education, MATATAG for all.



29 December 2025

**JINKY B. FIRMAN**

Schools Division Superintendent  
Division of Panabo City  
Panabo City

**Subject:** Invitation to the Community Listening Session with DepEd Partners and Beneficiaries

Dear **SDS Firman**,

Greetings of peace from the Marsman Drysdale Foundation, Inc. (MDFI)!

The Marsman Drysdale Foundation, Inc. respectfully invites you to participate in the **Community Listening Session with DepEd, Academe Partners and Beneficiaries**, scheduled on **January 8–9, 2026**, in **Tagum City, Davao del Norte** (final venue to be announced).

This two-day activity is envisioned as a structured yet open listening and learning space that brings together key education stakeholders and beneficiaries to reflect on shared experiences, lessons learned, and insights from collaborative work in education and youth development. The session serves as a dedicated listening platform, centering partner and community perspectives to help guide MDFI's future programming and further strengthen its partnership with the Department of Education and allied stakeholders.

Your participation is highly valued. In addition, we would be honored to welcome other representatives from your office whom you may deem appropriate to join the session, as their perspectives and experiences will greatly enrich the discussions and contribute to a more holistic understanding of the community context.

The Community Listening Session is proposed to include representatives from the following:

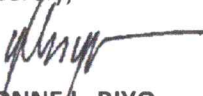
Name	Office/School	Position
Ana Liza M. Mendoza	Division Office	Sr. Education Program Specialist
Iris G. Separis	Kasilak Elementary School	School Principal

Kindly confirm your availability to attend the session, as well as the participation of the proposed representatives, by **January 6, 2026**, through the contact details provided below. Further logistical information, including the confirmed venue and detailed program, will be shared in due course. The Foundation will cover the meals of the participating personnel during the activity.

Should you require further information, please feel free to contact **Pearl Ulla**, MDFI's Program Manager, at **0917 863 1489** or via email at **mpaulla@marsmandrysdale.com**.

We look forward to your favorable response and to continuing our shared journey of learning and collaboration.

Sincerely,



**YVONNE L. BIYO**  
Executive Director  
Marsman Drysdale Foundation, Inc.