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## Committed to Developing Subnational Statistics, NSCB RD 10 Releases Countryside in Figures - Misamis Occidental

The **“Countryside in Figures: Misamis Occidental”** is a product of the joint effort of the National Statistical Coordination Board (NSCB), through the Regional Division 10, and the Provincial Government of Misamis Occidental. Moreover, it is a substantiation of commitment of the National Statistical Coordination Board, through its regional divisions, to provide relevant and more disaggregated statistics/information at the subnational/local levels.

This maiden publication contains relevant social, economic and governance indicators, some of which have city/municipality disaggregations, for the province of Misamis Occidental. It also includes comparative performance of the fourteen (14) municipalities of the province of Misamis Occidental. It is a useful statistical tool for local planners, investors and other groups interested in Misamis Occidental for investment and development. Through the CIF, the LGUs, the national government and other key stakeholders would be able to determine the appropriate intervention programs that should be introduced in the province of Misamis Occidental and its municipalities to improve the quality of life of our *kababayan* in Misamis Occidental. The publication also features sectoral highlights to guide data users in their analysis.

The NSCB acknowledges the invaluable support of the Provincial Government of Misamis Occidental, through the Provincial Planning and Development Office, in coordinating data collection at the provincial and municipal/city levels. We are likewise grateful to the various data-producing agencies at the regional and local levels for providing the inputs to this publication.

The CIF: Misamis Occidental is the provincial version of the **“The Philippines Countryside in Figures” (PCIF)**, an annual publication of the NSCB Central Office which presents the state of the country’s 81 provinces in terms of various indicators on governance, income and expenditures, labor and employment, prices, finance, agriculture, health, education, communication, infrastructure, tourism, transportation, energy and public order, safety and justice.

The publication (CD-ROM version) is now available at the **National Statistical Information Center (NSIC)** library, which is open to the public for free from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Mondays to Fridays. The NSIC is a one-stop shop of statistical information and services managed by the NSCB. The Northern Mindanao Branch is located at Door No. 8 Mortola Building, J.R. Borja St., Cagayan de Oro City.

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