

C. LOCAL GOVERNMENT SUPPORT FUND

For financial subsidy to local government units, as indicated hereunder P 18,250,090,000

New Appropriations, by Purpose

	<u>Current Operating Expenditures</u>			
	<u>Personnel Services</u>	<u>Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses</u>	<u>Capital Outlays</u>	<u>Total</u>
TOTAL NEW APPROPRIATIONS		P <u>18,250,090,000</u>		P <u>18,250,090,000</u>

Special Provision(s)

1. Financial Assistance to Local Government Units. The amount of Fourteen Billion Thirty Five Million Ninety Thousand Pesos (P14,035,090,000) appropriated herein shall be used for financial assistance to LGUs for the following projects: (i) implementation of agriculture-related programs and projects, such as: (a) provision of agricultural support services, which include planting materials distribution system and operation of farm produce collection and buying stations; (b) extension of on-site research services and facilities related to agriculture and fishery activities; (c) construction, restoration, and improvement of infrastructure facilities, including farm-to-market roads, slaughterhouses, small water impounding projects, fish ports, and water supply systems; and (d) provision of various production inputs for crops, livestock and poultry, and fisheries; (ii) implementation of programs, projects, and activities to support the cotton and textile industry and development of local arts and crafts; (iii) implementation of programs, projects and activities for the protection, preservation and promotion of cultural heritage, including restoration, rehabilitation, repair, improvement and/or maintenance of national heritage structures and sites; (iv) Information and Communications Technology systems and infrastructure development, such as, but not limited to, establishment of Integrated Business Permit and Licensing System, digitalization of payments for collections and disbursements, and purchase and installation of Closed-Circuit Television (CCTV) Surveillance System; (v) construction, concreting, rehabilitation, repair, improvement, expansion or upgrading of any of the following: (a) local roads/or bridges; (b) public markets; (c) multi-purpose buildings; (d) water supply and sanitation projects; (e) evacuation centers; and (f) public cemeteries; (vi) purchase of equipment to support evacuation and camp management operations; (vii) establishment of Materials Recovery Facility with sorting station, drop-off center, composting facility, and recycling facility; (viii) implementation of programs, projects and activities for disaster response, rehabilitation, and recovery, which include procurement/acquisition of disaster equipment and vehicles for disaster response and rescue activities; (ix) adaptation and mitigation projects; (x) purchase of ambulance, trucks, and multi-purpose vehicles; and (xi) assistance to indigent individuals or families in any of the following forms: (a) medical; (b) burial; (c) transportation; (d) food assistance; and (e) educational assistance/scholarship;

Disbursement and utilization by the LGUs shall be subject to the pertinent provisions of R.A. No. 9184, applicable budgeting, accounting and auditing rules and regulations, and such other guidelines to be issued for the purpose.

2. Support to the Barangay Development Program of the National Task Force to End Local Communist Armed Conflict. The amount of Two Billion One Hundred Sixty Million Pesos (P2,160,000,000) appropriated herein shall be used for the implementation of various support programs of the National Task Force to End Local Communist Armed Conflict (NTF-ELCAC) for the Eight Hundred Sixty Four (864) cleared barangays as certified by the NTF-ELCAC, provided in Volume I-B of this Act: *Provided*, That each cleared barangay shall be allocated with an amount to be used for the following projects: (i) farm-to-market road; (ii) school building; (iii) water and sanitation system; (iv) health stations; and (v) electrification.

The release of funds shall be subject to the guidelines to be issued by the DBM, in coordination with the NTF-ELCAC.

3. Green Green Green Program. The amount of One Billion Fifty Five Million Pesos (P1,055,000,000) appropriated herein shall be allocated to provinces, cities, and municipalities to fund the construction, rehabilitation, repair or improvement of the following projects: (i) green open spaces such as public/municipal parks and plazas, nature and family/recreational parks, arboretum and botanical gardens; and (ii) infrastructure for active mobility such as (a) physically separated bicycle lanes; (b) bike racks; (c) elevated or at-grade pedestrian footpaths and walkways; (d) sports facilities; and (e) recreational trails.

Implementation of this provision shall be subject to the guidelines to be issued for the purpose.

4. Support and Assistance Fund to Participatory Budgeting. The amount of One Billion Pesos (P1,000,000,000) appropriated herein shall be used for the construction, expansion, and upgrading of water supply system projects identified through local participatory budgeting process. The program shall contribute in accelerating the access to safely-managed and resilient water supply and sanitation services of the identified lagging municipalities. These focus municipalities are determined based on the following criteria: (i) municipalities that belong from 4th to 6th income classes based on DOF Order No. 23-08 dated July 29, 2008, as updated on April 27, 2016; and/or (ii) with established LGU-managed water utility and project ready (with Municipal Water Supply Sanitation and Hygiene Master Plan duly endorsed by accredited Civil Society Organization and adopted by the LGU, and with identified feasible water sources).

Implementation, monitoring and evaluation, and progress reporting of the program shall be subject to the guidelines to be issued by the DBM and the DILG.

Disbursement and utilization by the LGUs shall be subject to the pertinent provisions of R.A. No. 9184, applicable budgeting, accounting and auditing rules and regulations, and such other guidelines to be issued for the purpose.

New Appropriations, by Purpose

	<u>Current Operating Expenditures</u>		
	<u>Personnel Services</u>	<u>Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses</u>	<u>Capital Outlays</u>
			<u>Total</u>
PURPOSE(S)			
Local Government Support Fund	P	<u>18,250,090,000</u>	P <u>18,250,090,000</u>
Financial Assistance to Local Government Units		14,035,090,000	14,035,090,000
Support to the Barangay Development Program of the National Task Force to End Local Communist Armed Conflict (NTF-ELCAC)		2,160,000,000	2,160,000,000
Green Green Green Program		1,055,000,000	1,055,000,000
Support and Assistance Fund to Participatory Budgeting		<u>1,000,000,000</u>	<u>1,000,000,000</u>
TOTAL NEW APPROPRIATIONS	P	<u><u>18,250,090,000</u></u>	P <u><u>18,250,090,000</u></u>

New Appropriations, by Object of Expenditures

(In Thousand Pesos)

Current Operating Expenditures

Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses		
Financial Assistance/Subsidy		<u>18,250,090</u>
Total Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses		<u>18,250,090</u>
TOTAL NEW APPROPRIATIONS		<u><u>18,250,090</u></u>