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As part of the Open Government Partnership (OGP), we start to embark on a journey of collaboration, innovation, and commitment to work with non-government stakeholders as partners in championing good governance through transparency, accountability, and participation.

Quezon City, envisioned to be a model of governance and innovation, is guided by the 14-point executive agenda of governance, summarized into 5 key strategic areas: human and social services, economic development, environment and climate change, infrastructure, and institutional development. With the firm belief that good governance thrives through the people's voices, the action plan is a landmark initiative collectively crafted by the government and civil society, reflecting the city's dedication to strive to be the standard of excellence.

The action plan serves as a strategic outline of actionable commitments and priority actions that are aligned to establish an open government. It aims to empower citizens to proactively engage with the government and emphasize that the government is actively listening to the needs of the people. Strengthening public trust is the foundation of this plan. Hence, the action plan is not just a commitment, but a promise of the government and civil society to uphold transparency, accountability, and participation at the forefront of championing open government with an aspiration of fostering a trustworthy government that ensures proactive civic engagement and prioritizes the development of the city and improving the quality of life.

Together, the road to openness leads to progress and prosperity in the city. With the trust and support of the public, we begin to take a significant step forward as we make this plan a reality.


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