

Cluster sanitary landfill opens today for 16 towns, 1 city

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THE P300-MILLION cluster sanitary landfill complex in Alburquerque town, about 12 kilometers from the capital city of Tagbilaran in Bohol, finally opens to serve 16 towns and one city. Mayor Elpren Charles Tungol said the cluster landfill is now 100% operational and will start taking garbage from Tagbilaran City and 16 clustered towns by today, Feb. 6. The operation of the landfill started 15 years after it was first planned. The project was funded by the Tourism Infrastructure and Enterprise Zone Authority (TIEZA), formerly the Philippine Tourism Authority. The mayor's father, Efren D. Tungol, the former mayor who initiated the project, said: "This is a facility that will showcase the town of Albur as a model in hosting a waste facility, which locals can be proud of." -- *The Freeman*