

Protected eco areas in LGUs pushed

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Lingayen, Pangasinan — Governor Amado I. Espino III has ordered concerned municipal and city officials to establish and maintain protected ecological areas in their respective localities.

Espino encouraged them to heed the call for environmental protection through the establishment of eco-protected areas.

Eco-protected areas support the greening program of the provincial government and will contribute to the overall efforts for the preservation and conservation of natural resources as well as to mitigate climate change.

“We are doing this for future generations,” Espino stressed, as he cited Laoac town for developing a tree library, where tree varieties are grown and cultivated.

The Pangasinan Association of Water Districts, Inc. (PANAWAD) backed the environmental protection thrust of the provincial government.

PANAWAD officials assured that their organization will lead in instilling awareness among households on the importance of conserving water resources.

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