



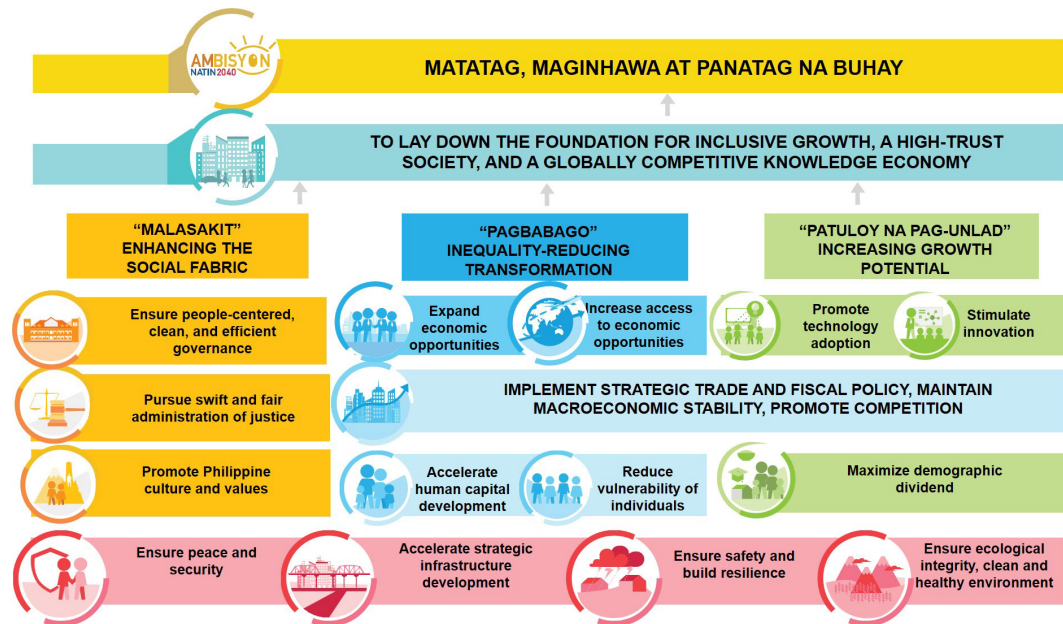
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The SOCCSKSARGEN Regional Development Plan (RDP) 2017-2022 supports the country's long term vision that is anchored on Ambisyon Nation 2040, President Duterte's 0 to 10-point Socioeconomic Agenda, and the objectives of the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals. By 2022, SOCCSKSARGEN Region seeks to create a strong foundation for a more inclusive growth, a high-trust society, and a globally competitive knowledge economy. This vision will be achieved by adopting the key strategies of enhancing the social fabric (*Malasakit*), reducing inequality (*Pagbabago*), and increasing the potential growth (*Kaunlaran*) of the economy. These strategies will be sustained by a strong foundation in regional security and growth that will sustain peace, accelerate strategic infrastructure build-up, maintain a clean and healthy environment towards ecological integrity, and build resiliency from calamity and deprivation.

Figure 3: Regional Strategic Framework 2017-2022



In support of the country's Ambisyon Natin 2040, the SOCCSKSARGEN RDP will focus on translating the President Duterte's 0 to 10-point socioeconomic agenda and the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals into strategies, policies, programs, and activities for the period 2017-2022. It will lay down a solid foundation for a more inclusive

growth, a high trust society and a globally competitive knowledge economy, through its emphasis on "*Malasakit, Pagbabago para sa Patuloy na Pag-unlad*".

The overall strategies will include enhancing the social fabric, pursuing inequality reducing transformation, increasing

growth potential, enabling and supporting economic environment, and laying the foundations for sustainable development. These strategies will be supported by the cross-cutting themes based on a strong foundation in sustaining peace and security, accelerating infrastructure development, ensuring ecological integrity, clean and healthy environment, and building resiliency.

The strategies and desired outcomes shall be consistent with the principles of good governance by adhering to the: (a) rule of law and fairness; (b) inclusiveness and non-discrimination; (c) participation, openness and transparency; (d) performance orientation and accountability; (e) leadership and stewardship; (f) ethics and probity; and (g) service orientation

and responsiveness. The Plan shall also adhere to the government's commitment to promote human rights and equal access to services for all.

Issues and concerns relating to gender and development, gender equality and women's empowerment shall be mainstreamed and integrated in the plan and investment program. The Gender and Development (GAD) checklist on development planning will be used. The Plan shall likewise integrate policies and strategies for disaster risk reduction and building of resilience.

All these strategies shall drive SOCCSKSARGEN Region to achieve its main goals of poverty reduction and inclusive growth.