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# DBP ASENSO

ASSISTANCE FOR ECONOMIC  
AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT  
FOR LGUs FINANCING  
PROGRAM

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The **DBP Assistance for Economic and Social Development for LGUs Financing Program (ASENSO)** provides financing assistance to local government units (LGUs) in the accomplishment of their projects to accelerate infrastructure and socio-economic development. The program supports the Philippine Development Plan and seeks to contribute to the attainment of Sustainable Development Goals.

### Program Objectives

To contribute to the development of smart and sustainable communities by providing financing assistance to at least 10% of the LGU population (provinces, cities, municipalities and barangays) to boost socio-economic development

### Eligible Borrowers

All LGUs (i.e. provinces, cities, municipalities and barangays)

### Eligible Projects

All infrastructure projects in line with the following regulations:

1. Capital Expedition projects
2. Acquisition of machinery or Equipment and related supplies

Should be in line with LGU's mandates and relevant government issuances and reflected in the LGU's development plans

### Loan Amount

Up to 100% of total project cost or the winning bid price, whichever is lower

### Loan Term

1. **For infrastructure projects** – Up to 15 years inclusive of 3 years grace period
2. **For acquisition of machineries and equipment** – Up to 10 years inclusive of 1 year grace period

### Interest Rate

Fixed or variable, based on the Bank's applicable benchmark rates plus applicable spread (*if ODA funded, shall follow the ODA terms and conditions*)

### Fees and Other Charges

Front-end fee, extension fee, and commitment fee (*except when ODA fund or other fund source is used*) are waived

### Acceptable Collateral

Based on the result of assessment on the project to be financed

### Mode of Payment

Term loans shall be payable on monthly or quarterly basis depending on project cash flows

### Initial Documentary Requirements

1. Borrowing Resolution by the appropriate Sangguniang Panlalawigan/Panlungsod/ Bayan/ Barangay
2. COA-Audited Financial Statements for the last 3 years
3. LGU background with certified list of elected officials and key officers
4. Feasibility Study/Project Description
5. Duly accomplished DBP forms
  - a. Customer File Form
  - b. Beneficial Owner Information Form
  - c. Data Privacy Form

*\* Additional documents may be required specific to the project to be financed*

### Required Documents upon Approval

1. Debt Service and Borrowing Capacity Certification from BLGF
2. MB Opinion
3. LGU Ordinance/validated ordinance ratifying the approved terms of the loan
4. Waiver of confidentiality
5. Certification from LGU Treasurer
6. Seal of Good Local Governance