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Strengthening Urban Resilience for Growth with Equity (SURGE) Project





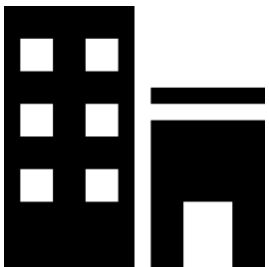
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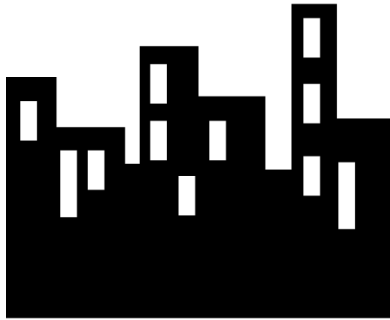


SURGE is a five-year project (2015-2020)

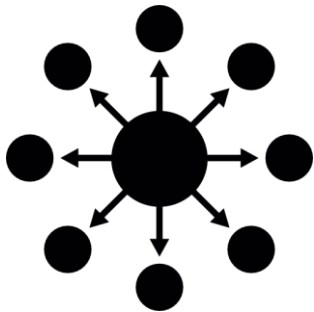


SURGE aims to foster the development of conditions for broad-based, inclusive and resilient economic growth in secondary cities

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SURGE is the flagship project of USAID's **Cities Development Initiative** under the broader Partnership for Growth and Equity



SURGE leverages and works with other USAID projects (“whole of mission approach”)



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Project Objectives



Improve urban development
and planning



Promote low-emission local
economic development



Facilitate greater connectivity
and access between urban and
rural areas





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Component Activities



Climate Change Adaptation
& Disaster Risk Reduction



Water &
Sanitation



Land
Tenure
Admin.



Business Enabling
Environment



Investment
Promotion



Marketing
Agreements



Inter-municipal
Arrangements



Tourism



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Cross-cutting Activities



Gender



Communication



Monitoring
& Evaluation



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Cities Development Initiative Partner Cities

Philippines



Batangas City



Puerto Princesa City



Zamboanga City



General Santos City



Metro Manila



Legazpi City



Iloilo City



Tagbilaran City



Cagayan de Oro City