



# TAGUM COOPERATIVE URGES MEMBERS TO BE PREPARED AND PROTECTED

Tagum Cooperative kick-starts the year with the launching of two savings products that will allow the members to prepare for unexpected expenses and insurance renewals. The two products, namely Emergency Ready Savings (ERS) and Sure Protect Savings (SureTec) are both created to alleviate the burden of paying one-time payments during dire times and help them save up when their insurances are up for renewal. Moreover, it desires to assist its members in resolving their financial dilemmas.

“Our Emergency Ready Savings Product will serve as a go-to for our members in case an emergency expense will come their way. Our SureTec Savings, will also allow them to save up especially for the renewal of their insurances,” states Chief Executive Officer Juris D. Perez.

## Sure Protect Savings (SureTec)

TC created SureTec for members to prepare for their insurance renewals and for those who wish to be insured but find it difficult to include in their budgets for a one-time payment. SureTec Savings ensures continuous insurance coverage through a compulsory opening when they apply for a loan. This offers the renewal of insurance in an affordable installment scheme. Payment can be arranged through Tagum Coop’s another service, the Automatic Debit Arrangement (ADA) which gives way for a hassle-free payment. This will encourage members to pay annual premium on or before due date. The SureTec Savings can be availed by all Regular or Associate members, where account will be automatically created upon release of loans with mandatory insurance coverage.

Fifty pesos (P50.00) plus one (1) month insurance premium will be deducted from the loan proceeds which shall serve as the opening amount of the SureTec Savings account.

Voluntary opening of SureTec Savings is also underway and will be made available for all members in the near future.

## Emergency Ready Savings (ERS)

Tagum Cooperative designed ERS for the purpose of helping the members pay for unexpected expenses and other critical situations that might take up a huge chunk in their finances.

Just like SureTec, ERS is open to all Regular or Associate members of Tagum Cooperative with minimum amount requirement of Php200. This type of savings is withdrawable anytime provided that the purpose for which the account was established is justified.

TC Chairperson Rosalina S. Argent expresses that TC aims to inculcate discipline and help members develop the habit of saving. “During this time of the Pandemic, most people will realize the importance of having an Emergency Savings and Tagum Cooperative is here to help them achieve that level of preparedness” Chairperson Argent adds.

Members may visit the nearest Tagum Cooperative Business Center to know more about the newly launched Savings Products or they may send their queries to Tagum Cooperative’s Official Facebook Page. Be prepared and protected, open your own accounts now!



△ Members rush to the nearest Tagum Cooperative Business Centers to open their very own ERS and SureTec Savings during the launching of TC’s Newest Savings Products

# TAGUM COOPERATIVE GOES GREEN!

Tagum Cooperative is not merely a business enterprise focused on making profits but is one of the key stakeholders in the community. Thus, the cooperative ensures to give back and help those who are in need through the annual provisions for the Community Development Fund (CDF).

In the advent of this pandemic, cooperatives all across the globe have united and stand together to become Climate Action Warriors. This bold move is the embodiment of the 13<sup>th</sup> Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) – Climate Action.

Thus, the Asian Confederation of Credit Unions (ACCU) spearheaded a Training of Trainers on Climate Action inviting the representatives from the different tertiary cooperatives and federations to take part in such noble cause. Likewise, the National Confederation of Cooperatives (NATCCO) has conducted its own Training of Trainers wherein coop leaders from the selected primary cooperatives volunteered to be stewards of the Green Coop Movement.

The training facilitated by NATCCO was held on October 12-14, 2020 attended by Dir. Evelia R. Sator and CECD Manager Regina Kate T. Boja. From the said training, participants were required to prepare an Action Plan on how to combat climate change in the entirety of Tagum Cooperative.

The said Action Plan includes the conduct of an exclusive webinar for Tagum Cooperative which aims to raise awareness on climate change issues and how what are the green alternatives to lessen the carbon footprints that bring harm to the environment. This was held on January 14-15, 2021 actively participated by Tagum Coop Officers, Lecturers Group.

Moreover, the cooperative partnered with the Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Office (PENRO) for the implementation of 4 training batches for Tagum Cooperative members held on January 18, 20, 25 and 27, 2021. Resource Speaker was Romulo D. Tagalo, PhD, PENRO Department Head of Davao Del Norte.

*“Institutionalizing climate actions and educating members to build more realistic perception of climate risks and their vulnerabilities are essential,”* Asian Confederation of Credit Union’s (ACCU) Chief Executive Officer, Ms. Elenita V. San Roque said.

Nevertheless, Tagum Cooperative commits to promote environmental friendly initiatives as we aim to go green!

Tagum Cooperative’s Education Committee invites you to attend

## WEBINAR ON CLIMATE CHANGE

THIS IS A FREE WEBINAR FOR TAGUM COOPERATIVE MEMBERS!

**TRAINING SCHEDULES**

- Batch 1: Monday January 18, 2021 / 1:00PM – 4:00PM
- Batch 2: Wednesday January 20, 2021 / 1:00PM – 4:00PM
- Batch 3: Monday January 25, 2021 / 1:00PM – 4:00PM
- Batch 4: Wednesday January 27, 2021 / 1:00PM – 4:00PM

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Δ Following the mandate of the IATF regarding the no face-to-face gatherings, Tagum Cooperative currently conducts its trainings and seminars via Zoom Conference.




## Year-end Big News!

Fund Transfer and Bills Payment are now available on TC Mobile App for both Android and ios Users.

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