

What have we done and what do we intend to do

Accomplishment Report 2017 and Plans for 2018



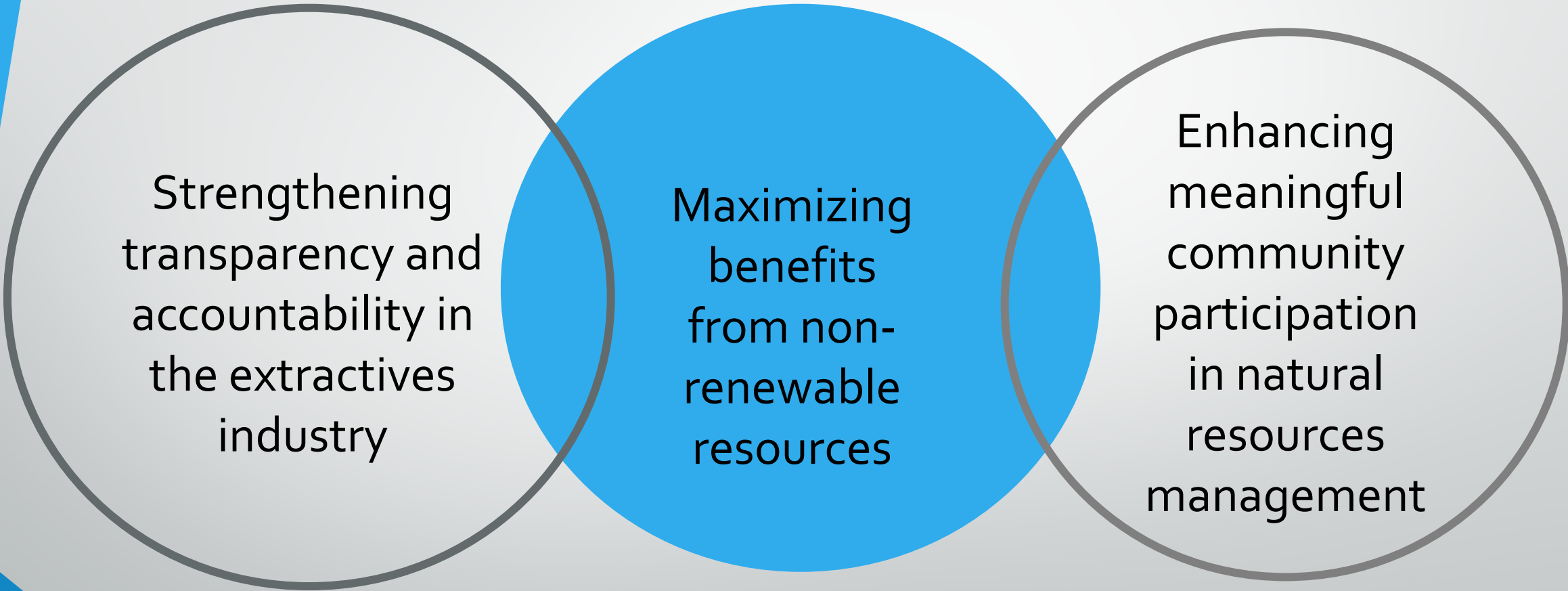
Vision



Empowered communities that promote sustainable development and good governance of natural resources through transparency and accountability in the extractives industry

Communities and the country get their fair share from the utilization and development of its non-renewable resources.

Three Tracks



Strengthening
transparency and
accountability in
the extractives
industry

Maximizing
benefits
from non-
renewable
resources

Enhancing
meaningful
community
participation
in natural
resources
management

Strategies





2017 Accomplishments

Engaging with Multi-Stakeholders

PH-EITI

Actively participated in the PH-EITI MSG

Facilitated CSO MSG coordination meetings

Joint strategic meetings with CSO MSG and BK board

Supporting the selection process for CSOs in mining oversight committees, PH-EITI MSG. On-going.

Recognized as the 1st country to meet EITI Standards

OGP

Actively participated in the National Action Plan.

Fulfilling requirements as a commitment holder for PH-EITI compliance. On-going.

Engaging with Multi-Stakeholders

With Government

- DENR-MGB
- CHR
- NCIP
- PCOO
- LGUs
- Legislators

With Media

- Supported and participated numerous press conferences
- TV and radio interviews
- Produced and disseminated PRs.

With CSOs & Networks

- Green Thumb Coalition
- Right to Know Right Now
- Tax Justice Network
- SOS-Yamang Bayan
- PMCJ
- CEED



Capacity Building

- Co-organized 6 Ph-EITI LGU Roadshows
- Conducted 19 subnational initiatives
- 2 subnational networks established
- On-going efforts in IP capacity building and coalition building

Advocacy

Through PH-EITI: continue to push for greater access to information

- Enhanced reporting and assessment of social and environmental data
- Non-metallic mines
- Data on auxiliary rights (water, land, forestry) granted to mining companies
- MMT/SDMP/NCIP reports from Regional Offices
- Beneficial Ownership
- Minahang Bayan

Advocacy

- Rationalize taxes and incentives in extractives
- Enhance governance in extractives

Research

- Assessment of the 3rd PH-EITI Report
- EITI Implementation in Select Countries in Asia
- Mining Fiscal Policies in Select Countries in Asia
- Environmental Monitoring Handbook and Primer
- Mining Transparency and Accountability Index
- Beneficial Ownership. Casting a wider net
- IP community trust fund Policy Brief and draft Administrative Order
- Learning Resource Guide

Strengthen Organizational Governance

- CSO National Conference Bantay Kita's and Action Planning Workshop
- Regular Board Meetings and Staff Planning Sessions
- Participation in 15 regional and knowledge exchange activities.
- Communications

	2015	2016	2017
Members	56	81	84
Network Affiliates	60	64	70

Lessons

- Policy framework and terms of reference for engagement
- Commitment
- $1+1+1=4$
- Comprehension
- Communication
- Credibility
- Trust
- Learning and innovation



Challenges

- Wanting policy framework (PH-EITI, FOI)
- Lack of resources (financial, human, data, capacity)
- Competing priorities amongst stakeholders
- Insecure political framework and upcoming elections
- Shrinking civic space



2018 Plans

Capacity and Coalition Building

- Empower IPs to assert their rights in the context of mining interests within their Ancestral Domains through outreach, knowledge sharing, capacity building, and coalition building
- Promote the institutionalization of governance mechanisms at the subnational level that would strengthen and safeguard civic space through outreach and capacity building.
- Continued support and participation of CSO reps in the PH-EITI MSG, EITI Roadshows

Advocate and Engage

- Mining Development Framework
 - Mining fiscal reforms
 - EITI institutionalization
 - Freedom of information
 - Alternative mining minerals management bill
 - Expanded and meaningful participation in multi-stakeholder platforms
 - Establishment of IP community trust fund
 - Continue to pursue increased data disclosure
 - Engage government, CSO networks/alliances and multi-stakeholder initiatives

Advocate and Engage

- Increase collaborative local, national, and global efforts to work on transparency and accountability and create safe spaces for communities to assemble, associate, and express and rights defenders to work
- Harmonize national government policies and actions with the internationally accepted principles on natural resource management and cascade it to the subnational to ensure sustainability.
- Participate actively in shaping the direction of natural resource management in the cha-cha and federalism discussions.

Research

- Assessment of the 4th PH-EITI Report
- Mining and Labor: Working in the Mines
- Women and IP Empowerment in the Context of Minerals Management
- ARMM and Natural Resource Governance
- Development of Knowledge Products that illustrate impacts to communities.
- Sustain and improve media platforms



Strengthen organizational governance

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- Communications
- Island representatives



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