

URDANETA CITY UNIVERSITY'S COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABLE BUILDING STANDARDS

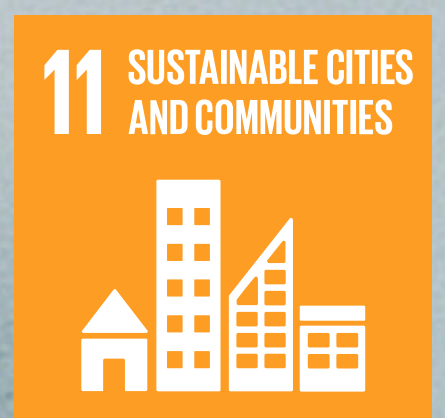
Urdaneta City, Pangasinan — Urdaneta City University (UCU) is actively partnering with local government units and community stakeholders to address urban planning and development challenges in the city, with a particular focus on ensuring access to affordable housing for local residents. This initiative aligns with the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

Through joint planning sessions, policy discussions, and community consultations, UCU provides research-based recommendations to support sustainable urban development. University experts in architecture, urban planning, and public administration work closely with local authorities to identify priority areas for affordable housing, improve land use planning, and ensure that community needs are reflected in development projects.

The university also engages with residents directly, gathering feedback and assessing housing requirements to help authorities implement solutions that are equitable and sustainable. These collaborative efforts aim to balance urban growth with the social and economic needs of the population, ensuring that housing opportunities remain accessible, safe, and affordable.

By leveraging its academic expertise and fostering strong partnerships with local authorities, UCU contributes to creating a city that is inclusive, resilient, and responsive to the needs of its residents. Through these initiatives, the university demonstrates its commitment to supporting sustainable urban planning and advancing SDG 11 within the Urdaneta community.

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URDANETA CITY UNIVERSITY ADVANCES SUSTAINABLE CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT WITH GREEN BUILDING INITIATIVES

Urdaneta City, Pangasinan — Demonstrating its commitment to the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goal 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities), Urdaneta City University (UCU) is taking concrete steps to ensure that new campus buildings adhere to sustainable and environmentally responsible standards. In alignment with national guidelines and international benchmarks such as the World Green Building Council, the university is designing and constructing facilities that prioritize energy efficiency, resource conservation, and long-term environmental impact.

All new buildings are being planned with sustainable materials, energy-saving technologies, and environmentally conscious design principles. The university also incorporates water-efficient systems, improved indoor air quality measures, and optimized natural lighting to reduce energy consumption and operational costs.

By following certified green building standards, UCU ensures that its infrastructure not only meets the immediate needs of students, faculty, and staff but also contributes to broader environmental sustainability objectives. The initiative underscores the university's dedication to fostering a sustainable campus while serving as a model for responsible development in Urdaneta City and the wider Pangasinan region.

Through these efforts, UCU demonstrates how higher education institutions can integrate sustainability into campus planning, supporting SDG 11 while preparing students and the community to value environmentally responsible practices for generations to come.

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