4. Towards Environment and Community

We can all agree how difficult commuting can be. Aside from traffic, there’s the hassle of waiting in long queues and dealing with cramped spaces—whether on a bus, jeep or train—during rush hour. These are just some of the struggles commuters face every day and it is more tedious than the actual work we do in the office. Now, imagine utilizing technology to make our life easier on the way to work or anywhere. What if we adopt it in our jeepneys? Visualize the convenience of going cashless—no more drivers asking if you have a smaller bill or the exact amount, and no need to worry whether you’ve received the right change. These are some of the solutions DTPH is pushing through in order to drive positive change in community. According to Pres. Gabby-san, he will sustain projects that directly contribute to the Philippine society, such as the Jeepney Project and Smart Agri. Through these initiatives, it gives him a strong sense of connection with the local community and the environment. *“I find them very rewarding and inspiring.”*

Aside from current projects for our community and environment, it is also important to establish a strong connection between the Philippines and Japan in other to create more solutions that benefits our people and environment. Pres. Gabby-san plans to hold a hackathon in order for DTPH talents to demonstrate and enhance their skills. Through this initiative, it will utilize the capabilities of DTPH talents to come up with solutions that might improve the situation Philippine society is dealing with. *“DTPH talents can freely come up with ideas and, depending on the content, collaborate with local organizations in the Philippines, with a view to turning them into businesses.”*

**Part III: Traversing Beyond—Your Next President’s Message**

Everyone has a story to tell, and sometimes, it’s in sharing these stories that we realize how much we have in common.It’s the journey that defines the meaning of success. Being a president of the company is not an easy job—that’s why it requires a person that can give joy and fulfillment in the midst of challenges and responsibilities. Let’s hear it from President Gabby: *“The happiest moments in my career have been the moments when I have overcome difficult challenges and shared a sense of accomplishment with my colleagues. As president, over the next 10 years, we would like to increase opportunities for all DTPH talents to achieve their own goals and focus on building an organization where everyone can share success and joy. DTPH will continue to grow as one and contribute to society, and we will envision a future where each and every employee can be proud and fulfilled.”*