TRANSFORMATIVE ECONOMIC MOVEMENTS AT THE ASEAN GRASOOTS

HOPE & INCLUSION BASED ON SSE & SDG
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UNITED NATIONS & GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT PLANS
SDG AGENDA

• UN 2030 Agenda – Sept 25, 2015
• “Leaving no one behind”
• SDGs contain the 3 dimensions of sustainable development: economic, social & environment
• The agenda now is a focus not just on development concerns but also human rights and environment.
• Partnership: Public, Private sector & civil society
OVERVIEW

17 Goals
169 Targets
230 Indicators
SDGs provide a unique opportunity to integrate five dimensions of development of SDGs namely:-

• **People** – human development including personal freedoms

• **Prosperity** – wealth creation, economic growth & equitable distribution
SDGs & SSE – Conceptual Reflections

- **Planet** - environment - sustainable & responsible use of resources

- **Peace** - community solidarity, inter ethnic & religious harmony, justice & human rights

- **Partnership** - governance, accountability, cooperation among sectors
SDGs & SSE – Conceptual Reflections

SSE provides the platform to realise this potential at the community level in an integrated way:-

• SSE empowers local communities as the grassroots are in direct control of the enterprise and directly benefiting from it. People participation and joint cooperation is central.

• SSE creates a more just and equitable share of the resources especially wealth distribution context of wealth creation.
SDGs & SSE – Conceptual Reflections

• SSE fosters value transformation such as appreciation of diversity, respect of human dignity, self respect & fundamental human rights

• SSE has greater appreciation of the environment & appreciation of inter-generational sustainability

• SSE governance structure is to be participatory and accountable to the people
ASEAN COMMUNITY VISION 2025

- ASEAN Political-Security Community
- ASEAN Economic Community
- ASEAN Socio-Cultural Community

ASEAN 2025: Forging Ahead Together

- An inclusive community
- A sustainable community
- A resilient community
- A dynamic and harmonious community
Sharing stories from the ground

• Malaysia – Onn Sein
• Thailand – Boonsoom & Daodol
• Indonesia – Eri & Chandra
• Philippines – Ben
• We can draw significance and synergies from micro experiences for macro policy formulation.

• Community based initiatives can drive an integrated approach to SDG implementation.
World Social Forum of convergence of Transformative Economies

• A two-year process of convergence to build an Inclusive World Agenda

• The objective is to start a process of convergence between all initiatives, practices, movements and ways of understanding the economy that share the common goal of transforming the existing economic system, beyond Social and Solidarity Economy.

• Another World already exists. We now need to bring together our strength, the common solutions and practices both locally and internationally, to build an inclusive world agenda, and jointly face today’s main challenges!

• Spring 2020: World Social Forum in Barcelona

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