## BOC FEEDS ABANDONED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN AT RSCC

PALO, LEYTE – BOC Collection District VIII employees, headed by Acting District Collector Avelino C. Alberca conducted a feeding program under the BOC Cares Program to some twenty-five (25) pre-school children and twelve (12) infants and toddlers at the Reception and Study Center for Children (RSCC) in Pawing, Palo, Leyte on Saturday, May 27, 2017.

A short program was also prepared by the children to express gratitude to their benefactors followed by a brief lecture about foster care and adopting children by Isolita Conde, Social Welfare Officer II in the said facility.

The official also led in receiving in-kind donations from BOC. ###



**BOC CARES** Neglected and abandoned children at the at the Reception and Study Center for Children (RSCC) in Pawing, Palo, Leyte pose with BOC employees during an outreach and feeding program

## BOC JOINS WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY CELEBRATION

TACLOBAN CITY – On May 28, 2017, Sunday, BOC Collection District VIII employees, headed by Acting District Collector Avelino C. Alberca joined over a thousand participants from various government and non-government organizations in a fun run, in line with the celebration of World No Tobacco Day on May 31, 2017 spearheaded by the Department of Health (DOH) Regional Field Office VIII.

"The activity was held to create public awareness regarding the ill effects of tobacco smoking, which is one of the pressing problems in the world today," said Charisse Daya, Regional Tobacco Control Program Coordinator.

Anchored on the theme, "Tobacco-A Threat To Development," BOC VIII also expressed its support in the campaign by implementing a smoke-free zone within its premises at all times. ###



**TOBACCO-FREE EV** BOC Acting District Collector Avelino C. Alberca (center right), DOH 8 Regional Director Minerva Molon (center left) pose with BOC Tacloban employees after the successful World No Tobacco Day Fun Run at Capitol Grounds, Tacloban City