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the same as civil society. And also there is the question, or constraint, or challenge, of accommodating the civil society agenda in project work.

The possibilities and strategies that I would like to put forward in this discussion are about the additional actors that could be involved or should be involved in future development assistance projects. This has been mentioned earlier today with regard to the Regional Representative Council or DPD. There is also the Sulawesi Regional Development Cooperation Board (BKPRS), which is a body facilitating cooperation among the regions and among the provinces of Sulawesi. And as also mentioned by Greg Elms is the Chamber of Commerce, which in this case is the regional Chamber of Commerce or Kadinda. Possibilities and strategies also refer to the mechanisms of carrying out projects. How do we think about project development? How do we go about protocol development? Should we be developing a protocol in terms of management and accountability? And with regard to what I would describe as an involvement model, I would give such examples as the recently completed elections or the national immunization week. Those were very successful programs in Indonesia. Such an involvement model is able to allow for many agencies and many donors to be involved. Can we undertake something, such as developing a program or projects that could involve many donors and many organizations in Indonesia? Such an approach could be seen as an innovative strategy for new project development.

I will conclude here with the mention of a potpourri of activities as a sort of brainstorming; among others, I would include cross culture communications programs as a basis for cooperation, or programs for twinning or mentoring between Canadian and Indonesian government officials or civil society. Such programs can be developed with matching funds between Canadian and multi-lateral agencies, and also with ASEAN. My last point, and I think the most important, is that we should consider all things "e". E-government, e-procurement, e-business - this would be a good initiative and would also support the development of the Regional Environmental Caucus, the Regional Representative Council (DPD), the BKPRS, as well as existing initiatives such as the Tomini Bay resource development program, Sulawesi trade centre development, and microfinance programs for women. In order to accomplish such things we need to engage champions, such as the many champions we have in this room today.