

### **Editor's Comment:**

My editorial decision is to publish as is with minor corrections.

I suggest revised title: "Econometric Study: Natural Disasters Impact on Village Development in Indonesia"

The article is an impressive research article. The article is well-written, most interesting and important.

Based on the regression results above, almost all variables significantly negatively influence the Economic Resilience Index. Of the three independent variables in this study, it is known that volcanic eruptions and land drought have the deepest significant negative impact one year and two years later. The results align with several previous studies which stated that natural disasters negatively impact the economic conditions of society and regional development (Panwar & Sen, 2019; Rossello et al., 2020). For this reason, an extra role is needed from the government to carry out evacuations when a disaster occurs and mitigate from the start to minimize negative impacts.

In the Bible Joseph speaks to Pharaoh: Genesis 41: "25And Joseph said unto Pharaoh: 'The dream of Pharaoh is one; what God is about to do He hath declared unto Pharaoh. 26The seven good kine are seven years; and the seven good ears are seven years: the dream is one. 27And the seven lean and ill-favoured kine that came up after them are seven years, and also the seven empty ears blasted with the east wind; they shall be seven years of famine. 28That is the thing which I spoke unto Pharaoh: what God is about to do He hath shown unto Pharaoh. 29Behold, there come seven years of great plenty throughout all the land of Egypt. 30And there shall arise after them seven years of famine; and all the plenty shall be forgotten in the land of Egypt; and the famine shall consume the land; 31and the plenty shall not be known in the land by reason of that famine which followeth; for it shall be very grievous."

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