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WATER SECTOR TRUST FUND FINANCIAL MONITORING VISIT TO LAMU COUNTY

Water Sector Trust Fund (WaterFund) representatives, accompanied by Ms. Tine Lunn, Chief Finance Officer and Ms. Nancy Njenga, Programme Officer, both from the Danish International Development Agency (DANIDA) visited Lamu County.

The main aim of the visit was to monitor the current status of projects funded by DANIDA under the Drought Emergency Response Programme (DERP) as well as record keeping of the projects. The key areas of interest were: Kizingitini women djabias in Pate Island, Shella shallow wells and Manda Maweni project which has so far expanded as a result of support from Water Resources Authority (WRA) and Lamu County.

This is an annual visit organised by DANIDA to conduct technical and financial monitoring visits for the EU SHARE and Drought Emergency Response Programme (DERP).



WaterFund and DANIDA teams at Shella shallow wells, Lamu County





Monitoring of Kizingitini women djabias in Pate Island



(Left) Monitoring visit to Manda Maweni project

(Right) The team inspecting water sales records



WATERFUND DEVELOPS GOVERNANCE ASSESSMENT TOOL FOR WATER SERVICE PROVIDERS

WaterFund led by Mr. Patrick Kokonya, Chairman Board of Trustees, held a workshop in Naivasha to discuss ways of improving the governance structures of Water Service Providers (WSPs) through a governance assessment tool. This tool is key in risk management and mitigation, and is an incentive for WSPs to use in sourcing for funds.

In attendance were WaterFund Board of Trustees, WSPs represented by Nakuru Rural Water and Sanitation Company (NARUWASCO), Naivasha Water Sewerage and Sanitation Company (NAIVAWASS), Homa Bay Water and Sanitation Company (HOMAWASCO), Nairobi City Water and Sewerage Company (NCWSC), and WaterFund representatives.



(Left) Mr. Patrick Kokonya, Chairman Board of Trustees WaterFund, during the workshop

(Right) Presentations going on at the workshop



MEETINGS AT WATERFUND

Across the week, the following meetings took place:

- WaterFund Programme Steering Group (PSG) held a meeting with representatives from development partners and technical advisors to deliberate on the approved financial year 2019/2020 work plan and budget among other issues.



Programme Steering Group (PSG) meeting



BLAST FROM THE PAST: FEATURED IN SITREP #75 – WATERFUND ATTENDS THE PRESIDENTIAL LAUNCH OF WATER SANITATION AND HYGIENE (WASH) FOR SCHOOLS


WATER SERVICES TRUST FUND (WSTF)

WSTF UPDATES

16th to 20th MAY 2016 SITUATION REPORT

The WaterFund's situation report no. 75 (SITREP #75) covered the period **16th to 20th May 2016**. Among the highlights was that WaterFund Chairman of the Board of Trustees together with the CEO accompanied H.E. Uhuru Kenyatta, President of the Republic of Kenya and Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Water and Irrigation to the launch of WASH programme for schools in Wajir Girls Secondary School in Wajir County.

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