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WATERFUND MANAGEMENT MEET TO REVIEW THE ANNUAL PERFOMANCE FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2020/2021

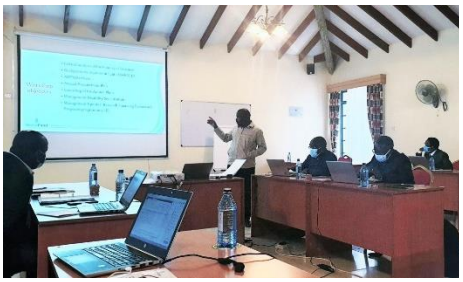
As part of effective planning and monitoring the implementation of strategies for FY2020/2021, Water Sector Trust Fund held a management retreat for documenting the progress, challenges as well as lessons learnt during the implementation of the revised Strategic Plan 2018-2022. Management evaluated the achievements against the set targets to inform the institution's planning process going forward.

The objectives of the retreat included annual performance review, budget finalisation, work plan harmonisation, harmonisation of the annual procurement plan, cascading of the performance contract targets and review of the WaterFund's COVID-19 response strategy.

During the meeting, management was also sensitised on disability mainstreaming.



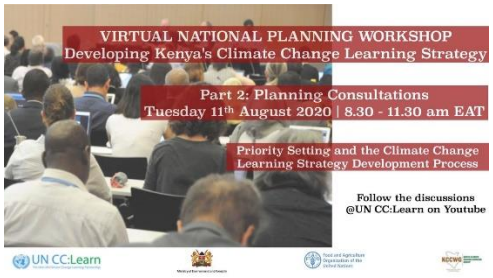
WaterFund management during annual performance review and work-planning in Machakos County



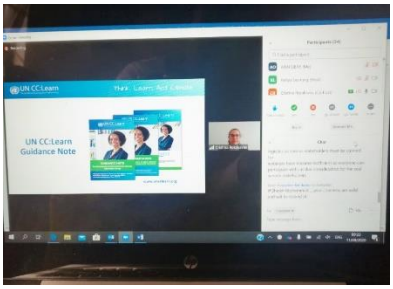
WATERFUND MEETINGS

WaterFund is pleased to note that online meetings have been put in place as a measure to protect its staff and meeting participants from COVID-19 infections. Across the past weeks, the following online meeting took place.

- WaterFund took part in a virtual workshop spearheaded by the United Nations Climate Change which focused on National Planning towards development of a National Climate Change Learning Strategy for Kenya



WaterFund representative participating in the virtual workshop on Skype



FIELD ACTIVITIES: MONITORING EXERCISES

Field activities including monitoring and inspection of WaterFund's projects continued across the week. WaterFund is pleased to note that project Implementing agencies are putting in place measures to protect their staff and members of the public from COVID-19 infections.

- WaterFund monitored rain water harvesting tanks and springs protection practices implemented by Mbuguni Water Resources Users Association (WRUA). The Programme is funded by under WaterFund's Joint 6 Programme (J6P) with financial support from Embassy of Finland and Embassy of Sweden.
- WaterFund staff spearheaded triggering activities in Koromei village, Mandera County and Chepulpul village West Pokot County as part of the Community Led Total Sanitation process. Triggering refers to ways of igniting community interests in ending open defecation, usually by building simple toilets such as pit latrines.
- Monitoring and inspection of an ongoing construction of Bamba Public Sanitation Facility (PSF) in Kilifi County. This project is currently implemented under WaterFund's Ending Drought Emergency-Climate Proofed Infrastructure Programme (EDE-CPIRA) funded by the European Union.
- WaterFund under its Green Growth Employment Programme (GGEP) inspected Namoruakwan Water Project at Katilia ward, Turkana East Sub-County.



Inspection of Mbuguni WRUA's Rain Water harvesting tank)





(Centre) Participants during triggering activities in Koromei village, Mandera County and (Right) Chepulpul Village, West Pokot County



Ongoing construction of Bamba Public Sanitation Facility in Kilifi County



Complete 4 door VIP pit latrine at Lokorkor Primary School, Turkana East Sub-County under Namoruakwan Water Project



A solar panel that produces energy for pumping water to the elevated steel tank under Namoruakwan Water Project, Turkana East Sub-County

BLAST FROM THE PAST: FEATURED IN SITREP #114 – WATERFUND AND EUROPEAN UNION DISCUSS CLIMATE-PROOFED PROGRAMME



The WaterFund's Situation Report No. 114 (SITREP #114) covered the period **29th May to 2nd June 2017**. Among the highlights was that WaterFund and the European Union (EU) met to discuss way forward on the Climate Proofed Infrastructure Programme.

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