

REF. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR PROMOTION OF TREE PLANTING AND SUTAINABLE USE OF NATURAL RESOURCES FOR POVERTY REDUCTION

Dear donor,

More hectars of reserved forests in Tanzania are endangering to disappear or lose its values in eco-system and importance following highly dependence and consumption of forest resources and products for livelihood includes building materials, cooking energy, fossil materials and biodiversity materials amongst other domestic commercial and industrial needs for social economic development that affects the balance of reserved forest

The Kungwe Formation Centre is keen to promote and develop reforestation project in Kungwe village to protect the values and balance of forests in village by sensitize, capacity building and facilitate the villagers to plant 100 acres and grow trees to benefit homes and fields while manage 150 bee hives to reduce dependence of natural resources use for their livelihood, while promote and improve alternative bee keeping for poverty reduction

According to the Project Estimates the project will cost the total of US$ 10,583.07

We are ready to provide any necessary documents needed by the project and we are ready to provide any reports needed to this project.

Yours

………………………………………………………..

**REV. FR. ETIENNE SION, M.afr.**

**PROJECT COORDINATOR.**

**HISTORICAL BACKGROUND OF THE CONGREGATION**

Kungwe Formation Centre is situated in Kungwe Village, Tomondo Ward, Division Mkuyuni and Morogoro Rural District , Morogoro Region,Tanzania.

Our purpose is multiple:

To Start a Youth Formation Centre, a Retreat Centre called Cana Centre, Hostel to accommodate those with spiritual problem, Sisters House, a Church, farm to produce food for the centre, different workshops, and so on. In the year 2004 Kungwe Village welcomed us in 2008 the authority of the village allowed us to seek the Title Deed,and in 2012 the plot was surveyed.

**OBJECTIVES**

**Of whom, what and where ????????**

1. ***AGRICULTURE AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP***
2. To train farmers on scientific and modern Agriculture for better productivity.
3. To assist Community in irrigation farming during dry season
4. To provide aids to small farmers to enhance Agriculture production
5. To establish Agricultural center for training and capacity building among the small farmers.
6. To assist farmers to look for markets for their products internally and external
7. To establish agriculture forum that will allow farmers to discuss their issues related to Agriculture.
8. To establish different manufacturing factories such as rural electrification, water purifications factories, sausage making factory, Domestic animals slaughtering factories, fruits processing. Milk processing, cassava processing etc.
9. ***ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION***
10. To establish Environmental Conservation Clubs in Primary and Secondary Schools for tree Plantations and Conservations.
11. To provide training about Modern Agronomic techniques among the Farmers for environmental conservation.
12. To assist Community in preserving and Conserving all water catchments (Water Sources)
13. To establish wildlife sites such as Animal Zoo and other wildlife conservations
14. **WATER**
15. To drill bore hole in rural areas so that to have clean and safe water
16. To establish the school wash programs in Nursery school, Primary schools, and secondary schools.
17. To renovate the exist water pipes and water tanks in urban and rural areas
18. **PROPAGATION OF FAITH**
19. To train the Christian on True catholic teaching
20. Train the youths to different catholic formations
21. To assist the Frustrated youth on drug addicted you so that they see Jesus as their servor

.

**1.0 Project Proposal Basic Information**

* 1. Project Title: Promotion of trees planting and sustainable use of natural resources for poverty reduction .
  2. Project location: Kungwe villages,Morogoro region, Tanzania
  3. Proposed priority area: Improvement of livelihood of communities living adjacent to the forest resource base

**Objective No 1:**

* To promote and support improved bee keeping for sustainable income, medicinal and nutrition to reduce poverty and reduce malnutrition rates

**Objective No 2:**

* To promote trees planting through promotion of woodlots to enable the villagers to plant and adapt new practices to engage in trees planting to benefits nature

**Objective No3:**

* To promote stakeholders’ network in collaborative efforts to protect and promote sustainable natural resources utilization for the benefits of the poor

**Intermediate Results/Outputs**

* Over 400 villagers identified and trained on social conservation matters to benefits 4 villages resulted by the project outcomes and benefits
* 4 community based nurseries established and equipped with tools and seeds to replant trees to benefits 400 people
* 4 village councils empowered to manage trees planting efforts for the benefits of their villagers
* 150 improved bee hives purchased and functioning to diversify sources of sustainable income
* 50% of women members empowered to take the roles and leadership in self help groups those managing project
* 16 community based resources person identified and trained to spreads intensive social skills –trees planting and conservation matters
* 150 communities based self help groups sensitized, trained to strategies to manage sustainable project
* 20 rural stakeholders identified and became project partners to sustain and own their project

**Verifiable Indicators**

* Number of villages reached and supported to plant trees
* Number of modern bee hives purchased and fitted at the forests
* Number of self help groups sensitized and trained social skills
* Number of people punished following trees cutting without village license
* Number of local partners/ actors identified and linked to participate in project development
* Number of partners/actors trained and empowered in bee keeping and trees planting practices
* Number of trees nursery established at targeted villages
* % of vulnerable and poor youths and women identified and recruited to access education on

bees and trees planting

* Number of trees planted and disseminated at affordable cost
* % of revenues fetched from bees was, honey and trees sales
* Number of photos and success stories gathered from beneficiaries
* Number of villagers trained on cultural practices in trees plating
* Number of trained environmental committee members to manage forests utilization
* Number of by-laws formed to protect trees destruction
* Number of workshops and meetings held with stakeholders includes local government
  1. **Project expected results**
* Increased sustainable food and long term sustainable income through sales of honey and wax for poverty reduction
* Increased the number of barriers to wind, which in turn reduce soil erosion, and destruction of crops and property by wind.
* Improved livelihood through sale of wood products such as timber (round wood), peeler logs (for production of veneers used in plywood manufacture), firewood etc.
* Reduced on the cost of energy for cooking through promotion of planting short rotation trees or shrubs that can provide fuel wood.
* Contributes to climate stabilization thus reducing the negative effects of climate change reducing carbon emissions and global warming.
* Improved health of people because of eating honey and medicinal needs resulted by honey
* .Improved community knowledge and awareness on climatic change adaptation issues

Estimated amount of net anthropogenic GHG removals by sinks and avoided GHG emissions over the project lifetime