

## BARINGO COUNTY GOVERNMENT

CATEGORY:	Government
CSA PROJECT:	Drought Resilience and Sustainable Livelihoods Programme (DRSLP)
START YEAR:	2013
TARGET COUNTY:	Baringo
SCALE:	County
LOCATION (COUNTY):	Baringo, West pokot, Turkana, Isiolo, Samburu, Marsabit
PERIOD OF THE PROJECT:	2013-2021
GRANT SIZE OF THE PROJECT:	KES 1 Billion



## SUMMARY OF ACTIONS

Construction of irrigation infrastructure, provision of water, establishment of pasture and creating market linkages.

## CONTEXT

Barwesa ward is a semi arid region and very susceptible to climatic shocks-drought and floods.

## OBJECTIVE OF THE CSA PROJECT

The main objective of the project is to build resilience of communities to drought.

## KEY ACTIVITIES

FARM LEVEL	COUNTY	CSA INDICATORS MONITORED
Soil management	Baringo	No of demos on compost making
Agroforestry	Baringo	No of tree nurseries established No of demo farms established
Promotion of drought tolerant crops	Baringo	-quantity of resilient seed distributed and planted
Climate smart livestock practices	Baringo	-no of animals upgraded -no of upgrading schemes
Smart water management	Baringo	-no of technologies promoted and adopted
Disease and pest management	Baringo	-reduced incidences of diseases and pests
BEYOND FARM LEVEL		INDICATORS MONITORED

Gender (Youth and Women inclusion in CSA)	Baringo	No of women and youth participating in csa activities
Policy and Advocacy	Baringo	-CC policy in place -allocation to CC actions
CSA based access to markets and value chains	Baringo	-no of market linkages created -volume of produce traded

### INVOLVEMENT IN CLIMATE SMART AGRICULTURE WORK

- Policy formulation (crafting different response options to identified problems)
- Knowledge dissemination (education and awareness creation)
- Technology transfer
- Coordination and networking

### RELEVANCE OF CSA MSP TO SCOPE OF WORK

- Information about CSA
- Networking
- Learning and exchange
- Reporting and showcasing
- Develop new business
- Influence policy environment

### RECOMMENDATION ON WAYS TO SUPPORT MSP

- Involved in developing specific climate smart agriculture policies, legislations, strategies, plans, etc. (Specify which ones)
- Involved in dissemination of climate smart agriculture knowledge and technologies
- Involved in developing capacities of key actors involved in climate smart agriculture implementation
- Mobilizing actors and facilitating dialogue on climate smart agriculture issues/actions?
- Conduct research to provide scientific evidence (specify the research)
- Provided financial support to proposed initiatives
- Monitoring, evaluation and audit of climate smart agriculture aspects to enhance accountability
- Involved in supporting coordination of actions

### LESSONS LEARNED AND CHALLENGES IN IMPLEMENTATION OF CSA PROJECT

- Communities have insufficient knowledge on climate change issues
- Community action plans on CC should implemented and enhanced
- CSA projects contributes to reduced risks to climate shocks
- Challenges-low levels of funding, low adoption of csa technologies by communities

### RELEVANT LINKS & REFERENCES

[drslp – Multinational Drought Resilience and Sustainable Livelihoods Programme- Kenya Project \(DRSLP\) \(kilimo.go.ke\)](http://kilimo.go.ke)

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