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NOTIFICATION OF AWARD FOR GRANTS TO SUCCESSFUL COMMON INTEREST GROUPS (CIGs) AFTER THE
4TH CALL FOR PROPOSAL -KIRINYAGA COUNTY

1. Background

Upper Tana Natural Resources Management Project is an eight year (2012-2020) project funded by Government of Kenya, International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD), Spanish Trust Fund and the Local community. The goal of the project is to "contribute to reduction of rural poverty in the Upper Tana river catchment". This goal is pursued via two development objectives which reflect the poverty-environment nexus namely (i) increased sustainable food production and incomes for poor rural households living in the project area; and (ii) sustainable management of natural resources for provision of environmental services. The project is covering 24 river basins and the tributaries of the four (4) rivers formerly under MKEPP that drain into the Tana River as follows:

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| Tributaries of former Mt Kenya Pilot Project for NRM (MKEPP) River Basins (4) | Ena (Itimbogo, Thuura and Gangara) Kapingazi/Rupingazi (Kiye, Thambana, Itabua & Kathita), Kathita (Gaciama/Kinyaritha, Kuuru, Riji), Mutonga/Kithinu (Naka, Nithi, South Maara., North Maara and Thuci) |
| High Priority River Basins for UTaNRMP (12) | Maragua, Murubara, Nairobi, Ragati, Rujiweru, Rupingazi, SabaSaba, Thangatha, Thanantu, Thiba, Thika/Sasumua, Thingithu |
| Twelve (12) Other River Basins for UTaNRMP | Amboni/Muringato, Iraru, Kayahwe, Chania, Mara, Mariara, Mathioya, Nyamindi, Ruguti, Rwamuthambi, Sagana, Ura |

Implementation of the project is through four components namely: Sustainable Water Resources and Natural Resources Management, Sustainable Rural Livelihoods, Community Empowerment and Project Coordination and Management.

2 Award of Matching Grants to Common Interest Groups (CIGs)

The project advertised in the media, at local public institution and through the FDACs for Common Interest Groups (CIGs) to apply for matching grants from the Project, to support the implementation of Income Generating Activities (IGAs).

The Common Interest Groups (CIGs) submitted proposals to the project and after a rigorous desk and field appraisal, some groups qualified for the award of the grants.

A full list of the successful groups and the amounts of grant awarded to each groups is found at the following sites/offices:-

- Project websites - www.utanrmp.or.ke
 - Chairpersons of the Focal Development Areas (FDAs);
 - County Project Coordinators Office ;
 - County and Sub-county offices of the implementing departments of Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries, Social Services & Kenya Forest Service (KFS) offices.
- 3) Grants conditions
- Before release of 1st tranche of funds**, the successful CIG are requested to meet the following conditions before the first tranche of funds are released (as specified in the Matching Grants Manual 4TH Edition July 2017)
 - Must sign an Implementation Agreement before the CIGs and UTaNRMP
 - Provide community cash contribution (3-10%) and materials and labour (7-20%) or a combination of both depending on the category as specified in the Matching Grants Manual;
 - Open designated bank accounts in reputable commercial banks.;
 - Form three sub-committees i.e. finance, procurement and monitoring and evaluation ;
 - During implementation**
 - The groups will be required to fully meet the balance of their community contribution depending on the category
 - The groups will be required to implement soil and water conservation measures in all farms of the CIGs members funded.

Common Interest Groups (CIGs) whose names are not listed in this notification should consider their proposal unsuccessful.

| S/N | RIVER BASIN | FDA | CIG NAME | DONOR BUDGET (Ksh) |
|-----|--------------|-----------|--------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1 | Thiba | Marura | Ngurubani Visioners Biz | 1,377,225 |
| 2 | Rwamuth ambi | Gikanguki | Kahama Cbo | 830,655 |
| 3 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Thumaita West Farmers Shg | 1,005,150 |
| 4 | Rwamuth ambi | Kigasa | Sagaki Shg | 877,830 |
| 5 | Nyamindi | Thingeni | Kianjogu Uprising Yg | 419,500 |
| 6 | Rwamuth ambi | Kagubari | Kanjoga Women Group | 750,510 |
| 7 | Thiba | Murubara | Rukenya Jijenge Yg | 711,225 |
| 8 | Rwamuth ambi | Gikanguki | Kwihota Wg | 456,250 |
| 9 | Rwamuth ambi | Gikanguki | Ukulima Mbembe Shg | 150,700 |
| 10 | Rwamuth ambi | Gikanguki | Kuuga Na Gwika Wg | 559,530 |
| 11 | Nyamindi | Nyaruka | Rwandiri Shg | 718,680 |
| 12 | Nyamindi | Mukima | Kirwara Discovery Youth Group | 264,420 |
| 13 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Njirani Mwema Thumaita West Wg | 674,550 |

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| 14 | Rwamuth ambi | Gikanguki | Gakimucii Welfare Group | 623,190 |
| 15 | Thiba | Kaki | Kutus Jiinue Yg | 877,725 |
| 16 | Rwamuth ambi | Kagubari | Mucingi Women Shg | 1,382,500 |
| 17 | Nyamindi | Kathunya | Nyangeni Mt. Kenya Tourism And Conservation Group | 187,200 |
| 18 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Karigutu Men Shg | 187,200 |
| 19 | Nyamindi | Thingeni | Mwanianjau Mixed Day Sec Sch. | 366,975 |
| 20 | Rwamuth ambi | Kinyakia | St Mary's Village Home For Aged | 208,350 |
| 21 | Murubara | Rwaraka | Kamuka Youth Group | 842,625 |
| 22 | Rwamuth ambi | Kaguyu | Gitaraga Moat Shg | 187,200 |
| 23 | Thiba | Ndikaki | Young Warriors Yg | 1,119,465 |
| 24 | Thiba | Nduini | Kutus Motorbike Dealers | 881,775 |
| 25 | Thiba | Kirunda Kathare | Vision Motorcycle Operators Shg | 774,765 |
| 26 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Mugaka Shg | 299,250 |
| 27 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Samaki Safi Shg | 299,250 |
| 28 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Kithumbu Fish Grows Cluster | 299,250 |
| 29 | Nyamindi | Kakiki | Kimbimbi Dairy Goat Shg | 292,850 |
| 30 | Rwamuth ambi | Ng'othi | Kamwene Light Yg | 375,525 |
| 31 | Nyamindi | Kathunya | Kamwana Yg | 587,025 |
| 32 | Rwamuth ambi | Kaguyu | Mwangaza Disability Shg | 587,025 |
| 33 | Ragati | Nyarungu | Nguguini Vision Yg | 591,165 |
| 34 | Sagana | Rukanga | Rukanga Shg | 442,250 |
| 35 | Nyamindi | Kimakangu | Mahigaini Joint Farmers Shg | 488,950 |
| 36 | Rwamuth ambi | Gikanguki | Kianjang'a Network Youth Group | 591,165 |
| 37 | Nyamindi | Riagicheru | Kathiriku C Mwinyitia Wg | 323,240 |
| 38 | Rwamuth ambi | Kigasa | Mwietheri Shg | 435,995 |
| 39 | Sagana | Rukanga | Kawanjeri Kwa "U" Wg | 456,575 |
| 40 | Thiba | Mukarara | New Castle Thiba Shg | 226,450 |
| 41 | Nyamindi | Riamatha | Kimbimbi Central Pwd Shg | 206,775 |
| 42 | Nyamindi | Mukima | Kirwara Men Shg | 578,795 |
| 43 | Rwamuth ambi | Kigasa | Waita Farmers Shg | 435,995 |
| 44 | Rwamuth ambi | Kigasa | Njukaga Community Shg | 435,995 |
| 45 | Rwamuth ambi | Muki | Gathungururu Wg | 483,595 |
| 46 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Kathaka/Kagio Boda Shg | 864,250 |
| 47 | Nyamindi | Jerusalem | Enden Shg | 483,650 |
| 48 | Nyamindi | Kimakangu | Mahigaini Community Health Workers | 456,575 |
| 49 | Nyamindi | Mika | Clewika Welfare Wg | 456,575 |
| 50 | Nyamindi | Thingeni | Mwiitikiri Disabled Shg | 291,150 |
| 51 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Karimba Zero Grazing Shg | 435,995 |
| 52 | Ragati | Gathimusa | Mururi Ini Goodways Yg | 652,365 |
| 53 | Rwamuth ambi | Kagi | Gitaku Rural Electrification Project | 391,000 |
| 54 | Rwamuth ambi | Kigasa | Jirani Wg | 578,795 |
| 55 | Rwamuth ambi | Kagi | Gathuthi Ushirika Shg | 435,995 |
| 56 | Rwamuth ambi | Kagubari | Nyumba Ya Ageni Shg | 435,995 |
| 57 | Rwamuth ambi | Kigasa | Sagana Bodaboda Sacco | 1,119,465 |
| 58 | Rwamuth ambi | Kigasa | Kirinyaga Community Dvlpt Network | 292,850 |
| 59 | Rwamuth ambi | Kigasa | Pamoja Gakindu Shg | 602,595 |
| 60 | Nyamindi | Kimakangu | Spotlight Yg | 591,165 |
| 61 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Njigi Jijenge Initiative Group | 456,575 |
| 62 | Nyamindi | Kakiki | Kirimara Guteithania Shg | 435,995 |
| 63 | Rwamuth ambi | Gikanguki | Baricho Riders Yg | 291,150 |

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| 64 | Rwamuth ambi | Kagubari | Mburi Shg | 792,995 |
| 65 | Nyamindi | Riamatha | Kimbimbi Hope Plwds Shg | 240,525 |
| 66 | Rwamuth ambi | Muki | Giakaiki Men Shg | 226,450 |
| 67 | Rwamuth ambi | Kinyakia | Umoja Kinyaga Wg | 226,450 |
| 68 | Rwamuth ambi | Kaguyu | Sacred Heart Kangaita Sech Sch | 284,250 |
| 69 | Rwamuth ambi | Kaguyu | Wendani Wa Riakiania Shg | 435,995 |
| 70 | Rwamuth ambi | Kinyakia | Kagio Banana Growers Shg | 383,950 |
| 71 | Nyamindi | Riamatha | Kimbimbi United Disabled Shg | 206,775 |
| 72 | Rupingazi | Kangengi | Kanjuu Digital Yg | 1,119,465 |
| 73 | Thiba | Rugara Rwa Kimi | Munyururu Focus Yg | 1,119,465 |
| 74 | Rwamuth ambi | Kimagaki | Wega Wa Kinya Kiiru Shg | 239,575 |
| 75 | Rwamuth ambi | Kagi | Kageki Shg | 456,575 |
| TOTAL | | | | 39,876,925 |

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