

Objectives & Outputs

Objective:

Strengthen CSO capacity

to implement community-based CCA and DRR activities and to mainstream Adaptation and DRR into their operations.

Outputs:

1. Capacity building

2. Sub-grants CB adaptation & DRR

3. Knowledge Products





Key Project Information

Funding: ~US\$2.2 million

(ADB PPCR & Plan International)

of which \$1.4 million in sub-grants

Timing: 3 years: April 2015 - April 2018

Sub-grantees: 19 local NGO and CBOs

Geographic location: 17 Provinces

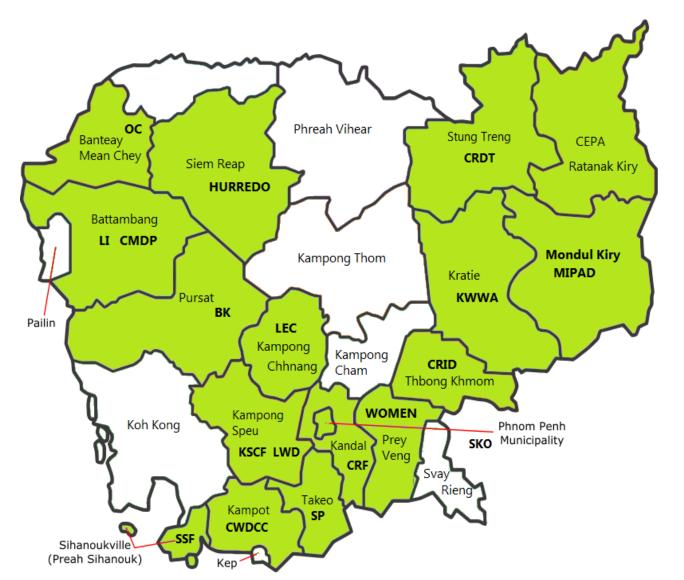
Sub-grant size: \$42,000 to \$100,000 / CSO

Sub-grant duration: 18 months, June 2016- December 2017

Partners and Eco Zone Distribution

COAST	DELTA	TONLE SAP	MOUNTAIN & Uplands	URBAN
CWDCC (Kampot) SSF (Sihanoukville Koh Rong)	CRID (Tbong Khmum) CRF (Kandal) KWWA(Kratie) KSCF (Kampong Speu) LWD (Kampong, Speu) SP (Takeo) WOMEN (Prey Veng)	BK (Pursat) HURREDO (Siem Reap) LI (Battambang) LEC (Kampong Chnang) OC (B. Manchey)	CEPA (Rattanakiri) CRDT (Stung Treng) MIPAD (Mondulkiri)	CMDP (Battambang) SKO (Phnom Penh)

Provincial Distribution



List of CSOs

1. Ban Teay Mean Chey	= 1
2. Battambang	= 2
3. Pursat	= 1
4. Kampong Chhnang	= 1
5. Kampong Speu	= 2
6. Kandal	= 1
7. Takeo	= 1
8. Kampot	= 1
9. Sihanoukville	= 1
10. Prey Veng	= 1
11. Phnom Penh	= 1
12. Thbong Khmom	= 1
13. Kratie	= 1
14. Mondul Kiry	= 1
15. Ratanak Kiry	= 1
16. Stung Treng	= 1
17. Siem Reap	= 1

Key Sector & Theme coverage across 19 projects

(# of projects)

GENDER/ WOMEN TARGET	YOUTH / CHILDREN	URBAN POOR	COASTAL	IP/ ETHNIC MONORITIES
12	7	2	2	3
66%	37%	11%	11%	16%

AG/IRR. IWRM	WASH / HEALTH	NRM / TOURISM/ LIVE- LIHOOD	COMM GROUPS, SHG, Finance Serv.	LG Plan. Mainstream into CIP
14	8	6	8	11
74%	42%	32%	42%	58%

Other Key Achievements

- 2-stage competitive selection process from original list of 130+ applicants
- 33 Vulnerability Reduction Analysis (VRA) process conducted at commune level as part of individual project design process



- Partner baseline capacity assessments of 19 (+4 control) CSOs
- CSO Capacity development:
 - Three 4-day comprehensive trainings to CSOs on various topics relevant to CB-CCA and DRR, project implementation and technical adaption sectors
 - On the ground coaching and mentoring to each partners
- Knowledge Product(s)

Observations from work with CSOs

- 1. CSO huge role at nexus between:
- Science / government / DPs / vulnerable

2. CSO capacity greatly varies

- 3. Struggle to **distinguish** between:
- resilience building ≠ development as usual
- 4. Difficulty of communities to distinguish between climate and non climate driven impacts
- => demand driven programming challenging
- 5. More **effective and proactive advocacy** welcome and needed!



Observations (continued)

- 6. Better translate trainings into concrete, effective & durable project interventions
- 7. CCA/DRR too often still single target project
- 8. For many, best adaptation decisions may not align with commercial / productivity decisions (incentives to better align those)
- 9. Climate unpredictable & data not localized:
 - => adaptation choices challenging and risky
- 10. Carefully formulate climate info and services because of liability potential



