



Civil society contributions to effective adaptation action, innovation & multilevel global learning. The example of the Adaptation Fund NGO Network.

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Effective adaptation action in Senegal

Adaptation to Coastal Erosion in Vulnerable Areas

- **sustainability**

- Information sharing and awareness raising
- Active participation of vulnerable coastal communities
- Promotion of gender and women's leadership (management of processing areas)
- Promotion of income generating activities (fish processing, market gardening, etc.)
- Capacity building of local populations on adaptation techniques to CC in particular, in relation to coastal erosion.

- **institutionalisation**

- Adequate decentralisation of relevant adaptation strategies
- Upcaling of project adaptation strategies to a national strategy for coastal erosion management.
- Network of coastal stakeholders
- A Coastal Act (# review by the Parliament)
- Presence of appropriate platforms for knowledge exchange but also to monitor and watch project achievements



The AF NGO Network's role in supporting learning and sharing of best practices

- independent updates/assessments of AF projects
- strengthening transparent and participatory approaches within the AF
 - on the AF Board level
 - on the country and regional level
 - through multi-stakeholder dialogues
- strengthening capacities of national and regional CSOs related to AF processes
- knowledgesharing in regional CSO hubs
- CSO dialogue during AF Board meetings
- ensuring accountability



AF core partners at the AF 10th anniversary event during COP23.

Thank you!

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