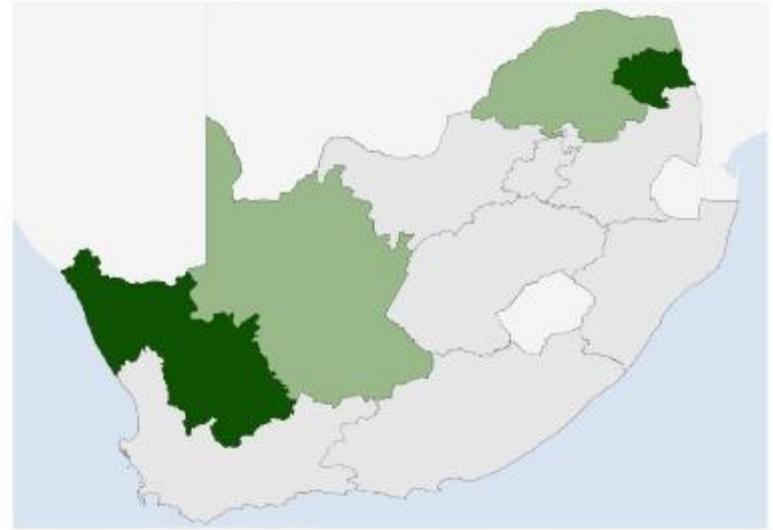


SMALL GRANTS FACILITY

Responding to climate change



Taking Adaptation to the Ground: A Small Grants Facility for enabling local level responses to climate change

(USD 2.5 million over 5.5 years)

- Provide 12 small grants of ~USD 100,000 each
- On-the-ground support to build local institutional capacity
- Lessons to inform scaling and replication of small grant-financing approaches



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High Level Outcomes



Agricultural Adaptation Assets



Livelihood Adaptation Assets



Settlement Adaptation Assets

- 12 livestock shelters;
- 89 climate-resilient livestock;
- 2 reservoirs for water storage;
- 4 nurseries;
- 1 biogas digester;
- 1 solar drier;
- 2 poultry houses;
- 3 communal climate-resilient food gardens;
- 3 climate-resilient grazing plans developed;
- 3.97 ha communal climate-resilient food gardens;
- 136 backyard climate-resilient food gardens;
- 37 tanks used for rainwater harvesting for small-scale farming; and
- 26 tanks for water storage for small-scale farming.

- 20 savings groups;
- 3 storage and processing sheds;
- 1 water committee;
- 1 early warning systems for fishers;
- 1 disaster risk response mechanism for fishers;
- 2 climate-resilient small-scale fisher cooperatives;
- 3 shelters for vegetable production; and
- 2 cooling facilities for food traders.

- 15 houses with improved insulation;
- 3 compost toilets;
- 2 earth dams refurbished;
- 154 tanks for domestic rainwater harvesting;
- 13 mobile herder shelters; and
- 5 donga/gullies rehabilitated.

12 Small Grant Recipient projects were approved and completed, building adaptive capacity and delivering a range of tangible local benefits for **1921** direct and **9006** indirect beneficiaries.



Key Challenges

1. Disaggregate small grant opportunities in accordance with grant recipient capacity to manage respective funds
2. Enable flexibility in reporting requirements based on grant-sizes
3. Local indigenous knowledge, culture and traditions must be integrated to project compliance with Environmental and Social Safeguard requirements



Lessons Learned

1. Sustainability of projects is embedded in bottom-up project formulation with grant recipients
2. Establishing local partnerships with local government representatives is essential
3. Integrating project learning exchanges catalyzes opportunities for scale-up and replication



Knowledge Products



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