

PACC PROJECT IN SOLOMON IS.

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FOCAL POINT

The project will be coordinated at the national level by the Climate Change Division (CCD) of the Ministry of Environment, Conservation & Meteorology (MECM) through the PACC Project Management Unit (PMU) with representations from various government ministries/agencies and non-government organizations. Through the PACC PMU, it will be responsible for the overall coordination and monitoring and evaluation of the overall project administration at the national level.

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- IMPLEMENTING AGENCY
- The Agriculture Research & Development Division of the Ministry of Agriculture & Livestock Development (MALD) will implement the project and will receive support from relevant stakeholders. The PMU is located within MALD. MALD and MECM will be primarily responsible for the planning and overall implementation of project activities, reporting and accounting of the project.

PACC Pilot Site in Solomon Islands

- Areas of highest risk in the Solomon Islands are the low-lying islands and atolls including Reef Islands, Ontong Java and Sikaiana. In the coastal lowland of Ontong Java, which is a pilot site for the PACC project, food shortages on the island have been reported to the National Disaster Management Office

2009 PACC ACTIVITIES.

- Funds received in October 2009
- PACC Inception Workshop
 - Inception workshop at the National level for stakeholders
 - Inception workshop for stakeholders at the provincial level was conducted
- Provincial consultation with communities of the project beneficiaries
- Recruitment of Project Management
- Co-Financing of Policy Development for Climate Change

2010 PACC PLANNED ACTIVITIES.

- Co-Financing of the development of Climate Change Policy with Ministry of Environment, Conservation and Meteorology (MECM) (\$USD55,000.00)
- Engagement of Consultant to develop Climate Change Policy (Contract signed)
- Development of 5 Year Work Plan for PACC
- Government co-financing for office space SBD\$24,000.00
- Mobilization of National and community core team to carry out climate change awareness activities at the community level
- Provincial consultation with communities of the project beneficiaries to introduce the project
- Carry out GIS mapping (survey) of the whole island of Luanua and Pelau (Ontong Java), Sikaina and Fenualoa.

2010 PACC PLANNED ACTIVITIES.

- Carry out a thorough climate change impact and vulnerability assessment in the respective communities.
- Assessment of food crop varieties on that Island.
- Identify problems with low production
- Identify Soil (soil analysis)
- Assessment of crop varieties grown.
- Assessment on local food preservation methods
- (Responsible parties-MAL, MECM and other stakeholders- Ministry of Fisheries, Infrastructures and communities).

Challenges

- Coordinating between with two government ministries
- Geographical location of the Pilot Sites (logistics)
- Recruitment of project management
- Tracking of transfer funds
- Face Form and reporting
- Securing office space

Way Forward

- NCCCT was conducted to discuss issues related to the project implementation, budgets and activities (6th May 2010)
- 2010 AWP was agreed by the NCCCT committee members
- Strengthen communication link and network between the communities of the project pilot sites
- PACC PMU part of the stakeholders involves in SNC V & A developing of tools
- Collaborate with SLM-GIS Component

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- ANY QUESTIONS..IF ANY???