Pacific Adaptation to Climate Change - Nauru

(Last MPR Meeting- 10th- 14th May 2010)

Mainstreaming

Key Achievements and Progress

Developing of Policies/ Plans

- Technical Committee established March 2010

Increased coordination between departments

Inter-departmental collation of water issues

- Steering Committee established with high decision makers at secretary level. This committee includes representation from community (community leaders) and non government organizations.

- Development of the Community Based Organization, comprising of district community leaders increasing collaboration between communities and importantly in the demonstration areas with government departments

- Initiating the establishment of a National Water unit



Developed for the National Water, Sanitation and Climate Outlook - CIE Department 2010 Louis. Bouchett

- Development of Policies/ Plans
 - Updates on the water issues through consultation (2011)
 - Currently occurring is the development of draft Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Policy
 - Disaster Risk Management Plan (2008). Initial discussions on the development of the DRM policy (SOPAC Consultant) and the possibility of having a joint Climate Change and Disaster Risk Management Policy.
 - Ongoing Technical Support and assistance from the regional office

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- Continual National Project Unit (NPU) promotion on water use and water management through district community outreaches and also through national and international days. E.g Government department displays, World Water Day, World Food Day. Community Communications through the established CBO.

- Operational Challenges
 - Incorporation and collation of information for the development of various plans and polices to include the issues that PACC Nauru would like to see addressed Communication issues
 - Financial Operations.
 - Limited Technical capacity on the development of policies/plans
 - Limited Local Water Experts

Pilot Demonstration

- Approved demonstration approach through committees. The demonstration is set in three phases to accommodate the different water issues in the two districts
 First Phase Solar Purification (Aiwo District)
 Second Phase Saltwater reticulation system (Aiwo and Denig Districts)
 Third Phase Rainwater harvesting Catchments (Denig District)
- Phase One Implementation and contract signatures
- Selection Criteria and Community Monitoring and Evaluation contracts approval through committees signed by community members.
- Development of guideline

Communications and Awareness

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Constraints and Challenges

Operational Challenges

Mainstreaming

- Minimal Baseline Studies concerning household level water use and water management, during the year, there was collation of various water reports from other departments to create a form of baseline on water issues.

- Demonstration
- Capacity Building
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- Project Management
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<u>Financial</u>

- Capacity Requirements for financial reporting (Regional Training 4th – 8th October 2010)

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