

COMMUNITY-LED LANDSCAPE MANAGEMENT PROJECT (CLLMP)

BLOCK LEVEL SENSITIZATION PROGRAMME AT MAWTHADRAISHAN, WEST KHASI HILLS

A Block level sensitization programme was held at SAGY hall, Mawthadraishan C&RD Block, West Khasi Hills on 22nd May, 2019. The programme was attended by representatives from 18 villages, Gram Sevaks, staff of NRLM and was chaired by Mr. F.M.Kharsyntiew, BDO of Mawthadraishan Block. Eol and brochures were distributed to all village leaders.

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BLOCK LEVEL CONVERGENCE MEETING WITH MGNREGA AT BDO UMLING BLOCK, RI BHOI

A Block level convergence meeting with MGNREGA was held at the office of the BDO Umling Block on 20th May, 2019. The BDO of the Block Mr. R. Nongrum presided over the meeting. Ms. Omita Syiemlieh APO (MGNREGA) for Umling Block was also present at the meeting along with Technical Assistants and Engineers of the Block. There was a brief sensitization programme on CLLMP which was followed by a discussion on the villages which should be taken up in the second phase of the project. The meeting put emphasis on the need for convergence with MGNREGA. The BDO assured full cooperation from his end to enable success of CLLMP.

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COMMUNITY DIALOGUE ON LIVING ROOT BRIDGES AT LAITKROH AND SHELLA BLOCK, EAST KHASI HILLS

Community Dialogue programmes on Living Root Bridges was held at Laitkroh and Shella Block, East Khasi Hills on 21st May and 22nd May, 2019 respectively. Communities were encouraged to establish their own Cooperative Societies and submit the relevant paper work to their respective Block offices.

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REVISIT OF CNRMP SITE WITH BTA IN BATAW, EAST JAINTIA HILLS

A revisit of the CNRMP and the site inspection with BTA took place on 29th May, 2019 at Bataw which is under Khliehriat Block, East Jaintia Hills. Overall, there were 9 participants. The purpose of the revisit was to review the sites for intervention which have been selected by the village community and to acquire technical estimates with the help of BTA. The site has been selected and the activities to be taken up are Solar pump and Water reservoir.

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MEETING WITH VNRMC MEMBERS AT UMSATAI VILLAGE, EAST KHASI HILLS

A meeting was held with members of the VNRMC at Umsatai village which is under Khliehriat Block, East Jaintia Hills on 28th May, 2019. Overall, there were 11 participants. The purpose of the meeting was to explain the roles and responsibilities of a book keeper.

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FIELD VISIT TO WILLIAMNAGAR, EAST GARO HILLS



A field visit took place at Williamnagar, East Garo Hills on 28th and 29th May, 2019 where the team visited a nursery to check and obtain the rates and prices of the local tree species for budget estimation of CNRMP.

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SITE VISIT AT NONGSYNRIEH AND MARSHILONG, SOUTH WEST KHASI HILLS



Technical Assistants from Mawkyrwat C&RD Block visited intervention sites at Nongsynrieh and Marshilong on 21st May, 2019. They were accompanied by Ms. Niwancy Bareh (AM-EM). The sites have been verified for preparation of estimates.

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WORKSHOP WITH DPMUs AT SCSTE, NONGRIM HILLS, EAST KHASI HILLS



A One Day Workshop with the DPMUs on Environmental safeguards & Templates, Social safeguards and Documentation of CNRMP was held on 24th May, 2019 at the SCSTE Conference Hall. A total of 26 staff were in attendance including the SPMU staff and the Environment Management, Social Management and Knowledge Management staff from all DPMUs. DPDs of the CLLMP Project, Mr. B.S. Rumngong and Mr. P.K. Marbaniang were present. Mr. B.S. Rumngong, Mr. Jywsyll Lyngdoh Nongpyiur, and Ms. Persara Thangkiew gave a presentation on COM and CNRMP, Environmental Safeguards, Social Safeguards, respectively. A few issues and confusions were solved and clarified on the same day, and few more have been noted down for necessary action by the SPMU.

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VILLAGE LEVEL AWARENESS PROGRAMME AT UPPER DARENGGRE, WEST GARO HILLS

CLLMP conducted a Village Level Awareness programme on 24th May, 2019 at Upper Darenggre which is under Gambegre C&RD Block wherein village headman, VEC functionaries and other community members participated in the programme.

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DISTRICT LEVEL SENSITIZATION PROGRAMME AT WILLIAMNAGAR, EAST GARO HILLS

A District level sensitization programme was held at Williamnagar, East Garo Hills on 22nd May, 2019. A brief description on CLLMP was given by the ADPM where an explanation was given on the criteria of villages eligible for CLLMP. DC of EGH Mr. Swapnil Tembe, IAS was also present at the meeting along with Mr. Nitul Das, DPM of BDU, Williamnagar, EGH. It was decided that a District and Block level sensitization programme will take place on 31st May, 2019 at EGH which would include Line Departments, Forestry, Soil and Water Department, Agriculture and BDO will also be present.

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MEETING WITH M-LAMP DPM AT BAGHMARA, SOUTH GARO HILLS



A meeting with Megha-LAMP DPM and two VEC secretaries was held on 30th May, 2019 to include the two villages in CLLMP. The team later visited Baghmara C&RD block office and discussed the budget estimation for CLLMP with the Technical Assistant.

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FIELD VISIT TO SEMPARA VILLAGE AND OTHERS, SOUTH GARO HILLS

Field visits were undertaken to Sempara village, Nagrajara village, Jatrakona village, Dimapara village and Kolapara village on 1st June, 2019. The purpose of the visits was to check the delay in opening bank accounts and to discuss the Awareness and Ground Truthing programme to be held.

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DISTRICT SENSITIZATION PROGRAMME AT WILLIAMNAGAR, EAST GARO HILLS

A District sensitization programme was held at the DC office, Williamnagar, East Garo Hills with various line departments on 20th May, 2019. The members present during the programme were Shri. Swapnil Tembe, IAS, DC BDO of Songsak, Smt. Diana Sangma, MCS, BDO Shri S.N. Marak, District Agricultural Officer, Smt. V. Renthlei, District Horticulture Officer Shri. Ajoy D. Sangma, Water Resource Williamnagar Division Shri. Hitesh Medhi, APO DRDA EGH Smt. Garsy Marak, ASWCO, Soil Dept. Shri. Tatel Marak, SDO PHE, and DPMU team and DPM of EGH district BDU. The programme was started with introductions by DPMU team which was followed by a presentation.

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VISIT OF VARIOUS SITES ACROSS EAST KHASI HILLS DISTRICT

A visit was undertaken on 1st June, 2019 to the spring chamber at Umlangmar Myllem (Photkhal) where bio fencing and afforestation has been completed. The spring chamber at Umlangmar Myllem (Mawkyngjeng) has also been completed along with bio-fencing, afforestation and loose boulder. The community nursery at Umlangmar Myllem is yet to be completed with 80 per cent of the work done.

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ESTIMATION OF CNRMP AT DARONG ADU, WEST GARO HILLS

The DPMU conducted an estimation of the CNRMP at Darong Adu under Dalu Block on 29th May, 2019. This was done with the help of the Technical Assistant, MGNREGA. The Technical Manual will be reviewed and estimates will be made accordingly.

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WORKSHOP CONDUCTED AT AMPATI, SOUTH WEST GARO HILLS

DPMU conducted a District level workshop on 28th May, 2019 at DRDA Hall, Ampati, West Garo Hills. Overall, there were 40 participants. The workshop was conducted with all Line Departments and Mr. Jachang Sangma gave a presentation on the project.

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SITES SELECTED BY DPMU AT CHIDARET AJAGRO RESUBELPARA, NORTH GARO HILLS



A community fishery pond site has been selected on 29th May, 2019 by the DPMU at Chidaret Ajagro where the land is owned by the community. There was also a final selection for the community nursery at Chidaret Ajagro Resubelpara, North Garo Hills on 29th May, 2019.

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GROUND TRUTHING AT VARIOUS VILLAGES, RI BHOI DISTRICT

Ground truthing was undertaken at Mawbsein, Mawkyrdep and Klew villages on 29th May, 2019. All three fall under Bhoi Rymbong C&RD block. Mawbsein and Mawkyrdep have been selected under CLLMP, however Klew village will not be taken under the project as the village does not have community land. Ground truthing was undertaken at Umdoh Byrthih village which is under Bhoi Rymbong C&RD block on 31st May, 2019. There is approximately 20 acres of barren land that requires intervention. Drinking water sources are also not properly developed. Umdoh Byrthih will now be taken up under CLLMP.

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CLLMP MEETING HELD WITH WORLD BANK TEAM IN NEW DELHI



A CLLMP meeting was held with the World Bank team on 22nd May, 2019 at Meghalaya House, New Delhi. The team updated the CEO on the progress of the project and a discussion was therein held on the challenges.

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