

Coastal Sustainable Landscapes Project (CSLP)

IMPLEMENTED ACTIVITIES: **FOCUS ON AHANTA WEST MUNICIPAL**

NOTE: CSLP Intervention Communities: 20 (Refer to next page)

Activities Implemented (2014-2018)

Activity	Comments
Trees planted in late 2014	Tumentu—206 trees Species: Ofram, nsoko, nyankom and mahogany
Community nursery established	Location: Tumentu (2015)
Tree seedlings supplied for planting in August /September 2015	3,525 seedlings supplied (all cost paid by CSLP) to 58 farmers (47 men 11 women). Species: black mahogany, emere, abako, kyenkyen, hwentia, prekese, guarea, emere and cassia
Formation of Village Savings and Loan Associations (VSLA)	3 VSLAs with 80 members (18 men, 62 women). 2 nd cycle share out by 1 group. Record keeping trainings conducted for one group. 2 members & 2 government officials trained as VSLA Village Agents. 2 VSLA members and 2 government officials trained as VSLA Village Agents and support groups. Financial education training conducted for groups. Graduation ceremony conducted for one group.
Climate Smart Agriculture (CSA)	2 vegetable groups formed with 32 members (18 men, 14 women). 101 farmers trained across the district. Focus has been on organic vegetable production and entrepreneurship. Demonstration site established at Akatakya & Cape Three Points. Trainer of Trainers organized for DoFA staff & lead farmers. Business skill training ongoing for groups. Veggie enterprise groups, buyers, service providers' workshop: Over 80 participants from all the districts. First time engagement by all concerned parties. Discussions on both vegetable production and value chain. Held in Ellembelle district (March 2018). Food security trainings organized for farmers.
Beekeeping	16 interested farmers trained. Educational training tour organized for selected farmers to Atebubu Beekeepers Association (in Brong-Ahafo region from March 13-16, 2018). Honey harvesting underway by most beekeepers. Beekeeping start-up items supplied: 10 beehives, bee suits with attached veil and gloves supplied to trained farmers. Total cost paid by CSLP
Youth engagement, tree planting, CSA & other activities with schools	Climate Change Club (CCC) formed at Akwidaa SDA JHS and Cape Three Points JHS. Akwidaa SDA JHS is involved in wetland health monitoring trainings by CSLP & University of Cape Coast (UCC). CSA demonstration gardens established in both schools. Artwork items/tools: distributed to CCCs Educational tours organized for some CCCs (e.g. Akwidaa SDA JHS visited Takoradi B-BOVID & Angu agroforestry/apiary sites). Two teachers from Akwidaa CCC joined 22 teachers from other CCCs to the Ankasa rainforest
Wetland Conservation	Ongoing effort with CREMA and WD for conservation of wetlands in the district; focus on Akwidaa, Ketakor, Cape Three Points & Akyenim. 2017: Restored some portions of Akwidaa/Akyenim degraded mangrove site. UAV flights: Akwidaa wetlands (March 2018). Collaboration by CSLP, SFMP and Hen Mpoano.
Snail and mushroom production	Introductory trainings conducted for interested farmers. Collaboration with Regional MoFA.
Trainings Conducted	
Global Positioning System (GPS) unit	8 male farmers trained & assists in farm land use mapping.

Agroforestry / Farmer Managed Natural Regeneration (FMNR)	81 farmers trained. Refresher trainings conducted for farmers
GIS & Remote sensing	Training held for district assembly officials; including MoFA, NADMO, GES
Spatial planning	Jointly with STMA & Shama districts GoG staff—19(16men, 3women) April 2018
ToT: safe use of pesticide	Ahanta West & Nzema East: 23 (20men, 3women) DoFA staff—April 2018. Collaboration with EPA & Regional DoFA
Climate Change (CC) Training	For DPCU members, teachers and CREMA executives/members (Collaboration with Wildlife Division-WD of Forestry Commission). Over 400 CREMA members in 20 communities trained.
NRM, General Environment & livelihoods linkages	For CREMA members in 20 communities. Collaboration with WD. Follow up trainings conducted for 3 CRMCs in each quarter.
ToT: Sanitation (by CSLP, GES, EPA & WD of FC)	Conducted for 30 teachers from 15 schools; March 15, 2018. Follow up held in 3 schools.
Carbon measurement training	Organized for district GoG officials and community members
Others	
Video presentation on CC, wetland & mangrove conservation	Organized in the evenings in the various communities. Participation: 80-150 people
Celebration of International Day	2017 World Environment Day (WED) held on June 5, 2017 at Cape Three Points.
Farmers Day celebration	2017: Joined event and awarded Cape Three Points CSA vegetable production group
Meetings with traditional authorities	On bi-annual basis. Participation from all CSLP intervention communities. Last meeting held in March 2018; as joint meeting with other 4 districts.
Update meetings with GoG officials at district Level	Meetings held on quarterly basis. Last meeting held on July 26, 2018; a joint meeting with Nzema East Municipality, Ellembelle, Jomoro & Shama Districts

List of CSLP intervention communities		Ongoing engagement with CREMA
1.	Adalazo	✓
2.	Akatakya	
3.	Aketenchie	✓
4.	Akwidaa	
5.	Akyenim	✓
6.	Animakrom	✓
7.	Anlo Town	✓
8.	Antseambua	✓
9.	Asemasa	✓
10.	Asemkow	✓
11.	Asuboi	✓
12.	Busua	✓
13.	Butre	✓
14.	Cape Three Points	
15.	Ehuntumano	✓
16.	Ketakor	✓
17.	Mpeasem	✓
18.	Princess Town	✓
19.	Seremewo	✓
20.	Tumentu	