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INTRODUCTION

10th round of the CmiA Community Cooperation Programme



- All CmiA partners who are eligible for a CCCP were invited to hand in new proposals.
- In total, **6 partners** applied for funding.
- All proposals at hand meet the **CCCP funding criteria**:
 - Proposals are based on a demand analysis
 - Short to medium term implementation
 - Measurable results
 - Sustainability/long-term effect



OVERVIEW OF PROPOSALS

Overview of proposals



No.	Country	Cotton Company	Project summary	Project period	Beneficiaries	Total Project Costs	Funding Amount
1.	Côte d'Ivoire	Ivoire Coton	Drilling of 4 boreholes WASH trainings in 24 villages	07/2024 – 06/2025	Boreholes: 3,948 community members WASH trainings: 15,706 community members	66,300 EUR	51,300 EUR
2.	Tanzania	Biosustain	Construction of 2 classrooms & 1 teachers' house, 10 toilets & provision of school furniture	07/2024 – 02/2025	200 pupils per year	66,300 EUR	51,300 EUR
3.	Chad	Cotontchad	Drilling of 8 boreholes WASH trainings for village nurses	07/2024 – 08/2025	12,289 community members	66,300 EUR	51,300 EUR
4.	Benin	OBEPAB	Income generating activities: business & technical trainings for 3 women groups (shea butter, peanuts, soy)	07/2024 - 02/2025	125 female farmers	15,192 EUR	11,755 EUR
5.	Mozambique	SAN-JFS	Drilling of 5 boreholes WASH trainings	06/2024 – 12/2024	12,000 community members	110,500 EUR	85,500 EUR
6.	Tanzania	Alliance Gineries Ltd	Construction of 1 admin block & 10 latrines at primary school	07/2024 - 12/2024	567 pupils & 11 teachers	49,747 EUR	38,492 EUR



PROPOSALS

1. Ivoire Coton

Côte d'Ivoire

Water & Sanitation

Budget:

Total project costs: 66,300 EUR

Funding amount : **51,300 EUR**

Applicant contribution: 15,000 EUR

Project period:

07/2024 – 06/2025

Beneficiaries:

Boreholes: 3,948 community members
(thereof 1,883 women)

WASH trainings: 15,706 community members



Initial situation:

In the villages of Ousmanezanifonvogo and Zangakaha, there are currently no pumps installed. In Mafindougou and Tiébi, the existing pumps only partially meet the population's drinking water needs. Consequently, much of the population still relies on river water for household use. These villages have agreed to contribute to the construction of hydraulic pumps by providing labour and essential construction materials such as water, sand, and gravel.

In 20 villages, Ivoire Coton has drilled boreholes in previous projects. WASH Trainings have only been carried out in some of the locations and only at a basic level. To enhance sanitation and increase knowledge among village populations, it is imperative to systematically carry out comprehensive WASH trainings across all locations.

Project objectives:

- Construction of **4 boreholes**
- establishment of village water management committees
- **WASH trainings for 24 communities**

Assurance of project results:

The local water committees are responsible for the maintenance of the boreholes and the collection of a small fee from the communities which can be used for future repairs.

The WASH trainings will contribute to a long-term sensibilisation of the community members and to improved sanitation practices.

2. Biosustain

Tanzania

Mwamishali Secondary School

Budget:

Total project costs: 66,300 EUR

Funding amount : **51,300 EUR**

Applicant contribution: 15,000 EUR

Project period:

07/2024 – 02/2025

Beneficiaries:

200 pupils per year

4 teachers

Up to 20,000 community members



Initial situation:

There is only one secondary school in Mwamishali ward/Meatu, serving students from five different primary schools. Consequently, classrooms are overcrowded, with a ratio of over 100 students to one teacher, far exceeding the expected local standard ratio of 40 students per teacher.

Additionally, students face long commutes to reach the school. The community in Mwamishali village, supported by Biosustain Tanzania Ltd, has already built two classrooms, an office space, and 10 toilets for a new secondary school. However, to establish a fully operational secondary school, two more classrooms, 10 additional toilets, and a teacher's house are required.

Project objectives:

- Construction of **2 classrooms & 1 teachers' house, 10 toilets**
- **Provision of school desks & benches**
- Provision of tables & chairs for teachers

Assurance of project results:

The entire new infrastructure will be handed over to the local school authorities after completion of the project. The local government has confirmed to allocate teachers to the school after construction. The project beneficiaries, including the school management team, school board members, and the community, are tasked with maintaining the school structures at the new Mwamishali Secondary School.

3. Cotontchad

Chad

Water & Sanitation

Budget:

Total project costs: 66,300 EUR

Funding amount : **51,300 EUR**

Applicant contribution: 15,000 EUR

Project period:

07/2024 – 08/2025

Beneficiaries:

Up to 12,289 community members from 8 villages, thereof 6,310 women



Initial situation:

In the proposed villages (Koyo I, Moursale Mahimi/Bissi Mafou, Mary/Nguette B, Manda I, Bekoro/Miabe, Gadjibian/Toura I, Kagroye/Beboto, Kotongoro/Maro), there is no access to safe drinking water, and the inhabitants have to walk several kilometres to fetch water on a daily basis. As a consequence, water is often taken from unsafe sources, resulting in water-borne diseases.

Project objectives:

- Installation of **8 boreholes** with human powered pumps
- **Training of village nurses** on hygiene measure and the prevention of water-borne diseases to become multipliers in their communities
- Implementation of WASH trainings for community members by the village nurses
- Supporting the establishment of village water management committees

Assurance of project results:

The sustainability of the project will be ensured through the establishment and training of village water management committees who will be trained on the maintenance of boreholes. The committees will collect a small fee for the use of the borehole by community members, to provide funds in case of future repairs.

4. OBEPAB

Benin

Strengthening business capacities of female farmers

Budget:

Total project costs: 15,192 EUR

Funding amount : **11,755 EUR**

Applicant contribution: 3,437 EUR

Project period:

07/2024 – 02/2025

Beneficiaries:

125 female farmers



Initial situation:

As part of the crop rotation in cotton cultivation, the female farmers in Kandi, Aklampa, and Djidja (Northern Benin) have already started to grow additional crops which can be processed and sold on local markets. However, they often lack the technical know-how and entrepreneurial skills to enhance their businesses.

Project objectives:

Training of female cotton farmers in **income generating activities & basic business skills** in three locations:

- **Shea butter** for cosmetics production in Kandi (45 women)
- Processing of **peanuts** in Aklampa (40 women)
- Processing of **soybeans** in Djidja (40 women)

During the project, technical training sheets will be developed and shared with the women.

Assurance of project results:

In the trainings, the women will learn how to set up a small business plan for the project to manage their income sensibly and ensure the longevity of the project. OBEPAB will link the women to the local markets where they can sell their products on a regular basis.

5. SAN-JFS

Mozambique

Cotton for safe water

Budget:

Total project costs: 110,500 EUR

Funding amount : **85,500 EUR**

Applicant contribution: 25,000 EUR

Project period:

06/2024 – 12/2024

Beneficiaries:

12,000 community members from 5 communities



Initial situation:

Many rural communities in Cuamba and Metarica districts lack adequate access to drinking water, resulting in long walking distances to fetch water.

Contacts with relevant Cuamba district authorities (District Service for Planning and Infrastructure – SDPI), local community groups and international NGOs working on innovative WASH models in Cuamba have been established.

Project objectives:

- Construction of **5 boreholes** with **manual** pumps
- establishment of village water management committees
- borehole maintenance trainings for the committees
- **WASH Trainings for eco-activists** to act as multipliers in their communities (conducted by the local NGO WaterAid)
- Provision of borehole maintenance starter kits

Assurance of project results:

To ensure the sustainability of the projects, water committees will be set up in the local communities. They will collect a regular small fee from the communities so that potential repair costs can be covered in the future.

6. Alliance Ginneries Ltd

Tanzania

Improving school infrastructure

Budget:

Total project costs: 49,747 EUR

Funding amount : **38,492 EUR**

Applicant contribution: 11,255 EUR

Project period:

07/2024 - 12/2024

Beneficiaries:

567 pupils & 11 teachers



Initial situation:

The primary school in Kasoli has most facilities like classrooms, toilets, and staff cottages established. However, the lack of an administration block poses a challenge for staff to address administrative tasks, currently managed in an ill-equipped headmaster's office or at home. There is no space to accommodate stationery and other equipment for use by the pupils and teaching staff. With the student population increasing, adequate facilities are needed for effective teaching planning and improved pass rates.

Project objectives:

- Construction of **one administration block** and **10 latrines** at primary school

Assurance of project results:

The new infrastructure will be handed over to the local school authorities. Sustainability of the project will be preserved by frequent maintenance of the classrooms through capitation grants budgeted to each school and the use of school development funds. The government has the mandate to provide all the necessary equipment and gadgets that are required as per curriculum.