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The mission of CeLIM is to create hope for a fairer world.

CeLIM promotes interventions of development, cooperation and global education awareness in order to fight poverty and inequalities, promoting social justice and solidarity among people in Africa and in the Balkans.

CeLIM started working in Zambia in 1982. At present CeLIM operates in Lusaka and in the Southern and Western Provinces.

Its areas of intervention focus mainly on agriculture, education, forestry, food safety, environmental protection and waste management.

INTEGRATED SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PROJECT: a clean city for all



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To develop an environmentally sound waste treatment and disposal system for the city of Mongu, provided by the Mongu Council with the full participation of Mongu citizens and private sector

- Basic legal framework and infrastructures for waste collection system put in place
- Collection system, articulated in primary and secondary waste collection, set up in:
 - the urban areas of: Lewanika, Yeta, Helen, Imwiko
 - the peri-urban areas of: Mulambwa, Kambule, Kanyonyo
- in the commercial areas of: Green Market RR, Green Market Namboma, Blogum, Main Market
- Bus Station Outlet and Station Market.
- Paper, plastic and organic waste recycle system set up.
- Full cooperation between commercial representatives, community based enterprises, local leaders and Council set up and formally designed.

Who is benefitting?

- Target group: 13 community based enterprise (2 in Lewanika, 4 in Kanyonyo, 2 in Kambule, 2 in Imwiko, 1 in Helen and 2 in Mulambwa), each one composed of average 4 people. 163 (average) business enterprises (shops, banks, restaurants, hotels/guesthouses, filling stations).
- Direct beneficiaries: 741 houses, residing in Mongu, for a total of 5.000 people.
- Final beneficiaries: targeted compounds, nearby compounds and markets for a total of 10.000 people.

- Selection criteria: implementation areas have been chosen in order to develop an integrated and diversified collection method enforceable in every part of the city and that could take into consideration the different needs, constraints, habit and economic conditions of the different people and stakeholder part of a city.

For this reason the following ratio has been applied:

- 6 main markets in order to cover the commercial and most public areas;
- 4 urban areas so as to develop an appropriate system of garbage collection and transport for very dense and high populated areas;
- 3 peri-urban areas in order to develop alternative system of primary and secondary waste collection, fostering creation of new jobs.

Sustainability

As this project is also aimed at building the capacity of the Council to offer efficient and effective solid waste management services to the residents of Mongu Town, by the end of the 2 years the Council will be able to continue with the works and service/maintain the purchased equipment through the normal budgetary allocation. However, in case of need to encourage Private–Public partnerships the council will endeavour to sub-contract some of the works to eligible companies after following the normal council tender procedure.

Our commitment

This project intends to support the growth of the city of Mongu and its improvement toward the development of a clean and healthy environment for all its citizens.

This goal will be achieved through the development of an environmentally sound waste treatment and disposal system, provided by the Mongu Council with the full participation of Mongu citizens and private sector; participation and integration of approach will be ensured through a pronged platform composed of public-private institutions, NSA and local communities representatives in order to fully empower the Municipal Council and enrich it with all necessary skills for the service provision to be effective, well performing and durable in time.

