



TCAP MONTHLY PROJECT UPDATE
FOR DECEMBER 2019

I. GENERAL

<u>Project Name:</u>	Tuvalu Coastal Adaptation Project (TCAP)
<u>Project No:</u>	00100068
<u>Project Objective:</u>	To reduce the vulnerability of three islands of Tuvalu namely, Funafuti, Nanumea and Nanumaga, to the impacts of climate-induced sea level rise and intensifying storm events
<u>Starting Date:</u>	June, 2017
<u>Reporting Period:</u>	December 2019 – January 2020
<u>Reporting To:</u>	Director, Disaster & Climate Change Department
<u>Compiled By:</u>	TCAP Project Management Unit

II. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

This update, for the month of December 2019, is tied to each of the project’s three (3) outputs, namely:

- Output 1 - Strengthening of institutions, human resources, awareness and knowledge for resilient coastal management;
- Output 2 - Vulnerability of key coastal infrastructure including homes, schools, hospitals and other assets is reduced against wave induced damages in Funafuti, Nanumea and Nanumaga; and
- Output 3 - A sustainable financing mechanism established for long-term adaptation efforts

III. UPDATE ON PROGRESS

Output 1: *Strengthening of institutions, human resources, awareness and knowledge for resilient coastal management*

Output No.	Activity No.	Sub-Activities	December Updates
	<i>1.1 Technical capacity, knowledge and awareness of the Government and community strengthened for coastal monitoring, protection and maintenance of coastal protection infrastructure</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop TOR for engaging an IC consultant to implement the findings. • Develop ToR for 2 IC graduate



1	<i>1.2 Long-term national human resource capacity and awareness enhanced for sustainable coastal protection</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scholarship panel met and interviewed applicants to TCAP scholarships 3 Masters and 2 undergraduate awards were given out.
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Output 2: *Vulnerability of key coastal infrastructure including homes, schools, hospitals and other assets is reduced against wave induced damages in Funafuti, Nanumea and Nanumaga*

Output No.	Activity No.	Sub Activities	December Updates
2	<i>2.1 Coastal protection design, site-specific assessments and Environmental and Social Impact Assessments undertaken in all islands in a participatory manner</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TCAP CTA visited Funafuti, Nanumea, and Nanumaga communities and presented coastal protection conceptual designs to the communities Presented to Cabinet and HoDs LiDAR data and imagery
	<i>2.2 Coastal protection measures implemented</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coastal Engineer presented updated workplan for 2020

Output 3: *A sustainable financing mechanism established for long-term adaptation efforts*

Output No.	Activity No.	Sub Activities	December Updates
3	<i>3.1 All Islands Strategic Plans and annual budgets integrate island-specific climate risks through existing gender sensitive, participatory processes</i>		
	<i>3.2 Capacity of Kaupules, Falekaupules and community members strengthened for monitoring coastal adaptation investments</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gender consultant produced the final mission report and the Gender Strategy and Action plan

IV. TARGET FOR January 2020

High Priority

- Recruitment of Social and Environmental Safeguard Consultant;
- Recruitment of 2 ICs to assist with the implementation of Capacity Needs Strategy and Action Plan



Medium Priority

- TCAP staff mission to Nanumea, Nanumaga, and Funafuti island communities;
- Advertisement of M&E Consultant;
- Advertisement of participatory video expert

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