

Project summaries: 2017 Call for Proposals

The Darfur Community Peace and Stability Fund supports community-based reconciliation and improved livelihoods and resource management in Darfur. To this end, the DCPSF funds UN agencies, Sudanese, and international NGOs.

Organization	Emergency Relief Rehabilitation and Development Agency (ERRADA)		
Project Title	Livelihood and Social Cohesion		
Budget Requested	USD 249,920		
Funding Window	WINDOW 2		
Project Length	18 Months		
Project Location – State and Locality	South Darfur	Katayla	
National Partner(s)	Not applicable	Not applicable for Window 2	
DCPSF Outputs	Outputs: 1,2, & 3		

PLANNED RESPONSE

This project will be implemented in eight villages in Katayala locality in South Darfur state. The area witnessed major communal conflicts between Gimer and Falata tribes, Gimer and Taisha, and Gimir and Benehalba in the last twenty years. The conflict between Falata and Gimir started in 1984 and is renewed whenever the shortage of rain is severe and the competition over resources in its peak. The purpose of this project is to promote peaceful co-existence and reduce conflict and prevent them from escalating into wide communal conflict in two administrative unit in Katayala locality. The main causes of conflict in the targeted area are competition over resources (water, land etc), scarcity of resources and poor environmental governance, historical conflict over tribal land and inconsistency between land tenure/ownership laws and Hakura system & absence of law enforcement. The poor capacity of existing reconciliation mechanism contributed to the spread of conflicts and insecurity which are triggered by crop destruction, frictions between farmers and pastoralists and criminals. This project will improve access to justice and promote reconciliation by establishing community based reconciliation mechanism that handle disputes using reconciliatory approach, build trust between rival groups and restore confidence. The project will build the capacity of the established mechanims and provide them with necessary technically and logistical support. The project will also diversify livelihood opportunities and assist the vulnerable groups and youth to start a living by providing them with vocational training and support them with IGA.

Activities by output:

- Build the capacity of established mechanisms and provide technical and logistical support. Establish 7 new CBRMs
- Diversify livelihood opportunities and assist vulnerable groups and youth. Implement 12 joint livelihood initiatives that include vocational training of 4 youth group and 8 women groups IGAs.
- Demarcate a tertiary migratory route passing through targeted villages.
- 3 CBMNM (2 water committees and one natural resources committee to manage the migratory route)
- Construction of 6 classrooms. Construction of 4 youth centers.
- Drilling and rehabilitation of water sources.
- One pastureland site