

PBF November 2024 Project Progress Report



PROJECT OVERVIEW

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Have all fund recipients for this project contributed to the report?

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☒ Yes

☐ No

Did PBF Secretariat or RCO focal point review the report?

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You should normally ensure that the PBF Secretariat or the PBF focal point have an opportunity to review.

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Not Applicable

» Project Information and Geographical Scope

Is this a cross-border project?

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☐ Yes ☒ No

Please select the geographical region in which the project is implemented

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| <input type="radio"/> Asia and the Pacific | <input type="radio"/> Central & Southern Africa | <input type="radio"/> East Africa |
| <input type="radio"/> Europe and Central Asia | <input type="radio"/> Global | <input type="radio"/> Latin America and the Caribbean |
| <input type="radio"/> Middle East and North Africa | <input checked="" type="radio"/> West Africa | |

Country of project implementation *

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| <input type="radio"/> Benin | <input type="radio"/> Burkina Faso | <input type="radio"/> Cote D'Ivoire |
| <input type="radio"/> Gambia | <input type="radio"/> Ghana | <input type="radio"/> Guinea |
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| <input type="radio"/> Mauritania | <input type="radio"/> Niger | <input type="radio"/> Nigeria |
| <input type="radio"/> Senegal | <input type="radio"/> Sierra Leone | <input type="radio"/> Togo |
| <input type="radio"/> Other, Specify | | |

Other, please specify *

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Project Title *

- ☐ 00129168: Delivering Peace Dividends in Liberia: Consolidating National, Regional and Local Reconciliation and Social Cohesion Opportunities
- ☐ 00128904: Promoting Inclusive Political Participation and Elimination of Violence Against Women in Politics
- ☐ 00113699: Support to LMPTF-PBF Joint Secretariat: UNDP
- ☐ 00131553: Strengthening the agency of young women in peacebuilding processes and land tenure in Liberia
- ☐ 00133452: Promoting Peaceful Electoral Environment and Community Security in Liberia
- ☐ 00140121: Girls and Young Women Take Action for Peace
- ☐ 00140293: Enhancing Social Cohesion through Rehabilitation and Empowerment of Marginalized Youth in Liberia
- ☐ 00140354: Empowering citizens and communities to foster social accountability and transparency in governance and public service delivery.
- ☒ 00140355: Enhancing peace and social cohesion through the promotion of equitable access to and use of land for rural women in conflict-prone communities and concession areas
- ☐ 00140582: Accelerating Digital Opportunities for Youth Civic Participation as a lever for Building and Sustaining Peace in Liberia
- ☐ Other, Specify

Write the 8 digit MPTFO number and Project Title exactly as it appears in the Project Document *

EXAMPLE: 00118938: Community-based prevention of violence and social cohesion using innovation for young people in displaced and host communities

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Please select the geographical region(s) in which the project is implemented *

If the project you are looking for does not appear in the following question, please make sure that you have selected the correct regions. A limited number of cross border projects span multiple geographic regions. For example, a cross border project between Niger and Chad spans both West Africa and Central & Southern Africa

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Asia and the Pacific | <input type="checkbox"/> Central & Southern Africa | <input type="checkbox"/> East Africa |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Europe and Central Asia | <input type="checkbox"/> Global | <input type="checkbox"/> Latin America and the Caribbean |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Middle East and North Africa | <input type="checkbox"/> West Africa | |

Please select the title of the project for which you are submitting the report *

Write the 8 digit MPTFO numbers and Project Title exactly as it appears in the Project Document *

EXAMPLE: 00129699/700: Supporting Cross-Border Cooperation for Increased Community Resilience and Social Cohesion in The Gambia and Senegal

Please select the countries where this project is being implemented *

Other, Please specify *

Project Start Date (Date of first transfer) *

2023-10-12

2023-10-12

Project End Date *

2026-10-12

2026-10-12

Has this project received an extension? *

- ☐ YES, Cost Extension
- ☐ YES, No Cost Extension
- ☐ YES, Both Cost and No Cost Extensions
- ☒ NO, No Extensions

Will this project be requesting an extension? *

- ☐ YES, Cost Extension
- ☐ YES, No Cost Extension
- ☐ YES, Both Cost and No Cost Extensions
- ☒ NO, No Extensions

Is the current project end date within 6 months?

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- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

Is funding disbursed either into a national or regional trust fund?

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- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

If yes, please select which

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- ☐ National Trust Fund
- ☐ Regional Trust Fund

Recipients

Is the convening agency a UN agency or a non UN entity?

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- ☒ UN entity
- ☐ Non-UN Entity

Please select the convening agency recipient

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- ☐ UNDP: United Nations Development Programme ☐ IOM: International Organization for Migration
- ☐ UNICEF: United Nations Children's Fund
- ☐ OHCHR: Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
- ☒ UNWOMEN: United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women
- ☐ UNHCR: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees ☐ UNFPA: United Nations Population Fund
- ☐ FAO: Food and Agriculture Organization ☐ WFP: World Food Programme
- ☐ UNHABITAT: United Nations Human Settlements Programme
- ☐ UNESCO: United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
- ☐ UNEP: United Nations Environment Programme ☐ ILO: International Labour Organization
- ☐ WHO: World Health Organization ☐ PAHO/WHO
- ☐ UNCDF: United Nations Capital Development Fund ☐ UNODC: United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
- ☐ UNOPS: United Nations Office for Project Services
- ☐ UNIDO: United Nations Industrial Development Organization ☐ ITC: International Trade Centre
- ☐ UNDPO ☐ Other, Specify

Other, Please specify

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Are there other recipients for this project?

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- ☐ No other recipients
- ☐ Yes, other UN recipients only
- ☐ Yes, other non-UN recipients only
- ☒ Yes, both UN and non-UN recipients

Please select other UN recipients

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Select all that apply

- ☒ UNDP: United Nations Development Programme ☐ IOM: International Organization for Migration
- ☐ UNICEF: United Nations Children's Fund
- ☐ OHCHR: Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights
- ☐ UNWOMEN: United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women
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- ☐ UNCDF: United Nations Capital Development Fund ☐ UNODC: United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
- ☐ UNOPS: United Nations Office for Project Services
- ☐ UNIDO: United Nations Industrial Development Organization ☐ ITC: International Trade Centre
- ☐ UN Department of Peace Operations ☐ Other, Specify

Other, Please specify

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Please select other non-UN recipients

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ACTED | <input type="checkbox"/> Action Aid UK | <input type="checkbox"/> AAITG (ActionAid the Gambia) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AEDE | <input type="checkbox"/> African Centre for the Constructive Resolution of Disputes (ACCORD) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agence de Coopération et de Recherche pour le Développement (ACORD) | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Friends Service Committee (AFSC) | <input type="checkbox"/> Avocats Sans Frontières | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Avocats Sans Frontières Belgium | <input type="checkbox"/> Avocats sans frontières Canada | <input type="checkbox"/> Ayuda en Accion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CARE International UK | <input type="checkbox"/> Centre d'étude et de coopération internationale (CECI) - BF | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Christian Aid Ireland | <input type="checkbox"/> COIPRODEN | <input type="checkbox"/> Concern Worldwide |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conexion Guatemala | <input type="checkbox"/> COOPI - Cooperazione Internazionale | <input type="checkbox"/> CORD Burundi |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CORDAID | <input type="checkbox"/> Corporacion Sisma Mujer | <input type="checkbox"/> CRS - Catholic Relief Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DanChurchAid | <input type="checkbox"/> EQUITAS | <input type="checkbox"/> Fund for Congolese Women |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundacion Estudios Superior (FESU) | <input type="checkbox"/> Fundación Mi Sangre (FMS) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundación Nacional para el Desarrollo de Honduras (FUNADEH) | <input type="checkbox"/> Fundación para la Libertad de Prensa (FLIP) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HELVETAS Swiss Intercooperation | <input type="checkbox"/> Humanity & Inclusion (HI) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ICTJ (International Center for Transitional Justice) | <input type="checkbox"/> Instituto Holandes para Democracia Multipartidaria (NIMD) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Integrity Watch | <input type="checkbox"/> International Alert | <input type="checkbox"/> International Rescue Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Interpeace | <input type="checkbox"/> Kvinna till Kvinna Foundation | <input type="checkbox"/> Life and Peace Institute (LPI) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MDG-EISA - Institut Electoral pour une Démocratie Durable en Afrique (EISA), bureau de Madagascar | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mercy Corps | <input type="checkbox"/> MLAL - ProgettoMondo | <input type="checkbox"/> MSIS-TATAO |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NIMD (Netherlands Institute for Multiparty Democracy) | <input type="checkbox"/> Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OIKOS | <input type="checkbox"/> ONG Adkoul - ONG Adkoul | <input type="checkbox"/> ONG AZHAR |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OXFAM | <input type="checkbox"/> Peace Direct | <input type="checkbox"/> Plan International |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PNG UN Country Fund | <input type="checkbox"/> Red de Instituciones por los Derechos de la Niñez | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ROI - Roza Otunbayeva Initiati | <input type="checkbox"/> Saferworld | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sampan'Asa Momba ny Fampandrosoana (SAF/FJKM) | <input type="checkbox"/> Save the Children | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Search for Common Ground (SFCG) | <input type="checkbox"/> SIHA (Strategic Initiative for Women in the Horn of Africa) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SismaMujer | <input type="checkbox"/> SOS Sahel Sudan | <input type="checkbox"/> Stichting Impunity Watch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tearfund | <input type="checkbox"/> The Carter Center, Inc. | <input type="checkbox"/> Trocaire |
| <input type="checkbox"/> War Child | <input type="checkbox"/> War Childhood Museum (WCM) | <input type="checkbox"/> World Vision International |
| <input type="checkbox"/> World Vision Myanmar | <input type="checkbox"/> ZOA | <input type="checkbox"/> blank_placeholder |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other, Please specify | | |

Other, Please specify

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Implementing Partners

To how many implementing partners has the project transferred money *during this reporting period* (for June reports: January-June; for November reports: January-November; for final reports: full project duration)?

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Please list all of the project's implementing partners and the amounts (in USD) transferred to each during this reporting period

Please select the type of organisation which best describes the type of implementing partner *

- ☐ National youth CSO
- ☒ National women's CSO
- ☐ Other National CSO
- ☐ Subnational youth CSO
- ☐ Subnational women's CSO
- ☐ Other subnational CSO
- ☐ Regional CSO
- ☐ Regional Organisation
- ☐ International NGO
- ☐ Governmental entity
- ☐ Other

Other, Please specify

What is the name of the Implementing Partner *

Foundation for Community Initiatives (FCI)

What is the total amount (in USD) disbursed to the implementing partner during this reporting period? *

174990.00

Briefly describe the main activities carried out by the Implementing Partner *

Please limit your response to 1500 characters

The FCI is contracted to strengthen gender-sensitive semi-formal land dispute resolution bodies (County Peace Committees, Community Land Development and Management Committees, Peace Huts, Multi-stakeholder Platforms, etc.) to resolve disputes through the ADR, in a sustainable gender and youth-responsive manner. Moreover, it supports the full implementation of the land communication strategy as per the implementation plan including decentralization of the existing land information system.

Please list all of the project's implementing partners and the amounts (in USD) transferred to each during this reporting period

Please select the type of organisation which best describes the type of implementing partner *

- ☐ National youth CSO
- ☒ National women's CSO
- ☐ Other National CSO
- ☐ Subnational youth CSO
- ☐ Subnational women's CSO
- ☐ Other subnational CSO
- ☐ Regional CSO
- ☐ Regional Organisation
- ☐ International NGO
- ☐ Governmental entity
- ☐ Other

Other, Please specify

What is the name of the Implementing Partner *

Association of Female Lawyers of Liberia (AFELL)

What is the total amount (in USD) disbursed to the implementing partner during this reporting period? *

50250.00

Briefly describe the main activities carried out by the Implementing Partner *

Please limit your response to 1500 characters

The AFELL is contracted to strengthen the capacity of workers' unions and networks, human rights advocates, and multi-stakeholder platforms (MSPs), especially of women, to negotiate for improved working conditions and equal employment opportunities for both women and men; and strengthen the capacities of concession-affected communities, especially women, to participate and contribute meaningfully to decision-making in the licensing and awarding of concession contracts.

Please list all of the project's implementing partners and the amounts (in USD) transferred to each during this reporting period

Please select the type of organisation which best describes the type of implementing partner *

- ☐ National youth CSO
- ☐ National women's CSO
- ☐ Other National CSO
- ☐ Subnational youth CSO
- ☒ Subnational women's CSO
- ☐ Other subnational CSO
- ☐ Regional CSO
- ☐ Regional Organisation
- ☐ International NGO
- ☐ Governmental entity
- ☐ Other

Other, Please specify

What is the name of the Implementing Partner *

Community Sustainable Development Organization (COSDO)

What is the total amount (in USD) disbursed to the implementing partner during this reporting period? *

95972.10

Briefly describe the main activities carried out by the Implementing Partner *

Please limit your response to 1500 characters

The CSO is contracted to support the implementation of livelihood activities in selected communities in Bomi, Gbarpolu, Grand Cape Mount, and Grand Gedeh counties.

Please list all of the project's implementing partners and the amounts (in USD) transferred to each *during this reporting period*

Please select the type of organisation which best describes the type of implementing partner *

- ☐ National youth CSO
- ☐ National women's CSO
- ☐ Other National CSO
- ☐ Subnational youth CSO
- ☒ Subnational women's CSO
- ☐ Other subnational CSO
- ☐ Regional CSO
- ☐ Regional Organisation
- ☐ International NGO
- ☐ Governmental entity
- ☐ Other

Other, Please specify

What is the name of the Implementing Partner *

Geo-Environmental Research Agency for Development (GERAD LIBERIA)

What is the total amount (in USD) disbursed to the implementing partner during this reporting period? *

28048.80

Briefly describe the main activities carried out by the Implementing Partner *

Please limit your response to 1500 characters

The CSO is contracted to support the implementation of livelihood activities in selected communities in Nimba County.

Financial Reporting

» Delivery by Recipient

Please enter the total amounts in full US dollars allocated to each recipient organization

Please enter the original budget amount, amount transferred to date and estimated expenditure by recipient.

Please make sure you enter the correct amount. All values should be entered in **US Dollars**

For cross-border projects, group the amounts by agency, even if different country offices are involved. You will have the opportunity to share a more detailed budget in the next section.

Recipients	Total Project Budget (in full US \$) <i>Please enter the total budget as is in the project document in US Dollars</i>	Transfers to date (in full US \$) <i>Please enter the total amount transferred to each recipient to date in US Dollars</i>	Expenditure to date (in full US \$) <i>Please enter the approximate amount spent to date in US dollars</i>	Implementati on rate as a percentage of total budget (calculated automatically)
UNWOMEN: United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerme nt of Women	1300000*	780000*	567727.19*	43.67%
	*	*	*	%

UNDP: United Nations Development Programme	1000000	600000	590000	59%
WFP: World Food Programme	1000000	600000	274715.41	27.47%
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				%
				%
AEDE	200000	120000	94777.33	47.39%
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				%
				%

	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
	*	*	*	%
TOTAL	3500000	2100000	1527219.93	43.63%

The approximate implementation rate as percentage of total project budget based on the values entered in the above matrix is **43.63%**. Can you confirm that this is correct? *

☒ Correct ☐ Incorrect

If it is incorrect, please enter the approximate implementation rate as a % *

» Gender-responsive Budgeting

Indicate what **percentage (%)** of the budget contributes to gender equality or women's empowerment (GEWE) as per the project document? *

59.77

The dollar amount of the budget contributing to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (GEWE) based on percentage entered above and total project budget is **US \$ 2091950**. Can you confirm that this is correct? *

☒ Correct ☐ Incorrect

If it is incorrect, please enter the *budget amount* allocated to GEWE in US Dollars *

Amount expended to date on efforts contributing to gender equality or women's empowerment is **US \$ 912819.35**. Is this correct? *

☒ Correct ☐ Incorrect

If it is incorrect, please enter the *expenditure to date* on GEWE in US dollars *

ATTACH PROJECT EXCEL BUDGET SHOWING CURRENT APPROXIMATE EXPENDITURE. *

The templates for the budget are available [here](#)

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Project Markers

Please select the Gender Marker Associated with this project *

- ☐ Score 1 for projects that contribute in some way to gender equality, but not significantly (less than 30% of the total budget for GEWE)
- ☒ Score 2 for projects that have gender equality as a significant objective and allocate between 30 and 79% of the total project budget to GEWE
- ☐ Score 3 for projects that have gender equality as a principal objective and allocate at least 80% of the total project budget to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (GEWE)

Please select the Risk Marker Associated with this project *

- ☐ Risk marker 0 = low risk to achieving outcomes
- ☒ Risk marker 1 = medium risk to achieving outcomes
- ☐ Risk marker 2 = high risk to achieving outcomes

Please select the PBF Focus Area associated with this project *

- ☐ (1.1) Security Sector Reform
- ☐ (1.2) Rule of Law
- ☐ (1.3) Demobilisation, Disarmament and Reintegration
- ☐ (1.4) Political Dialogue
- ☐ (2.1) National reconciliation
- ☐ (2.2) Democratic Governance
- ☒ (2.3) Conflict prevention/management
- ☐ (3.1) Employment
- ☐ (3.2) Equitable access to social services
- ☐ (4.1) Strengthening of essential national state capacity
- ☐ (4.2) Extension of state authority/Local Administration
- ☐ (4.3) Governance of peacebuilding resources (including PBF Secretariats)

Is the project part of one or more PBF priority windows? *

Select all that apply

- ☒ Gender promotion initiative
- ☐ Youth promotion initiative
- ☐ Transition from UN or regional peacekeeping or special political missions
- ☐ Cross-border or regional project
- ☐ None

Steering Committee and Government engagement

Does the project have an active steering committee/ project board? *

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

If yes, please indicate how many times the Project Steering Committee has met over the last 6 months?

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

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Please provide a brief description of any engagement that the project has had with the government over the last 6 months. Please indicate what level of government the project has been engaging with.

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

The project has had several engagements with relevant government actors through the Technical Working Group. These meetings facilitated the review and adoption of the joint annual work plan, the M&E plan, and joint field missions plan. During these meetings, the implementation status including challenges was discussed and solutions devised. The Chairman of the Liberia Land Authority (LLA) chaired these meetings that included UN Women, UNDP, WFP, AEDE, NBC, EPA, and MIA.

PART I: OVERALL PROJECT PROGRESS

NOTES FOR COMPLETING THE REPORT:

- Avoid acronyms and UN jargon, use general /common language.
- Report on what has been achieved in the reporting period, not what the project aims to do.
- Be as concrete as possible. Avoid theoretical, vague or conceptual discourse.
- Ensure the analysis and project progress assessment is gender and age sensitive.

Please rate the implementation status of the following preliminary/preparatory activities

Contracting of partners

- ☐ Not Started ☐ Initiated ☐ Partially Completed
☒ Completed ☐ Not Applicable

Staff Recruitment

- ☐ Not Started ☐ Initiated ☐ Partially Completed
☒ Completed ☐ Not Applicable

Collection of baselines

- ☐ Not Started ☐ Initiated ☐ Partially Completed
☒ Completed ☐ Not Applicable

Identification of beneficiaries

- ☐ Not Started ☐ Initiated ☐ Partially Completed
☒ Completed ☐ Not Applicable

Provide any additional descriptive information relating to the status of the project, including whether preliminary/preparatory activities have been completed (i.e. contracting of partners, staff recruitment, etc.)

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

Preparatory activities were completed, including drafting the annual work plan, M&E plan, and risk log for year one (2024). Program coordination commenced at different levels including coordination meetings held amongst recipient UN agencies and the direct recipient Civil Society Organization (CSOS) partners and progress review meetings with implementing partners. Recipient UN agencies also participated in the monthly land development partners' meetings convened by the LLA to strengthen coordination of land governance initiatives with other development partners, including the World Bank, European Union, Action Aid, Swedish Lantmäteriet, USAID, and CSOs working in the land sector. Periodic ad hoc meetings were also held with government partners including the LLA, the Peace Building Office (PBO) under the Ministry of Internal Affairs, National Bureau of Concessions (NBC), and the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to further discuss support needs from partners and progress made. In addition, the recipient agencies have finalized staff recruitment and the recruitment of all Implementing Partners (IPs) including Civil Society Organizations (CSOs). A joint assessment was conducted by implementing agencies and government partners in all project counties. It provided the platform for the project to be introduced to all local stakeholders in the counties.

Describe overall progress under each Outcome made during the reporting period (for June reports: January-June; for November reports: January-November; for final reports: full project duration). Do not list individual activities. If the project is starting to make/has made a difference at the outcome level, provide specific evidence for the progress (quantitative and qualitative) and explain how it impacts the broader political and peacebuilding context.

Is the project on track for the timely completion of outputs as indicated in the workplan?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If no, please provide an explanation

Please limit your response to 6000 characters

Project progress summary

Please limit your response to 6000 characters

Implementation of the project is firmly on track with tremendous efforts towards achieving the overall results. Along these lines, fifteen (15) communities in the project counties of Bomi and Grand Cape Mount completed all of the processes related to boundary harmonization with title deeds prepared and awaiting handover. The entire process was led by the Liberia Land Authority (LLA) with support from the project demonstrating the enhanced capacity of the LLA to execute its mandate as enshrined in the law. Meanwhile, confirmatory surveys have been initiated in several project communities in Nimba and Grand Gedeh counties. A total of 75 members of the Multistakeholder Platforms, Community Land Development Management Committee, and County Land Offices from Kparblee, Vayee, and Gbeyee in Nimba County benefitted from gender masculinity and Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) trainings.

A women's land rights platform has been established and institutionalized in two peace huts in Nimba County and one Peace Hut in Grand Gedeh County. These three platforms allow rural women to discuss challenges associated with their rights to land ownership, especially related to inheritance. 128 young women between the ages of 16 - 35 have enhanced knowledge of critical messages related to land ownership and use. These young women have begun distributing flyers, t-shirts, and caps with key messages inscribed. They are also educating their peers on their rights as prescribed by the Land Rights Act. Additionally, 288 (203 F & 85 M) community members benefitted from information on the land rights law, women's rights to land, and community land rights through dialogues. Participants included youth, women, elders, the disabled, and local leaders.

52% of members of land ADR mechanisms now have adequate knowledge and skills in land conflict prevention and mediation as well as the protection of women's land rights. This is a result of several training sessions held with these structures in Grand Gedeh, Nimba, and Gbarpolu Counties.

Additional visibility materials including t-shirts, caps, and billboards with simple messages that convey information on women's land rights, including policies and laws, to increase citizens' knowledge about customary land rights and policies have been produced and distributed in the project counties.

Moreover, 53 women human rights advocates and survivors of sexual exploitation and abuse and gender-based violence (SGBV) in concessions communities benefitted from legal aid services including counselling, legal advice, and psychosocial support. This has increased access to legal aid services in concession communities and heightened awareness on reporting these issues.

Engagements with the Inter-ministerial Concession Committee (IMCC) to ensure that gender is mainstreamed in all concession contracts have progressed with a review of the processes leading to the award of concession contracts initiated. The review is intended to identify the gender gaps in the processes and provide recommendations on how to strengthen gender mainstreaming in a way that compels concession companies to its implementation. Meanwhile, 28 (16 women, 12 men) community members in Nimba and Grand Cape Mount Counties are being empowered to monitor the performance of concessions concerning the implementation of their social responsibilities to communities.

Meanwhile, 450 (66% F, 34% M) project participants enhanced their knowledge of Climate Smart Agriculture techniques. In addition, site clearing, and nursery establishment has commenced in Bomi, Grand Gedeh, Nimba, Cape Mount, and Gbarpolu Counties.

800 community members from 28 communities in Grand Gedeh, Cape Mount, Gbarpolu, Bomi, and Nimba Counties benefitted from the distribution of Agri tools.

Indicate any additional analysis on how Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment and/or Youth Inclusion and Responsiveness has been ensured by the project to date

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Please limit your response to 3000 characters

The project has established community land governance structures, such as Community Land Development and Management Committees (CLMDCs), as mechanisms that ensure women's engagement and active participation. Leadership roles in these structures are equally distributed, with 50% held by women and 50% by men. This ensures that both genders share equal responsibility in decision-making regarding land matters. The youth are actively engaged in the interventions with at least 30% of all persons reached to date being young people between 18-35 years old. The youth actively participate and act as community facilitators during town hall meetings and awareness sessions. Women, men, and youth are involved in alternative dispute resolution processes, livelihood interventions, and community mapping processes. The project is further empowering women's structures, such as the Peace Huts as agents of change in their role in peacebuilding and conflict resolution. Such interventions targeting women-led community structures enhance the capacity of women to constructively engage in peacebuilding processes by also reducing financial constraints that have in the past impeded their participation.

Is the project 1+ year in implementation?

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☐ Yes

☒ No

FOR PROJECTS 1+ YEAR IN IMPLEMENTATION ONLY:

Is the project demonstrating outcome-level peacebuilding results?

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Outcome-level peacebuilding results entail results achieved at the societal or structural level, including changed attitudes, behaviours or institutions.

☐ Yes

☐ No

If yes, please provide concrete examples of such peacebuilding results

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Please limit your response to 6000 characters

If yes, please provide sources or references (including links) as evidence of peacebuilding results, or submit them as additional attachments.

Evidence may be quantitative or qualitative but needs to demonstrate progress against outcome indicators in the project results framework. Sources may include project surveys (such as perception surveys), monitoring reports, government documents, or other knowledge products that have been developed by the project.

File attachment

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PART II: PROJECT RESULTS FRAMEWORK

How many OUTCOMES does this project have *

12345more than 5.

Please write out the project outcomes as they are in the project results framework found in the project document

Outcome 1: *

Authorities at national and local levels manage land allocation, registration and licensing processes that support women’s participation in land governance in a more effective, transparent, and inclusive manner, reducing conflict.

Outcome 2: *

Concession-affected communities and concession companies benefit from improved relationships and peaceful co-existence by addressing problems and conflicts in concession areas such as lost livelihood opportunities for communities, displacement, and limited employment opportunities.

Outcome 3: *

Outcome 4: *

Outcome 5: *

Outcome 6: *

Outcome 7: *

Outcome 8: *

Additional Outcomes *

If the project has more than 8 outcomes, please enumerate the remaining outcomes here

INDICATOR BASED PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

Using the Project Results Framework as per the approved project document or any amendments, provide an update on the achievement of key **outcome** and **output** indicators in the table below.

- If the outcome has more than 3 indicators, select the 3 most relevant ones with most relevant progress to highlight.
- If the outcome has more than 5 outputs, please select 5 of the most relevant outputs per outcome, and provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators.
- Where it has not been possible to collect data on indicators, state this and provide any explanation. Provide gender and age disaggregated data. (500 characters max per entry)

» **Outcome 1: Authorities at national and local levels manage land allocation, registration and licensing processes that support women's participation in land governance in a more effective, transparent, and inclusive manner, reducing conflict.**

Outcome 1	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
1.1	% of members of the communities (disaggregated by sex, age) coexist and express satisfaction on land allocation, registration, and leasing processes in an inclusive manner	50% (47% females and 53% males)	80% (55% females and 45% males between the ages 20 – 70 yrs)	21% (13% females and 8% males)	This is an ongoing activity. This result covers on this period.
1.2	Functioning gender and youth-sensitive land conflict resolution mechanisms in concession zones	20	60 (40 funded by PBF project)	38 CLDMCs established in Grand Gedeh, Bomi, Gbarpolu	This is the progress to date
1.3	Number of concession agreements in targeted counties negotiated/reviewed with communities' participation	0	3	0	28 community members have been trained and are awaiting the next concession review. This will contribute to achieving the indicator target.

How many outputs does outcome 1 have?

1 2 3 4 5 more than 5.

Please list up to 5 of most relevant outputs for outcome 1

Output 1.1

Concession-affected communities including women have the capacity to participate and contribute meaningfully to decision-making in the licensing and awarding of concession contracts.

Output 1.2

Gender sensitive semi-formal land dispute resolution bodies (County Peace Committees, Community Land Development and Management Committees, peace huts, multi-stakeholder platforms) are strengthened to resolve disputes through the ADR, in a sustainable gender and youth responsive manner

Output 1.3

LLA, NBC and PBO have the capacity and procedures to undertake boundary harmonization and formalization of customary land at community level thereby creating equal access for community and cohesiveness

Output 1.4

LLA has enhanced capacity to fully implement its land communication strategy as per the implementation plan including decentralization of existing land information system.

Output 1.5

Other Outputs

If Outcome 1 has more than 5 outputs, please enumerate the remaining outputs here

For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators

» Output 1.1

Output 1.1: Concession-affected communities including women have the capacity to participate and contribute meaningfully to decision-making in the licensing and awarding of concession contracts .	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>

1.1.1	Number of opportunities for community members to participate in concession negotiation processes.	0	4	0	0	28 community members have been trained and are awaiting the next opportunity for concession negotiation. This will contribute to achieving the indicator target.
1.1.2	% of concession contracts with gender mainstreamed	0	60 percent	7 percent	7 percent	The progress so far relates to smaller mining licenses
1.1.3						

Output 1.2: Gender sensitive semi-formal land dispute resolution bodies (County Peace Committees, Community Land Development and Management Committees, peace huts, multi-stakeholder platforms) are strengthened to resolve disputes through the ADR, in a sustainable gender and youth responsive manner	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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1.2.1	% of members from existing semi-formal land dispute resolution bodies with strengthened skills and knowledge on Gender mainstreaming and gender-responsive conflict prevention, and mediation disaggregated by sex and age	63 percent	80 percent	18% (in Bomi, Gbarpolu and Grand Gedeh co.)	45%	This is an ongoing activity
1.2.2	Existence of a database of cases, disaggregated by sex and age, resolved by semi-formal mechanisms in targeted counties	No	Yes	No	No	This is being developed. It is around 70% completed.
1.2.3	Number of cases resolved by semi-formal land dispute resolution bodies	10	50	9 cases in Grand Gedeh	15 cases	This is an ongoing activity

» Output 1.3

Output 1.3: LLA, NBC and PBO have the capacity and procedures to undertake boundary harmonization and formalization of customary land at community level thereby creating equal access for community and cohesiveness	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
1.3.1	Number of civil servants from LLA conducting boundary harmonization activities disaggregated by sex and age	80 (31 females and 49 males)	120 (60 women and 60 men)	31 (9 F, 22 M). These include surveyors	98 (35 F, 63M)	Trainings are still ongoing in batches

1.3.2	Number of customary land boundaries identified by communities and demarcated	13	35	30	30	The survey to identify customary land boundaries has commenced.
1.3.3	Number of communities using land maps	0	8	0	0	15 community land maps are created but awaiting handover. communities

» Output 1.4

Output 1.4: LLA has enhanced capacity to fully implement its land communication strategy as per the implementation plan including decentralization of existing land information system.	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
1.4.1	Number of women and youth trained and disseminating information on community land rights disaggregated by age and sex	0	250	128 of ages 18-35 (111 females, 17 males)	128 of ages 18-35 (111 females, 17 males)	This is an ongoing activity
1.4.2	% of community members with information on the LRA	20%	50%	17%	37%	Awareness and dissemination of the LRA is ongoing

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» Output 1.5

Output 1.5:	Perform ance Indicator s <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reportin g period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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» **Outcome 2: Concession-affected communities and concession companies benefit from improved relationships and peaceful co-existence by addressing problems and conflicts in concession areas such as lost livelihood opportunities for communities, displacement, and limited employment opportunities.**

Outcome 2	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
2.1	% of community members (disaggregated by sex, age) with improved perception of concessions' behavior towards communities	15%	50% (50% women and 50% men	32% (13% females and 19% males) believe concessions are delivering on their CSR.	It is an ongoing activity
2.2	% of communities in targeted counties with improved livelihood opportunities as a result of concessions' intervention	23%	70%	0	It is too early to determine since implementation has just started.
2.3	Number of heightened conflicts between concession companies and communities in target counties	0	0	0	Since the project's inception, there has been no conflict.

How many outputs does outcome 2 have?

1 2 3 **4** 5 more than 5.

Please list up to 5 of most relevant outputs for outcome 2

Output 2.1

Targeted women and youth, including cooperatives, have sustained livelihood opportunities provided in collaboration with concession companies through climate-smart agriculture activities

Output 2.2

Enhanced climate resilience of women and youth smallholder farmers in targeted communities through the implementation of low-carbon agriculture techniques and integrated ecosystem management (IEM) approaches

Output 2.3

Institutional capacity of LLA/EPA/NBC/SPRC is strengthened to effectively prevent conflicts driven by the depletion of livelihood opportunities and environmental hazards

Output 2.4

Strengthened capacity of workers' unions, Multi-stakeholders' platforms and human rights advocates, especially women, to negotiate for improved working conditions and equal employment opportunities for females.

Output 2.5

Other Outputs

If Outcome 2 has more than 5 outputs, please enumerate the remaining outputs here

For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators

» Output 2.1

Output 2.1: Targeted women and youth, including cooperatives, have sustained livelihood opportunities provided in collaboration with concession companies through climate-smart agriculture activities	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>

2.1.1	Number of smallholder farmers supported with training, inputs, equipment and infrastructure	0	800 (500 women and 300 men)	450 (34% males and 66% females) project participants received Climate Smart Agriculture training. GERAD has started the distribution or Agri-inputs in Nimba	450 (34% males and 66% females) project participants received Climate Smart Agriculture training. GERAD has started the distribution or Agri-inputs in Nimba	Activity ongoing
2.1.2	Percentage of target beneficiaries (disaggregated by sex) expressing satisfaction on identifying and addressing livelihoods and environmental hazards' concerns through MSPs and CLDMCs as relevant	0%	80%	0%	0%	Activity just started and is ongoing. Results expected from the 2nd quarter of 2025
2.1.3						

» Output 2.2

Output 2.2: Enhanced climate resilience of women and youth smallholder farmers in targeted communities through the implementation of low-carbon agriculture techniques and integrated ecosystem management (IEM) approaches	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>

2.2.1	percentage of savings made by participants of financial inclusion initiatives promoted by the project	0	60%	0%		The funds were just distributed. The indicator will be measured in the 2nd quarter of 2025
2.2.2	Percentage reduction in use of wood and fossil fuels in agriculture production (Estimated volume of GHG emissions avoided through smart land use and management)	0%	40%	12%	12%	This reduction is noticeable around concession communities
2.2.3	Number of community people receiving livelihood support directly from concession companies disaggregated by sex and age	0	100 (60 women and 40 men)	0	0	This activity will commence in the 1st quarter of 2025

» Output 2.3

Output 2.3: Institutional capacity of LLA/EPA/NBC/SPRC is strengthened to effectively prevent conflicts driven by the depletion of livelihood opportunities and environmental hazards	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
2.3.1	Staff members of LLA/EPA/NBC/SPRC trained to effectively prevent conflicts driven by the depletion of livelihood opportunities and environmental hazards disaggregated by sex and age	31 (12 F & 19 M)	65 (27 F & 38 M)	27 (11 F, 16 M)	27 (13 F, 14 M)	The activity is ongoing. The next batch of training is scheduled for early 2025.

2.3.2	Number of community members trained to determine water pollution and rejuvenate water sources disaggregated by sex and age	25 (7 F & 18 M)	50 (25 F & 25 M)	30 (15 F, 15 M)	30 (15 F, 15 M)	This is the first group.
2.3.3						

» Output 2.4

Output 2.4: Strengthened capacity of workers' unions, Multi-stakeholders' platforms and human rights advocates, especially women, to negotiate for improved working conditions and equal employment opportunities for females.	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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2.4.1	% of workers' unions and human rights advocates engaging concession companies through the MSPs disaggregated by sex and age	0%	85%	45% (workers' union from ArcelorMittal, Mano Oil Palm, Western Cluster, and Bea Mountain are engaging their respective managements regularly.	45% (workers' union from ArcelorMittal, Mano Oil Palm, Western Cluster, and Bea Mountain are engaging their respective managements regularly.	Ongoing activity
2.4.2	Number of concession companies with gender policies and/or procedures to address SEA and harassment in the workplace	0	3	0	0	A consultant has recently been onboarded to develop the gender policies.
2.4.3						

» Output 2.5

Output 2.5:	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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» Outcome 3:

Outcome 3	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
3.1					
3.2					
3.3					

How many outputs does outcome 3 have?

1 2 3 4 5 more than 5.

Please list up to 5 of most relevant outputs for outcome 3

Output 3.1

Output 3.2

Output 3.3

Output 3.4

Output 3.5

Other Outputs

If Outcome 3 has more than 5 outputs, please enumerate the remaining outputs here

For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators

» Output 3.1

Output 3.1:	Perform ance Indicator s <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reportin g period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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» Output 3.2

Output 3.2:	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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» Output 3.3

Output 3.3:	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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» Output 3.4

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» Output 3.5

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» Outcome 4:

Outcome 4	Performance Indicators	Indicator Baseline	End of Project Indicator Target	Current Indicator progress	Reasons for Variance/ Delay (if any)
4.1					
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How many outputs does outcome 4 have?

12345more than 5.

Please list up to 5 of most relevant outputs for outcome 4

Output 4.1

Output 4.2

Output 4.3

Output 4.4

Output 4.5

Other Outputs

If Outcome 4 has more than 5 outputs, please enumerate the remaining outputs here

For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made against 3 most relevant output indicators

» Output 4.1

Output 4.1:	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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» Output 4.2

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» Output 4.3

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» Output 4.4

Output 4.4:	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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» Output 4.5

Output 4.5:	Performance Indicators <i>Describe the indicator</i>	Indicator Baseline <i>State the baseline value of the indicator</i>	End of Project Indicator Target <i>State the target value of the indicator at the end of the project</i>	Indicator progress for reporting period <i>State the current value of the indicator for the reporting period</i>	Indicator progress to date <i>State the current cumulative value of the indicator since the start of the project</i>	Reasons for Variance / Delay (if any) <i>Explain why the indicator is off track or has changed, where relevant</i>
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If the project has more than 4 outcomes, use this space to describe progress on progress on indicators for the remaining outcomes

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PART III: Cross-Cutting Issues

Is the project planning any significant events in the next six months? (eg. national dialogues, youth congresses, film screenings, etc.)

If yes, please state how many, and for each, provide the approximate date of the event and a brief description, including its key objectives, target audience and location (if known)	Event Description	Tentative Date	Location	Target Audience	Event Objectives (900 characters)
Event 1	The launch of the community self-identification, public awareness on customary land formulization Gbarpolu and Grand Gedeh	January 2025	Gbarpolu and Grand Gedeh	Traditional leaders, women, youth, CLDMC	Civic consultation designed to raise awareness about the steps required to formalize land rights under customary law.

Event 2	Policy Advocacy Dialogue	Mid-November 2024	Bomi, Grand Cape Mount Gbarpolu	Members from concession communities, NBC, Women, and youth.	By addressing the needs and challenges faced by women and youth farmers, these meetings will empower them with a platform to voice their concerns and actively engage in decision-making processes.
Event 3	Joint field monitoring visits	December 2024	Gbarpolu, Bomi, Grand Cape Mount, Nimba and Grand Gedeh	Project beneficiaries	Ascertain the project's implementation level and ensure that it is in line with the project document as well as the country's development plan and strategic focus.
Event 4					

Human Impact

This section is about the human impact of the project. Please state the number of key stakeholders (including but not limited to: Civil Society Organizations, Beneficiaries, etc.) of the project, and for each, please briefly describe:

- The challenges/problem they faced prior to the project implementation
 - The impact of the project in their lives
 - Provide, where possible, a quote or testimonial from a representative of each stakeholder group
- This is an optional question. You may leave it unanswered if not relevant*

Human Impact	Type of stakeholder	What has been the impact of the project on their lives?	Provide, where possible, a quote or testimonial from the stakeholder

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In addition to the stakeholder specific impact described above, please use this space to describe any additional human impact that the project has had.

Please limit your response to 4000 characters.

The project implementation has just started; therefore, it is very early to gauge the impact on the people's lives. This information will become available following the first year's implementation.

You can also upload upto 3 files in various formats (picture files, powerpoint, pdf, video, etc.) to illustrate the human impact of the project

OPTIONAL

File 1

OPTIONAL

[Click here to upload file. \(< 10MB\)](#)

File 2

OPTIONAL

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File 3

OPTIONAL

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You can also add upto 3 links to online resources which illustrate the human impact of the project

OPTIONAL

Link 1

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Link 2

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Link 3

OPTIONAL

Please tick the applicable change based on above narrative.

How we worked:

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Please select up to 3.

- ☒ Enhanced digitization
- ☐ Innovative ways of working
- ☐ Mobilized additional resources
- ☐ Improved or initiated policy frameworks
- ☐ Strengthened capacities
- ☒ Partnered with with local/grassroots Civil Society Organizations
- ☐ Expanding coalitions & galvanizing political will
- ☐ Strengthened partnerships with IFIs
- ☒ Strengthened partnerships with UN Agencies

Please explain one of the selected options

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

A National consultant has been hired to strengthen the call center at the National Bureau of Concessions to monitor the process of feedback and complaints on livelihood and environmental concerns from the outset to closure.

Please explain one of the selected options

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The project has partnered with grassroots organizations, including by providing funding to CSOs and CBOs, with particular emphasis on women-led organizations, to implement specific aspects of the intervention. For example, the Agency for Economic Development and Empowerment received direct funding from the PBF under this project and is responsible for co-implementing output 1.4 by supporting the LLA in the implementation of its communication strategy. In addition, the Association of Female Lawyers of Liberia (AFELL) received funds and is leading the advocacy for communities, with emphasis on women's rights and inclusion in decision-making processes including concession negotiations. Moreover, the Foundation for Community Initiatives (FCI) is partnering with UN Women to implement Output 1.2 and Output 1.4. The project has provided funding to the Community Sustainable Development Organization (COSDO) and Geo-Environmental Research Agency for Development (GERAD LIBERIA) to support the implementation of livelihood activities.

Please explain one of the selected options

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

Coordination and collaboration have been significantly enhanced through the Project Management Team (PMT), which includes the implementing UN agencies. For instance, the PMT conducts monthly project coordination meetings to ensure inclusive consultation and effective coordination among all members.

Who are we working with (in addition to the implementing partners)

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- ☐ Strengthened partnerships with IFIs
- ☒ Strengthened partnerships within UN Agencies
- ☒ Partnered with local civil society organizations
- ☐ Partnered with local academia
- ☒ Partnered with sub-national entities
- ☐ Partnered with national entities
- ☐ Partnered with local volunteers

Please explain

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

Leave No one Behind

Select all beneficiaries targeted with the PBF resources as evidenced by the narrative *

Mandatory

- ☒ Unemployed persons
- ☒ Minorities (e.g. race, ethnicity, linguistic, religion, etc.)
- ☒ Indigenous communities
- ☒ Persons with Disabilities
- ☒ Persons affected by violence (e.g. GBV)
- ☒ Women
- ☒ Youth
- ☐ Children
- ☐ Minorities related to sexual orientation and/or gender identity and expression
- ☒ People living in and around border areas
- ☒ Persons affected by natural disasters
- ☒ Persons affected by armed conflicts
- ☒ Internally displaced persons, refugees or migrants

PART IV: Monitoring, Evaluation and Compliance

» Monitoring

Please list key monitoring activities undertaken in the reporting period *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The project monitoring and evaluation plan has been developed. During the coordination meeting that took place in the first quarter of the reporting year, roles and responsibilities were clarified including data collection and management roles.

Do outcome indicators have baselines? *

If only some of the outcome indicators have baselines, select 'yes'

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

If yes, please provide a brief description. If not, explain why not and when they will be available. *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The outcome indicators have baseline values which were determined either through the joint data-gathering field monitoring mission conducted by UN Women, UNDP, WFP, AEDE, LLA, EPA, and NBC or from the evaluation of the first phase.

Elaborate on what sources of evidence have been used to report on indicators (and are available upon request)

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Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The project has utilized reports from partners (CSOs, Government agencies, and local communities), field assessment reports, implementation reports, M&E reports and local newspapers reports to report on the indicators.

Has the project launched outcome level data collection initiatives? e.g. perception surveys

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☒ Yes

☐ No

Please provide a brief description

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Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

In phase one of the project, both pre-and post-perception surveys were conducted and results were incorporated in this phase. Therefore, there is no need to do another perception survey considering that the results of the previous ones are still valid.

Has the project used or established community feedback mechanisms?

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☒ Yes

☐ No

Please provide a brief description

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Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

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» Evaluation

Is the project on track to conduct its evaluation?

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 Yes

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 No

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 Not Applicable

Evaluation budget (in USD) included in the project budget:

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Response required

65000

If project will end in next six months, and the overall project budget is above USD 1.5 million, is your upcoming evaluation on track?

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 Yes

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 No

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 Not Applicable

Please describe the preparations

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

Contact information	Name	Organization	Job title	Email
Please mention the focal person responsible for sharing the final evaluation report with the PBF:				

» Catalytic Effect

Catalytic Effect (financial): Has the project mobilized additional non-PBF financial resources to date? *

☐ Yes

☒ No

How many funders has the project received additional non-PBF funding from? *

Catalytic Effect (non-financial): Has the project enabled or created a larger or longer-term peacebuilding change to occur, in addition to the direct project changes? *

☒ Yes

☐ No

If yes, please select the relevant option below: *

☒ Some catalytic effect

☐ Significant catalytic effect

If relevant, please describe how the project has had a (non-financial) catalytic effect, i.e. removed barriers to unblock stalled political, institutional or other peacebuilding processes at different levels in a country, and/or created the conditions to establish new processes to do so *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The provision of deeds to communities has made the USAID Land Activity Project to seek more collaboration resulting to regular meetings and the sharing of relevant information.

Sustainability

Does the project have an explicit exit strategy? *

Please describe any steps that have been taken to ensure the sustainability of peacebuilding gains, including any mechanisms, platforms, networks and socio-economic initiatives supported, beyond the duration of the project *

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

Strengthening capacities of government institutions and other stakeholders through learning by doing, trainings, workshops, and production of knowledge products as a way of sustaining the achievements was a critical aspect of the project implementation during this period. In addition, allowing government institutions to take the lead on the implementation of activities relevant to their mandates has strengthened ownership and motivated them to support the project.

Are there any other issues concerning project implementation that you want to share, including any capacity needs of the recipient organizations?

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

No

Monitoring and Oversight Activities

Please describe any key event related to monitoring and oversight. Please click next if no activities have yet taken place.

Events include Steering Committee meetings, Monitoring visits, Third party monitoring, Community based monitoring, any data collection, Perception or other survey findings, evaluation reports, audit or investigations.

Monitoring and oversight activities	Name of the Event	Summary	Key Findings
Event 1	Develop annual monitoring plan	it supports the oversight function of the Technical Working Group	
Event 2			
Event 3			
Event 4			
Event 5			
Event 6			
Event 7			
Event 8			

Final Steps

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