



SUPPORT COMMUNITY LIVELIHOOD INFORMATION

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Quarter1 January-March 2025 Project Report

PROJECT: Help Smallholder Farmers

Information Access in Uganda

The project under name “**Help Smallholder Farmers Information Access**

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CELEBRATED OUTCOME- Quarter1 January-March 2025 Achievements

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Over 100 individuals in refugees and host community out of the target 1,000 have started enjoying access to the latest information for production in the last three months (quarter1 Jan-March 2025)

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Completed Activities- Quarter1 Jan-Mar 2025.

- Community/Beneficiaries identification, consultation and sensitization in 5 pilot farmers sub zones.
- Sensitization of community leaders in 5 pilot farmers sub zones.
- Identification of farmers target group representatives.
- Acquisition of 1 information kiosks machine-dashboard.
- Set up of 1 Information dashboard at 1 community/meeting center, programmed in local language to enable effective communication. Information is currently accessed through removable disks inserted in the information dashboards.

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Planned Activities for Quarter2 April-June 2025

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(Targeting over 200 smallholder farmers to have access to timely information)

- Acquisition of 2 information kiosks Machines-Dashboards.
- Setup of 2 Information Dashboards in 2 physical sites for in 2 farmer sub zones.
- Set up of Information Dashboard UPDATE Center and configure wireless connection to the 3 community centers and programming of dashboards local language.
- Commence visual/video Content development by the Agriculture sector consultants for professional information

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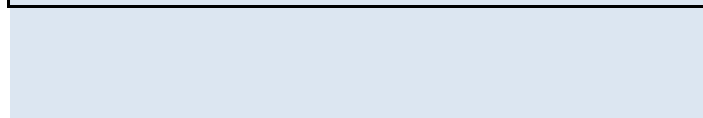
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Next Quarter2 (April-June 2025) BUDGET SUMMARY- USD 62,385

Project:	Target Costs	Amount (USD)
	Operational	
	Overhead costs	26,876
	Programs Activities	35,509



Help Smallholder Farmers Information Access in Uganda (USD 62,385) targeting over 200 beneficiaries for second quarter2-2025	Grand total	USD 62,385
EXPECTED FROM LOCAL SOURCES	USD 12,000	
EXPECTED FROM GLOBAL GIVING	USD 50,385	
TOTAL PROJECT BUDGET (April-June 2025)	USD 62,385	

Existing Challenges:

- Slow decision making by authorities in providing secure community meeting centers to facility faster setting up information access centers.
- Ineffective community mobilization facilities-use one mobile pickup to play recorded mobilization messages.
- Limited funds for research, mobilization and monitoring tools.
- Illiteracy of target persons-they are slow in information/skills interpretation for the displayed information.
- Communication barriers with the target groups especially the refugees

Sample Pictures Below:



Proposed INFORMATION CENTER-2



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