

Civil Society Partnership Facility for Resilience Project

APPROVAL DATE: JUNE 26, 2020

CLOSING DATE: JUNE 28, 2024

OBJECTIVE

Improve the capacity of civil society organizations (CSOs) and support the implementation of reconstruction and resilience sub-projects at the community level

BENEFICIARIES

- ✓ ~80 CSOs expected to directly benefit from training, skills transfers, and financing—includes nongovernmental, community-based, faith-based, and youth organizations
- ✓ ~10,000 individuals in Sint Maarten expected to directly benefit from about 100 community sub-projects

APPROACH



PROVIDE

small grants to local CSOs for reconstruction and resilience activities that are needed to support community services



TRAIN

CSO staff in key technical and needs-based skills, such as quality of reporting, proposal writing, and project management



PREPARE

a capacity building plan and knowledge-sharing events to ensure that eligible CSOs receive assistance based on identified needs

KEY EXPECTED RESULTS

70%

OF PARTICIPATING CSOs WITH IMPROVED CAPACITY IN GRANT MANAGEMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION

100

SUB-PROJECT PROPOSALS THAT ARE APPROVED FOR FUNDING

80

CSO GRANTEEES SUPPORTED BY THE PROJECT

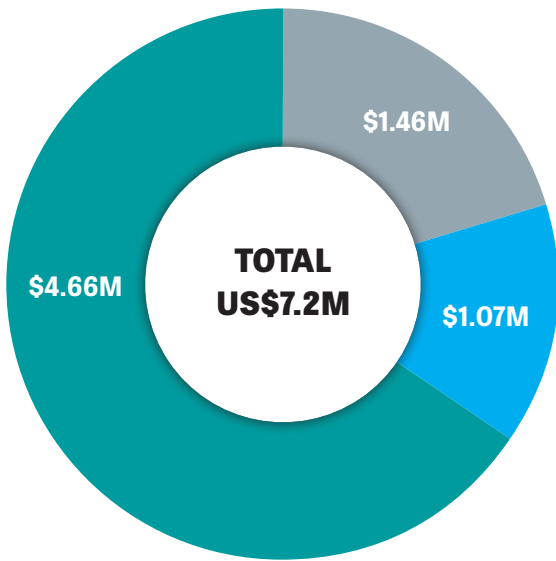
95%

OF CSOs RECEIVE SUB-PROJECT GRANTS WITHIN 1 MONTH AFTER FUNDING APPROVAL

16

SKILLS TRAINING SESSIONS HELD FOR PARTICIPATING CSOs' STAFF

COMPONENTS



FOR MORE INFORMATION

projects.worldbank.org/en/projects-operations/project-detail/P172339
- OR -
r4cr.org

1 Small grants to CSOs for reconstruction and resilience (\$4,663,761)

- Finance small grants to CSOs for community reconstruction and resilience sub-projects.
- Activities include rehabilitation and equipment of facilities; environmental protection, such as cleaning neighborhoods, tree planting, and recycling sub-projects; social care services, such as homes for the elderly and prevention of gender-based violence; youth skills development and employment generation; and supporting the basic needs of communities during the COVID-19 crisis.

2 Capacity building and technical assistance for local CSOs (\$1,074,316)

- Initial training in technical skills critical to sub-project implementation and needs-based capacity development (for example, quality of reporting and project proposal writing).
- Startup training activities for CSOs in sub-project design to enable them to participate in the grants program.
- Develop and update an annual capacity building plan for CSOs.
- Knowledge-sharing events and a coaching program for eligible CSOs.

3 Project management and coordination (\$1,461,923)

- Daily operation of the project, administrative tasks, fiduciary and safeguards oversight and management, and so on.
- Support coordination among stakeholders, including the work of the Project Technical Committee.
- Support coordination among CSOs and between CSOs and other stakeholders.

IMPACT ON PUBLIC GOOD



Enhance community engagement and ownership

Offer needs-based capacity building and technical assistance for local CSOs



Provide local social services for vulnerable groups

Target community improvement projects toward women, youth, and elderly populations



Improve climate change adaptation and mitigation

Support local CSOs' community projects for reconstruction and resilience