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Quick Facts

Countries	Tuvalu
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	B
Voting Date	2016-11-16
Borrower	Government of Tuvalu
Sectors	Infrastructure, Transport
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 11.30 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 13.30 million

Project Description

The project will help Tuvalu overcome connectivity constraints between the capital and outer islands, and promote economic and social development that is more inclusive and sustainable. It will improve maritime facilities in the three outer islands of Nukulaelae, Nanumaga, and Niutao as well as strengthen the government’s capacity in operation and maintenance (O&M) and develop a transport sector master plan.

Outputs

The outputs will be (i) a small-scale harbor constructed in Nukulaelae and the boat ramps of Nanumaga and Niutao rehabilitated; (ii) the capacity to operate and maintain harbors improved, involving the outer islands communities, MCT, and other relevant national government agencies; and (iii) a transport sector master plan for future harbor development in the outer islands created, with a view to promote fisheries and tourism.

Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

GEF-Least Developed Countries Fund US$ 500,000.00

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Bank Documents

- Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project: Initial Poverty and Social Analysis [Original Source]
- Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project: Report and Recommendation of the President
- Project Disclosure PDF

Other Related Projects

- ADB-48484-001 Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project
- ADB-48484-004 Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project (Additional financing)
- ADB-48484-005 Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project (Second Additional Financing)