

 Early Warning System

ADB-55066-001

Building Capacity in the Urban Sector Through Differentiated  
Approaches



### Quick Facts

Countries	Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Micronesia, Palau
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2021-12-14
Sectors	Technical Cooperation, Water and Sanitation
Investment Type(s)	Fund
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 3.00 million



### Project Description

According to the bank's website, "The proposed knowledge and support technical assistance (TA) will assess immediate and long-term needs to sustain urban services across the small Pacific Island Countries (PICs). The TA will identify innovative capacity building and supplementation to urban services utilities and enhance urban services in the Pacific. The TA will explore investment approaches to help long-term urban services operations for a better coronavirus disease (COVID-19) recovery era and beyond.

1. The proposed regional knowledge and support technical assistance (TA) will assess and support immediate and long-term capacity development and supplementation needs to sustain the delivery of urban services by public utilities across selected Pacific developing member countries (DMCs). The TA will pilot the newly approved Pacific Approach 2021 2025 and support a stronger and more sustainable recovery trajectory from the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic. The TA will assess the potential to apply similar approaches to addressing capacity gaps in other public entities in the fragile and conflict-affected situations and small island developing states of the Pacific."



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### Investment Description

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