

 Early Warning System

ADB-55346-001

Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project



Quick Facts

Countries	Nepal
Specific Location	Pokhara, Janakpur, Devdaha, Lumbini Sanskirtik, Ramgram, Sainamaina. Siddharthanagar, Tilottama
Financial Institutions	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	B
Voting Date	2023-12-13
Borrower	Government of Nepal - Ministry of Urban Development
Sectors	Infrastructure, Law and Government
Investment Type(s)	Grant, Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 160.00 million
Grant Amount (USD)	\$ 6.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 207.50 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the project will support to improve municipal infrastructures and governance of the selected project municipalities, thereby contributing to achieve inclusive economic growth and improved livability. This will be achieved through the following three outputs: (i) municipal infrastructure for resilience developed (Output 1); (ii) Tourism assets revitalized and managed (Output 2); and (iii) capacity of municipalities, provinces and Department of Urban Development and Building Construction strengthened (output 3). The project will support eight municipalities (Pokhara, Janakpur, and a cluster of six municipalities includes Devdaha, Lumbini Sanskirtik, Ramgram, Sainamaina, Siddharthanagar, and Tilottama).



Early Warning System Project Analysis

Initial screening using ADB's rapid environmental assessment (REA) checklist was conducted for the subproject and results of the rapid assessment show that the project is unlikely to cause any significant adverse impacts, and therefore classified under Category B per ADB SPS.



Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

The government has requested (i) a concessional loan of \$160.0 million from ADB's ordinary capital resources, and (ii) a grant not exceeding \$6.0 million from ADB's Special Funds resources (ADF 13 Thematic Pool) to help finance the project. The loan will have a 32-year term, including a grace period of 8 years; an interest rate of 1.0% per year during the grace period and 1.5% per year thereafter; and such other terms and conditions set forth in the draft loan and project agreements.

Government of Nepal: \$41.5 million (Includes government counterpart funding of \$30.4 million and municipalities' counterpart funding of \$11.1 million)



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Bank Documents

- [Grant Agreement \(Special Operations\) for Grant 0927-NEP: Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement](#)
- [Loan Agreement \(Ordinary Operations \[Concessional\]\) for Loan 4433-NEP: Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement](#)
- [Project Agreement for Loan 4433-NEP and Grant 0927-NEP: Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement](#)
- [Project Disclosure PDF](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Devdaha Municipality \(URLIP/DD/CW01\) Draft Resilience and Livability Improvement Plan](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Draft Environmental Assessment and Review Framework](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Draft Indigenous Peoples Planning Framework](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Draft Resettlement Framework](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Gender Equality and Social Inclusion Action Plan](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Initial Poverty and Social Analysis](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Janakpur Dham Sub-Metropolitan Roads and Drains](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Janakpur Sub-metropolitan City Road and Drains](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Lumbini Sanskritik Municipality \(URLIP/LUM/CW01\) Draft Resilience and Livability Improvement Plan](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Pokhara Metropolitan City Road and Drains Improvement](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Pokhara Metropolitan Roads and Drainage Project](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Procurement Plan](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Project Administration Manual](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Report and Recommendation of the President](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Road, Drains, and Other Infrastructure Improvement](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Sainamaina Municipality Roads and Drainage Project](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Siddharthanagar Municipality \(URLIP/SDN/CW01\) Draft Resilience and Livability Improvement Plan](#)
- [Urban Resilience and Livability Improvement Project: Tilottama Municipality Road Improvement Project](#)