

 Early Warning System

AFDB-P-NG-AA0-044

NIGERIA - Humanitarian and Food Security Response to Mitigate the
Effects of Floods



Quick Facts

Countries	Nigeria
Specific Location	Maiduguri, Borno State
Financial Institutions	African Development Bank (AFDB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	C
Voting Date	2024-10-28
Borrower	Government of Nigeria - World Food Program
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Humanitarian Response, Law and Government
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 0.98 million



Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the objective of this project is to assist Nigerian citizens impacted by floods. Following the government appeal for humanitarian assistance from cooperating partners, the African Development Bank has partnered with WFP to submit this proposal for funds under the Bank's Special Relief Fund (SRF), to provide emergency assistance that will enable the partnership to complement the Government's response and provide lifesaving assistance to the food-insecure populations affected by the impact of floods.

The Project aims to complement the Government's efforts and those of development partners to save lives and protect livelihoods in the current crisis caused by the flood. This objective will be achieved through the provision of emergency food transfers. The Bank, through SRF, will contribute USD 1,000,000 in response to the appeal, while WFP will deploy its field capacity to identify, target and provide relief emergency support to the target beneficiaries.

The funding from the Bank's SRF will be used to complement the Government's interim response which is providing 25 kg of rice and 10kg of spaghetti by delivering complementary pulses and rice to cover an estimated 122,253 people (24,450 households) in the sixteen most affected districts. The aim is to provide consumption needs to affected households to diversify their food basket and address essential needs during four critical months between October 2024 and February 2025, thus enabling them to protect their livelihoods and avoid long term deterioration of their food and nutrition security. The support will be a one-off food transfer of 35 kilograms (25kg of rice and 10kg of beans) per household. Rapid market assessments preliminary findings have highlighted that the cost of food has increased significantly with availability challenges which impede the feasibility of cash-based transfers.



Early Warning System Project Analysis

Environmental Category: [3] Low Risk



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- African Development Bank (AFDB)

Finance Type: Standard grant

Commitments (UA): 741,334

Conversion Rate USD (2024-10-28): 1,32990



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Bank Documents

- [Appraisal Report](#)