

 Early Warning System

DFC-2022-LIVELIHOODSCAR
Livelihoods Carbon Fund SICAV-RAIF



Quick Facts

Financial Institutions	US International Development Finance Corporation (DFC)
Status	Active
Bank Risk Rating	U
Borrower	Livelihoods Carbon Fund
Sectors	Agriculture and Forestry, Climate and Environment
Investment Amount (USD)	\$ 12.50 million
Loan Amount (USD)	\$ 12.50 million



Project Description

According to the DFC disclosure documents, this project involves the following:

Livelihoods Carbon Fund SICAV-RAIF seeks a 12-year, \$25 million, 50% (\$12.5 million in DFC exposure), pari passu loan portfolio guaranty from DFC. This guaranty is sponsored by the Center for Environment, Energy and Infrastructure of USAID's Bureau for Development, Democracy and Innovation given its alignment with USAID's efforts to advance natural climate solutions through sustainable landscapes programs that promote sustainable management of forest, agricultural, and other lands to improve livelihoods and resilience while reducing national and regional greenhouse gas emissions from deforestation and land degradation.



Early Warning System Project Analysis

DFC Risk Category: The capitalization of a fund is screened as a Category D activity for the purposes of environmental and social assessment.



Investment Description

- US International Development Finance Corporation (DFC)

Financial Intermediary

Financial Intermediary: A commercial bank or financial institution that receives funds from a development bank. A financial intermediary then lends these funds to their clients (private actors) in the form of loans, bonds, guarantees and equity shares. Financial intermediaries include insurance, pension and equity funds. The direct financial relationship is between the development bank and the financial intermediary.

- [Livelihoods Carbon Funds](#) (Financial Intermediary)



Contact Information

Project contact information not available at the time of writing.

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Bank Documents

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