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Quick Facts

Countries	Brazil
Specific Location	Franco da Rocha
Financial Institutions	International Finance Corporation (IFC)
Status	Completed
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2019-08-12
Borrower	Government of Brazil
Sectors	Climate and Environment, Energy, Technical Cooperation
Investment Type(s)	Advisory Services

Project Description

The project is expected to (i) reduce Franco da Rocha municipality’s consumption of electricity and greenhouse gas emissions, including CO2, through the use of energy-efficient lights and advanced street lighting management systems; (ii) expand street lighting services to underserved communities in the municipality; (iii) reduce safety risks related to poorly lit streets; (iv) improve lighting quality and lower the frequency of service interruptions; (v) improve infrastructure for the illumination grid, modernizing it and integrating features as previously developed in smart cities; and (vi) promote overall urban improvements.

People Affected By This Project

The key environmental & social (E&S) issues and risks associated with this project include: the company's E&S management capacity (including identification and management of the sub-projects E&S risks for both construction and operations), labor and working conditions, occupational health and safety (OHS), fire protection and emergency response and stakeholder engagement.
IFC's review concluded that the potential adverse E&S risks and impacts of this project are considered few in number, and potentially readily mitigated allied with implementation of good international industry practice. This is therefore a Category B project according to IFC's Policy on Environmental and Social Sustainability (2012).

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