

 Early Warning System

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Somali Urban Investment Planning Project Additional Financing



Quick Facts

Countries	Somalia
Specific Location	Kismayo and Baidoa Cities
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Proposed
Bank Risk Rating	B
Voting Date	2018-11-30
Borrower	Government of Somalia
Sectors	Industry and Trade
Investment Type(s)	Advisory Services
Project Cost (USD)	\$ 3.00 million



Project Description

Original objective: To provide:

- I. an assessment of the feasibility of, and preliminary plans for, selected urban investment and institutional strengthening activities in southern Somalia, Puntland and Somaliland, and
- II. enhanced project preparation and implementation capacity of participating agencies.

Current objective: To provide:

- I. an assessment of the feasibility of, and preliminary plans for, selected urban investment and institutional strengthening activities in targeted cities, and
- II. enhanced project preparation and implementation capacity of participating agencies.

The proposed additional financing will scale-up the Somali Urban Investment Planning Project activities to the cities of Kismayo and Baidoa with an additional financing of US\$3 million. Overall, the additional financing will finance the same activities as in the parent project, mainly:

1. Establishment of Project Implementation Units (PIUs) in target cities and provision of technical assistance to enhance the capacity of the Somali executing agencies to plan, prepare and implement urban development projects, such as SURP, effectively and efficiently while mitigating fiduciary and safeguards risks. These activities will be client executed.
2. Technical studies and designs of the priority urban investments and institutional assessments of the implementing agencies in target cities. The selection of the priority investments will be based on the rapid urban assessment which was undertaken in Kismayo and Baidoa under SUIPP original financing, but also on pre-agreed selection criteria and a multi-stakeholder participatory selection process. The priority urban investments that will be studied under SUIPP Additional Financing will be financed under SURP, the follow-on investment project. The institutional assessments will provide an informational and analytic base for the preparation of institutional strengthening activities to be supported under SURP. Other thematic analytics may also be undertaken as needs emerge. In order to facilitate the quick execution of these activities and ensure quality in the fragile and conflict affected environment of Somalia, they will be executed by the Bank on behalf of the Client.



Investment Description

- World Bank (WB)



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Bank Documents

- [Project Information Document-Integrated Safeguards Data Sheet - Somali Urban Investment Planning Pro](#) [Original Source]
- [Somalia - Urban Investment Planning Project : Additional Financing : Environmental Assessment \(Vol.](#) [Original Source]
- [Somalia - Urban Investment Planning Project : Additional Financing : Environmental Assessment : Term](#) [Original Source]
- [Somalia - Urban Investment Planning Project : Additional Financing : Resettlement Plan : Terms of Re](#) [Original Source]