

 Early Warning System

WB-P506770

Metro Dhaka Water Security and Resilience Program



## Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Bangladesh
<b>Specific Location</b>	Metro Dhaka region
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	World Bank (WB)
<b>Status</b>	Proposed
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	U
<b>Voting Date</b>	2025-12-04
<b>Borrower</b>	Government of Bangladesh - Economic Relations Department
<b>Sectors</b>	Law and Government, Water and Sanitation
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Loan
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 350.00 million
<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 350.00 million



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## **Project Description**

According to the Bank's website, the objective of this project is to improve access to WSS services, reduce pollution loads (entering the rivers and canals), and enhance resilience in Metro Dhaka region.

The Program for Results (PforR) instrument will support the GOB in establishing a platform to advance the implementation of critical interventions to enhance Dhaka's water security and resilience. It will adopt a comprehensive and integrated approach for implementation underpinned by institutional development, governance reforms, and restructured financial incentives to fund priority investments.



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### **Early Warning System Project Analysis**

There may be some adverse environmental and social (E&S) impacts that need careful management. Program interventions will be designed to reduce pollution levels in rivers and canals, but construction activities could have potentially negative environmental effects, including noise, dust, and water pollution. Given the fact that Dhaka and its surrounding areas are some of the most densely populated urban / peri-urban areas in the world, there is a likelihood of irreversible adverse social or economic impacts. There are probable community health and safety risks during the construction phase and O&M phases of the program. Additionally, the handling and disposal of dredged materials and construction waste must be carefully managed to prevent secondary pollution as well as associated impacts on health and safety of people. Rehabilitation efforts in river corridors and wetlands also have the potential to affect local biodiversity and ecosystems if not managed properly.



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- World Bank (WB)

IDA Credit: US\$ 350.00 million



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**Bank Documents**

- [Concept Environmental and Social Review Summary \(ESRS\) - Metro Dhaka Water Security and Resilience P](#)
- [Concept Program Information Document \(PID\) \(English\)](#)