

 Early Warning System

ADB-48484-001

Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project



## Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Tuvalu
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
<b>Status</b>	Canceled
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	B
<b>Voting Date</b>	2015-07-06
<b>Borrower</b>	Ministry of Communication and Transport
<b>Sectors</b>	Transport
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Advisory Services
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 0.60 million



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## Project Description

According to ADB website, the proposed Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project will develop maritime infrastructure in the selected outer islands of Tuvalu, improve safety, efficiency and sustainability of maritime transportation among Funafuti, the capital, and outer islands.

The project will help Tuvalu overcome its connectivity problem that is constraining its economic and social development. The connectivity challenge results from Tuvalu's dispersed typography a small country (land area of 26 square kilometers) composing of nine islands, stretching over approximately 680 kilometers, small and dispersed population about 10,800 as of 2012, with less than 1,600 people on each of outer islands, from 2002 to 2012, outer island population was decreased by 9% while that of Funafuti increased by 37%.



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## Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)



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No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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## Bank Documents

- [Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project: Initial Environmental Examination](#) [Original Source]
- [Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project: Involuntary Resettlement Due Diligence Report](#) [Original Source]
- [Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project: Project Preparatory Technical Assistance Report](#) [Original Source]
- [Project Disclosure PDF](#) [Original Source]



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**Other Related Projects**

- ADB-48484-002 Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project
- ADB-48484-003 Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project - Project Design Advance
- ADB-48484-004 Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project (Additional financing)
- ADB-48484-005 Outer Island Maritime Infrastructure Project (Second Additional Financing)