

 Early Warning System

EIB-20140548

Laos Climate Resilient Road



## Quick Facts

<b>Countries</b>	Laos
<b>Specific Location</b>	Bolikhamxay, Xayabouly, Houaphan, Oudomxay, Phongsaly, Xiangkhouang
<b>Financial Institutions</b>	European Investment Bank (EIB)
<b>Status</b>	Approved
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	A
<b>Voting Date</b>	2018-12-21
<b>Borrower</b>	Lao People's Democratic Republic, Ministry of Public Works
<b>Sectors</b>	Transport
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Loan
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 23.61 million
<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 80.26 million



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## Project Description

According to EIB website, the project will contribute to the improvement of the main rural roads in Laos for the purposes of climate resilience and safety.

This project involves the rehabilitation of local and district roads, including elevating flood prone road sections, paving road sections with steep slopes and sections passing through large communities, drainage improvement or construction, and slope improvement and stabilization. This is expected to lead to the improvement of climate resilience of the local and district road network in 6 of the 18 provinces of Laos.



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## Investment Description

- European Investment Bank (EIB)

Co-financing:

Nordic Development Fund

European Union

World Bank



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## Contact Information

No contact information provided at the time of disclosure.

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<http://www.ombudsman.europa.eu/atyourservice/interactiveguide.faces>



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## Bank Documents

- [Environmental and Social Data Sheet](#) [Original Source]
- [Environmental and Social Management Framework \(ESMF\) Executive Summary](#) [Original Source]
- [Ethnic Groups Policy Framework \(EGPF\)](#) [Original Source]
- [Laos: EIB to help protect 1,400km roads in rural Lao PDR from climate change](#)
- [Nordic Development Fund: Lao PDR Road Sector Project II \[NDF C92/C93\]](#) [Original Source]
- [Resettlement Policy Framework \(RPF\)](#) [Original Source]

## Media

- [ABC Laos News](#)



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### Other Related Projects

- WB-P158504 Lao Road Sector Project 2 (LRSP2)