

FISH LEVY TRUST FUND NEWSLETTER

For the period 1st October 2023- 31st December 2023 (2nd Quarter)



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STRATEGIC PLAN

NATIONAL TREE GROWING DAY

On 13th November 2023, FLTF participated in the Tree growing exercise flagged off by the Principal Secretary Blue Economy and Fisheries accompanied By DG KeFS, FIBES,SABE&F, Ag. CEO FLTF, Ag. KFMA, Area MCA, Ward Administration and staff from KeFS, FLTF, KFMA, KMFRI & SDBEF in Kiganjo and Sagana.

The event was a resounding success, bringing together various stakeholders, government officials, and the local community in a collective effort to promote environmental sustainability through tree planting.

Participants engaged in hands-on tree planting activities , symbolizing a commitment to environmental stewardship. The event saw the successful planting of 7,000 trees of different species among them chestnut tree, cypress, ceecurela..etc

DEVELOPMENT OF FLTF STRATEGIC PLAN

On 9th October 2023, FLTF developed its plan for the period 2023-2027 aligning it to the revised fifth-generation guidelines from the State Department of Planning.

FLTF Strategic Plan will help define the direction in which the Fund will travel, and will aid in establishing realistic objectives and goals that are in line with the vision and mission chartered out for it. This will also create a sense of collaboration and collective responsibility.

FLTF Strategic Plan was finalized after going through the four key steps: Strategic plan initiation; Development; Validation; Finalization and Dissemination.



Principal Secretary Blue Economy & Fisheries, Ag. CEO, FLTF, Staff from FLTF and KFMA during the National Tree Planting.

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FLTF URGENT MITIGATION GUIDELINES

FLTF started developing its urgent mitigation guidelines on 28th November 2023.

One of the core mandate of the Fish Levy Trust Fund is to provide supplementary funding on urgent mitigation to persons engaged in fishing and fishing-related activities.

These guidelines will reduce loss of life and property by minimizing the impact of disasters. This will begin with the Fund identifying common natural disasters and vulnerabilities that affect the fisher folk.

Partnering for Sustainability

FLTF ON GOVERNMENT INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM (GIMIS)

The National Treasury developed the GIMIS an end-to-end automated platform for preparation, submission, analysis and approval of State Corporations budgets. The system allows for the submission of monthly, quarterly and other statutory reports.

FLTF has now been mapped in GIMIS and officers were trained on December 18th 2023 to comply with the National Treasury circular. This will be valuable to the Fund as we commence the preparation of the Annual budget for the financial year 2024/25 and the medium term.

WORLD FISHERIES DAY

World Fisheries Day is celebrated every year to raise awareness on the importance of fisheries and the role it plays in supporting livelihoods, economies and food security.

On 21st November 2023, FLTF participated in the World Fisheries Day in Liwatoni, Mombasa County. The Cabinet Secretary for Mining, Blue Economy and Maritime Affairs Hon. Salim Mvurya was the guest of honor. 2023 World Fisheries Day theme was “Docking for dignity, the role of port in advancing decent work in fisheries.”

Activities organized were: workshops; awareness campaigns; cultural events; and community outreach programs. These aim to educate people about responsible fishing, the impact of overfishing and conservation measures.



National World Fisheries Day, Liwatoni, Mombasa

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