



# Weekly Wrap-Up Newsletter

The weekly wrap-up newsletter is a platform to link and update staff and project stakeholders on the happenings in all Project Implementation Units (PIUs) and Project Management Unit (PMU) on the progress of projects CAUSE implemented in various communities of Honiara, Guadalcanal (areas outside of town boundary), Auki, Gizo, Noro and Munda.

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## Cleaning service in Auki

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Cleaning services in and around Auki town has been overwhelmingly applauded by the people. Today once you walked past the town you would notice the cleanliness of the town. This is because of the commitment and effort by those who do the cleaning. One of the workers said it's not about the monetary value we get for our job but it's the love for the place we called home and seeing it clean every day is a good thing that brings joy and happiness.

## Inhouse - Component 1a Workshop



Last week a one-day workshop has been conducted for staff especially those that are directly involved in component 1 of the project. The workshop was facilitated by Project Manager Cris Afable and covers physical performance assessment, review and assessment of specific implementation issues, challenges and so forth. The workshop has helped to identify areas of concern and steps to action.

## Auki Notice Board



Auki PIU finally installed their notice board at the provincial centre. The notice board will help disseminate information to the public.



### Auki PIU improvised Aligegeo well



Girls student of Aligegeo secondary school in Auki finally can now use a safe and proper well for their daily wash. Thanks to Auki PIU for recognising the long standing issue of the boarding school. In a comment in the CAUSE facebook page a former student of the school Miss. Maonia Rkimani said "its really nice to finally see this well being properly made with cement and foot-path unlike their time in the past when they used the filthy one".

### Noro fish market to be slab



Work is currently underway in Noro, Western Province for the slabbing of the Noro fish market area. The fish market is important space where fisherman came to sell their products.

### Agape lane two to complete soon



The lane two of the Agape climate change resilience road in West Honiara is on the verge of completion probably in the coming weeks. There are small section that are yet to be fully sealed. So far people who lives up the hill are so thankful of improved road as vehicles can now going up and down easily without rolling back as experienced in the past.

### Completed Gizo Market Jetty



Gizo market jetty has finally been completed. Plan is underway to have all major sub projects in Noro/Munda and Gizo to be official hand over to the province at the end of the month.

### News/ Announcements.

1. Honiara PMU staff Naelyn John this week lost her dear mother. On behalf of the CAUSE family we offer our condolences in this difficult time.
2. The government has announced that taking job is mandatory to all public officers, SOEs and private companies frontline workers, failing to do means they are self terminated.
3. The Solomon Islands Chamber of Commerce and Industry (SICCI) is urging members, their employees and eligible members of the general public to be vaccinated to protect them from the COVID-19 virus as soon as possible.
4. The fifteenth Pacific Trade Invest (PTI) Pacific Business Monitor reports that sentiments among the Pacific business decision-makers remain critical and expected timelines for economic recovery are shifting back further
5. More Solomon Islanders are preparing to join others in Australia for the seasonal workers scheme.