



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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A presentation was held this morning at the CAUSE Project office in Honiara to DFAT staff Joe Haga and Rebecca Lane. The presentation covers different areas how the project implement its activities and the management of the project. The two officers were pleased with output the project has for the various vulnerable community.

Vara creek Jacob's ladder



Work on the form work for concrete pouring at Vara creek Jacobs ladder in Honiara has been completed. Pouring on the ladder that connects Kola ridge and Vara creek will be in the coming weeks.

Cleaning services in Auki



Women in Auki are being described as champions who keep Auki clean at all times. Currently there are number of groups engaged by the project in cleaning Auki town.

Munda shoreline improvement



Work has started on the shoreline improvement at Munda. The actual work is behind the Munda market. Currently the workers are filling up the gabion basket with stones. Over the coming weeks they will work on concrete slabbing.

New footbridge in BP Gizo



A new footbridge is under construction at BP in Gizo. The footbridge is necessary as residents living around that community usually use the same bridge vehicles is using and most times they have to wait for the passing vehicles for their turn.

Big Baru Jacob's ladder fully completed



The Jacob's ladder at big Baru of Noro has finally fully completed with safe railings. The ladder is currently serving the coastline residents and people who travel in and out of Noro by boat.

Spot improvement at West Guadalcanal



Work on the spot improvement at LDA, Mahu2, Mahu SSEC1, Tanahoru, Marara Clinic of West Guadalcanal has reached 85% completion. The road was in a very bad state but with the upgrade it has helped the residents a lot in their daily movement.

News/ Announcements.

1. Honiara will undergo lock down for 36hours starting this Sunday 6pm to 3rdTuesday 6am.
2. The Ministry of Health and Medical Services (MHMS) has issued a stern warning to communities across the country, particularly those in Makira-Ulawa, Malaita, Isabel, Western, Choiseul and Guadalcanal Province. Stay away from any and all foreign vessels or yachts.
3. Health PS Pauline McNeil visited Buala hospital departments, laboratory, surgical, neo-natal, medical, pharmacy and so forth spending time listening to the staff there and jotting down notes for necessary follow up actions upon return.
4. Australia has agreed to fund the installation of six new mobile phone towers to support the Solomon Islands Government to improve the security and connectivity on its western border area by closing key communications blind spots. The package was requested by the Solomon Islands Government as part of its COVID-19 preparedness and response efforts.