



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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The concrete steep section of Bethany road of Jah Mountain at Gizo has been completed this afternoon. The road has been concreted following the continuous deteriorating of the road especially during rainy season. With the improvements of the road residents living within the area find it easy than before especially getting taxi. The residents thanked the project and Australian Government for enabling the improvements of the road.

Noro CBD Concrete Road Completed.



The first lane of Noro CBD concrete road has been completed. Work on the next lane will commence next week.

Barana Concrete Road completing soon.



The 310 meters long concrete road at Barana of Guadalcanal Province is on the completion stage. Next contractor will work on the drainage system.

Auki –Unafi Footpath in Progress



Work on Unafi footpath in Auki is progressing well. Currently the workers are working on the few final sections of the footpath.

Honiara PMU - ISDT Batch 75 Training



The ISDT batch 75 training for Honiara participants is currently going on until Tuesday next week where participants will be graduated and qualify for short term job employment with the project.

Upgrade of Children's Park



Work is currently going on at Rove on the upgrading of children's park. The upgrade will restore more recreation space for children's to play.

Milestone Water Improvement



Work on Milestone water improvement in East Honiara is going on well. Currently workers are working on the wash station shelters.

News/ Announcements.

1. The CAUSE Implementation Support Mission # 9 will be held from November 7-16, 2022
2. The Ministry of Environment, Climate Change, Disaster Management and Meteorology (MECDM) this week, launched its new Corporate Plan for 2022-2024. UNDP remains a long-standing partner of the MECDM for many years and within the framework of the Integrated Disaster Risk Management project, the team provides technical and capacity-building support to the Ministry on the implementation of the Corporate Plan.
3. The government, through the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and External Trade (MFAET), remains steadfast in committing up to 5,000 workers into the Pacific Australia Labour Mobility (PALM) scheme by the end of 2022, with further opportunities from New Zealand on the horizon. The total figures for both countries now stand at 4,547 workers with Australia the most sought after with 4,135 workers, and 412 Solomon Islanders now employed in New Zealand.

