



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. CAUSE is Financed by Australia Government and the World Bank

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Australian High Commissioner HE Rod Hilton launched Kunu water improvement project this week in Auki, Malaita Province. Kunu community in Auki, is located in a swampy area and ranked as a high priority community according the CAUSE Vulnerability Screening Index. To access the main water source, which serves approximately 1,600 community members, people had to wade through the muddy swamp to be able to shower and wash clothes and belongings. Given the swampy conditions, access to the water source was difficult and at times dangerous, especially for the elderly, people with disabilities and expectant mothers. The improved water source is described by many people in the community as a blessing.



Children of Kunu community enjoying swimming after the launching.



People gathered to witness the official launching of the improved water source.

Gizo –Banana valley footpath reaching 50 meters.



The inner banana valley footpath has reached 50 meters. Workers will continue on the last 50 meters until it completes in the coming weeks.

Mbuvalley School Footpath near completion



The Mbuvalley school footpath is set to complete in the coming weeks. Form works has been done just waiting for concrete pouring.

Auki –AOG Concrete Road completed.



The concrete road at AOG area behind Auki has been completed. This is a critical section and people living in this area always face a lot of challenges. With this new concrete road life is more easier for the residents.

Noro concrete road to start soon



Work on the concrete road at Noro will start soon. Scoping has been done. In the coming weeks workers will mobilize and start work on form works.

News/ Announcements.

1. Market vendor's earnings pay for her children's education. It may not seem like much, just a few makeshift stalls that is used to sell traditional home cooked meals. But with this Doreen Biku, a mother of three, has been able to put her children through formal education despite the hardships faced by market vendors.
2. The 2023 Pacific Games Organizing Committee (GOC) is pleased to announce that Fiji Television Limited (FIJI TV) has acquired the broadcast rights for the Sol2023 Pacific Games in Fiji.
3. The Media Association of Solomon Islands (MASI) joined thousands of media personnel around the world yesterday in commemorating Press Freedom Day.
4. SolTuna is the latest Official Sponsor of the Sol2023 Pacific Games.

