



Provincial and Local Government Support Program (PLGSP)- In Karnali Province

BACKGROUND OF THE PROGRAM:



The Provincial and Local Governance support Program (PLGSP) is a joint program of Government of Nepal and Development Partners aiming to strengthen provincial and local governance system & capacity development of elected representatives and staffs at provincial and local level. The Ministry of Federal Affairs and General Administration (MoFAGA) is executing the Programme at Federal Level and the Provincial Level the Office of the Chief Minister and Council of Ministries (OCMCM) is implementing agencies at Provincial level.

Implementation Area: Karnali Province Government and 79 Local Governments

Implementation Agency: Office of Chief Minister and Council of Ministers (OCMCM)

Duration: Fiscal year 2076/77 to 2079/80

Development Partners: Department for International Development, UK (DFID), Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC), Norway, European Union (EU) and UN Agencies

STRUCTURE AT PROVINCIAL LEVEL

PLGSP is being implemented under two expenditure units.

Provincial Programme Implementation Unit (PPIU)



strengthening federalization in Nepal .

PPIU has been implementing output - 4, 5 ,6 & 12 under this outputs is responsible as well accountable towards assisting to Provincial Local Governments (PLGs) on legal framework on exclusive and concurrent as per construction of Nepal, functional administrative systems, vertical and horizontal accountability, GESI mainstreaming, Intergovernmental Relations (IGR), promotion Information Technology based system establishment and function at provincial and Local Government (PLGs) and Innovative partnership Fund (IPF) for

Provincial Centre for Good Governance (PCGG) :

PCGG/ KPTA has responsible to implement output-7, 8,9,10,11,13,14. The outputs are related to institutional support of PCGG recently established as Karnali Province Training Academy (KPTA) under the provincial government act, vertical and horizontal accountability of local government for effective and quality delivery through Capacity Development program/activities of local level elected representatives and staffs of provincial and Local Government.



MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS OF PLGSP IN KARNALI PROVINCE

- Formulate/review 22 provincial laws/acts, regulations, guidelines in consultative manner of provincial and Local Government.
- Support to conduct Provincial Coordination Council (PCC) meeting twice a year – This is the constitutional provision for inter-government relationship and foster co-operative federalism. PLGSP supported to formulate meeting management guideline, support to strengthen council secretariat meeting. Till now 7 meetings have been conducted on various agendas like as: inter-governmental relationship issues and dispute resolution of province and local government etc. and implement the decision.
- PLGSP supported to establish web-site of all provincial ministries, regular support to updates the web-sites, capacity development of ICT personal of provincial and local government.

- In order to establish E-attendance at all ministries and directorates developed Hello Chief Minister mobile apps for grievance handling , developed Program and budget monitoring system of province government , Developed personal Information system of officials .
- Developed advertise management system of Provincial Public Service Commission and recruited about 800 local staffs
- 100% Local Governments meet LISA, FRA and planning and budget as per given timeline of government.
- 32 LGs have developed Revenue Improvement Action Plan
- 30 LGs have developed Capacity Development (CD) Plan
- 100% LGs adopted the financial management system SuTRA, PAMS and CGAs
- 79 LGs prepare Midterm Expenditure Framework (MTEF)
- 2623 elected representatives, 6415 government officials are benefited by capacity development programme in different thematic areas and 718 ward chair persons benefited by capacity development programme
- 79 LGs have developed GESI strategy
- Developed GESI policy of provincial government
- Support Monitoring & Evaluation Guideline of provincial government
- 12 projects implemented by Local Governments under IPF funds