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SOMALIA
UN-Habitat is active in all the Somali regions with a current portfolio of approximately USD 40 million.

UN-Habitat Somalia Program which is delivered in post-conflict Somalia, clearly fits into the UN-Habitat Risk Reduction and Rehabilitation sub-program. However, program activities can be nicely placed in almost any of UN-Habitat’s sub-programs.

There is a renewed focus on Mogadishu with presently two projects running. Politically advocated but not yet practical re-location to Mogadishu will be linked to new programme recruitments. Presently, UN-Habitat has a small presence in Mogadishu through national staff and international consultants and constant missions by international staff. Existing and well established field offices are in Garowe, Bossaso (Puntland), and Hargeisa (Somaliland).

Excellent cooperation exists with all Somali Administrations at central and local levels.

UN-Habitat is an active member of the UN Country Team and works in support of the New Deal and the Somalia Governments Six-point Programme.
JPLG, UN-Habitat Mandate implemented in Somalia

Joint Programme on Local Governance & Decentralised Service Delivery

Under this five-UN-Agency Joint Programme, UN-Habitat’s role covers activities which fit perfectly into its mandate: urban planning, land governance and legislation, municipal finance including GIS-based property taxation, solid waste management, and capacity building of local governments including personnel and physical infrastructure, Program delivers in all regions of Somalia, including Somaliland and Puntland.

The budget for 2014 is USD 6.9 million, coming from 6 donors: SIDA, DANIDA, DFID, EC, Norway, SDC

New Berbera Municipality Building
JPLG - Urban Legislation, Land and Governance

Current JPLG Districts

**SOMALILAND**
- Hargeisa
- Gabiley
- Burao
- Boroma
- Berbera
- Sheikh
- Odweyne

**PUNTLAND**
- Garowe
- Bossaso
- Gardo
- Galkayo
- Jariban
- Bandarbeyla
- Eyl

**SOUTH CENTRAL**
- Mogadishu (Benadir Regional Authority)
- Adado
JPLG - Urban Legislation, Land and Governance
Urban Basic Services

Port and Roads Infrastructure Upgrading in Bossaso

This USD 2.6 million project funded by Italian Cooperation, intends to decongest the port area in Bossaso/Puntland through road construction, improving port efficiency and creating related livelihoods and increased space for economic activities around the port. The project builds upon earlier urban planning by UN-Habitat in Bossaso. It has been implemented in close coordination with: the Ministry of Maritime Affairs, Ports and Anti-Piracy, Ministry of Fisheries, Bosaso Local Government, the Bari Governor’s Office, the Ministry of Security, and the Ministry of Finance.
Urban Basic Services

Port and Roads Infrastructure Upgrading in Bossaso
Urban Basic Services

Water Supply

1. Hargeisa Urban Water Supply Upgrading Project, USD 19.5 m funded by EC
   The project replaces the existing water infrastructure and increases the volume of water supply for Hargeisa/Somaliland with special emphasis on un-served quarters of Hargeisa. This large-scale engineering and construction project represents the first part of the complete expansion and rehabilitation of Hargeisa’s water infrastructure and supply.

2. Improving Urban Water Service Delivery in Burao, Erigavo, Tag Wajaale and Boroma towns, Somaliland, USD 306 k funded by EC through UNICEF
   Expected accomplishments in this Joint Programme with UNICEF include: (1) Stakeholder consultations conducted, Water User Associations formed and enabled in 4 target towns, and Water service providers from Burao, Erigavo, Tug Wajaale and Boroma enrolled as members in Global Water Operators Partnership Association (GWOPA), and participating in GWOPA events and activities, (2) Key urban water utility agreements that incorporate local and global learning have been revised, re-negotiated, or established, strengthening in particular pro-poor service delivery as well as operational and financial efficiency and (3) GIS and Mapping Products and Strategic Urban Development Plans prepared, contributing to improved local capacity and reach of urban water supply systems in the for towns.
3. Design, Construction and Connection of Hora Hadley Well Field and Transmission facilities (via Geed Deeble) and Small Water Distribution System in Dar es Salaam Village, Somaliland 1.4 m USD funded by SDF

SDF has allocated funds to co-finance the already ongoing HUWSUP project. The project involves drilling of three new boreholes in Hora Haadley, boreholes equipment and piped connection of the boreholes of Hora Haadley to the Geed Deeble system. The project will increase the amount available in Hargeisa by an additional 2 million litres per day and also includes the construction of a small water distribution system (20m³ tank and 3 water kiosks) at Dar el Salaam village, near the new Hora Haadley wellfield area.
Urban Basic Services

Water Supply
Housing and Slum Upgrading/ Urban Economy

Housing, basic services and livelihood for IDPs

The three ongoing projects, with total value of USD 7.5 million funded by the Government of Japan, provide security of land tenure and permanent housing, social infrastructure and skills training for long-term and most vulnerable IDPs, such as women-headed households and disabled persons. So far, 4050 houses have been built through similar past projects at 8 locations for 25,000 IDP’s at an average cost of USD 3,600 per permanent house. All IDP settlements are well planned and fully integrated into the urban fabric at their respective locations, allowing IDP’s access to jobs, livelihoods and services.
Housing and Slum Upgrading/ Urban Economy

Housing, basic services and livelihood for IDPs
Urban Planning and Design

Proposed Master Plan for Deyniile Settlement

The settlement has been divided into six neighborhoods which helps to strengthen the sense of community and belonging of the inhabitants.

Calculations are based on 50m² plot size per family.
Urban Economy/Basic Services

Sustainable Employment Creation and Improved Livelihoods for Vulnerable Urban Communities in Mogadishu (SECIL)

SECIL, EUR 3.9 million EC funded project supports the design and implementation of activities geared to stimulate employment & livelihoods.

The project targets specific needs in six strategic areas of the urban economy: Economic Infrastructure, Solid Waste Management, Construction, Water and Sanitation, and Renewable Energy and Environmental protection.
Urban Economy/ Basic Services

SECIL, Biosand waterfilter production and sustainable charcoal production
Youth Employment

Working with three other UN agencies (ILO, FAO and UNDP) UN-Habitat's role in this project is to establish One-Stop-Youth Resource Centers, improve lifeskills and vocational skills in the construction sector for better position of youth on the labour market. Funds for this new project have been received from Sweden and Denmark.
THANK YOU !