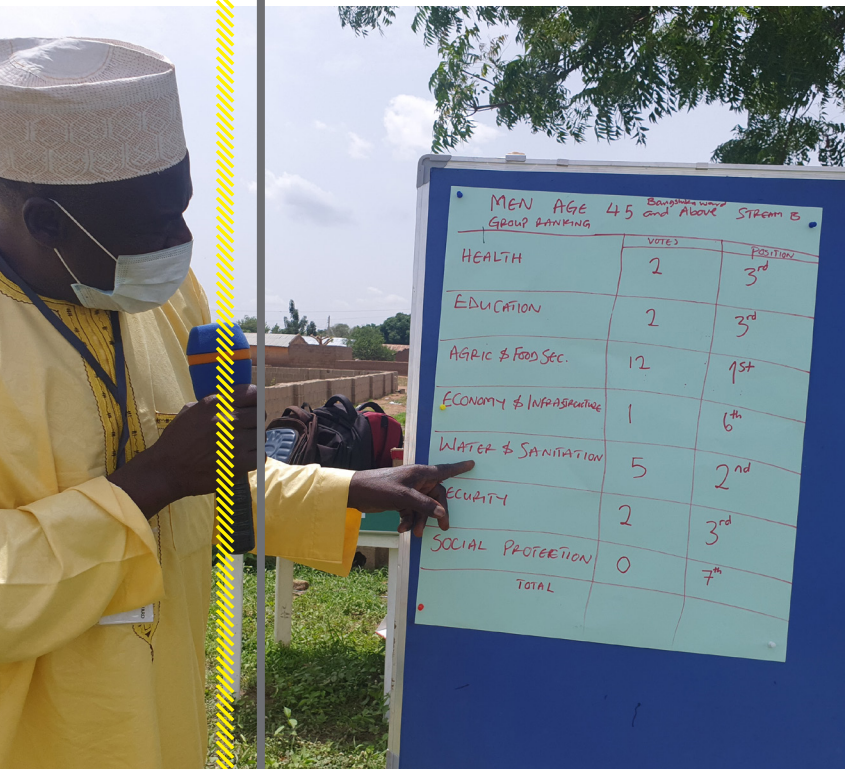


COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PLAN

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LIST OF ACRONYMS

ADSUBEB	Adamawa State Universal Basic Education Board
CDP	Community Development Planning
DIE	Director and Inspector of Education
ECF	Environmental Care Foundation
ESA	Environmental Sanitation Agency
INEC	Independent National Electoral Commission
LGA	Local Government Area
NDLEA	National Drug Law Enforcement Agency
NGO	Non-Governmental Organisation
PLWD	Persons Living with Disability
PHCDA	Primary Health Care Development Agency
PPSMB	Post Primary School Management Board
PTA	Parents Teachers Association
RWESA	Rural Water Environmental Sanitation Agency
SBMC	School Based Management Board
SUBEB	State Universal Basic Education Board
VDC	Village Development Committee
WDC	Ward Development Committee
WSPC	Ward Support Project Committee

OUR VISION

We envision Bangshika ward to be a developed community with a university sited in our ward for advanced education. A conducive working environment with good road/telecommunication network all over and modern market with robust economic activities and transactions. To also have a police division to reduce crimes and maintain peace. We want to see a Bangshika ward where potable drinking water and electric power supply is available. Our schools and hospitals to be modernised with qualified teachers and health workers respectively. We wish to see a strong presence of banks and other governmental and private organisations to pave way for our teaming youth to be employed and be business-oriented, resulting in a standard lifestyle and infrastructural development of Bangshika ward.



MESSAGE FROM THE COUNCILLOR

My name is Hon. Dzari Tachal the (Councillor representing Bangshika ward, consisting of 16 polling units). This is my first tenor as a Councillor, I am married to one wife with four children. Before entering politics, I was a businessman and a farmer.

Before now, community development problems were seen to be solely the responsibility of the government. However, the CDP sessions have changed our mindset to understand that everyone in the community has roles to play in the development of our ward. Therefore, I urge the people of Bangshika ward to adopt this method of inclusive Community Development Planning and pass it on to our children for a better and brighter future.

I appreciate GIZ and ECF for introducing us to this inclusive pattern of planning for our community development.

MESSAGE FROM THE DISTRICT HEAD

My name is Alh. Shaibu Manawanda, and I am district head of Bangshika and Hoshierizum wards. I have been on the throne for over 20 years and I am married to 4 wives with 38 children and I have never had any formal education. This is the first time my people come together from all the communities in our ward to discuss our challenges during my reign, and I am honoured to be a part of it. This Community Development Planning (CDP) session had an equal representation of all the communities in the ward including; the traditional and religious leaders, youths, the elderly, women and other members of the communities. The CDP session has allowed us to identify our challenges and enabled us to proffer solutions and evolve strategies to overcome the challenges identified.

In the end, this Community Development Plan will serve as a guiding document for Bangshika ward towards improving service delivery and building a better future for my people. The plan, if implemented will make the people of Bangshika ward self-reliant, and this is my honest prayer. Bangshika ward will never be the same if most of the challenges affecting its development will be addressed. We are pleased to know that the challenges in this plan align with our existing priorities which are Agriculture, Food Security, Water and Sanitation and Economy and Infrastructure.

We are soliciting any contributions, support and opportunities from the government and donor agencies who can contribute to the development of my ward since the plan has laid a solid foundation or a road map toward the development of the ward.

The preparation of this plan would not have been possible without the valuable contributions received from the wonderful people of this ward who participated in this CDP session. I want to sincerely express my gratitude and acknowledge the various skills shown by the facilitators during the CDP session, and the energy put in place by ECF and GIZ governance team component for the realisation of this Community Development Plan. Thank you.



A facilitator collating result in plenary after general group ranking



A facilitator presenting in plenary during a session



A facilitator guides a group during group work exercise

ABOUT THIS PLAN

Hong LGA is one of the seven Local Government Areas of Adamawa State that suffered the Boko Haram menace in 2014. Apart from the destruction of physical infrastructures such as schools, water points and health centres in the Local Government, people were killed and displaced, and many fled to safety. The physical and psychological trauma of the Boko Haram menace required concerted efforts for the victims' full recovery.

Against this background, the local government and the traditional leaders of Hong LGA have put the reconstruction and long-term development needs of the local population as their priority. With the support of the GIZ programme "Support to Strengthening Resilience in North-East Nigeria" (funded by the European Union and the German Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development), they have started the Community Development Planning (CDP) process, which aims at bringing together various community actors, vulnerable groups, women and men of different ages and socio-economic backgrounds at ward level to plan for the development of their communities through a participatory bottom-up planning process.

The CDP process has provided the opportunity for the community stakeholders to come together under one umbrella to discuss and analyse their livelihoods, including problems, causes, strategies and potentials that could help in solving them. It is a capacity building process where members of a community are active participants in their problem identification, analysis of developmental issues affecting them and brainstorming on solutions to solve the problems while putting the peculiarity of their communities in the centre of all the efforts.

While stakeholder sensitization, ward analysis and community mobilisation played a crucial role in the CDP process, the Community Development Planning session itself was the heart of the process. This 4-day session is akin to the village/town meetings where members of the community come together to discuss issues that affect their development and plan activities to overcome those development gaps. The major objectives of the CDP session are:

- To provide an opportunity for different socio-economic groups to discuss and analyse their livelihoods, including problems, causes, strategies and potentials within the community

that could help them solve these problems

- To build people's capacity to participate more actively in development issues affecting them as individuals and their community as a whole
- To create a platform where the people can discuss with their political and traditional leaders
- To identify and prioritise the needs of the community

Participants of the CDP session were carefully selected cutting across all demographics and socio-economic groups within the ward including vulnerable groups such as IDP, persons living with disability and orphaned children.

The CDP process in Hong LGA was facilitated by the Governance Component of GIZ's Resilience Programme and their Civil Society Organization (CSO) partners: Zireenza Support Foundation (ZSF), Environmental Care Foundation (ECF), Goggoji Zummuchi Development Initiative (GZDI), Budgeting and Planning Departments of the Hong LGA, Adamawa State Planning Commission and Ministry of Local Government Affairs. The CDP processes were supported and guided by the local government and traditional leadership

The tangible result of the Bangshika ward CDP process and especially the CDP session is this Ward Development Plan. Representatives of Bangshika ward validated the Community Development Plan (CDP) and its content.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: KEY FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Community Development Planning (CDP) sessions for Bangshika ward took place from 15th –18th June 2021 at Kala'a Primary School with two streams (A&B) running simultaneously in adherence to Covid-19 preventive measures. For 4 days, different categories of people from Bangshika ward made up of traditional, religious, and political leaders, men and women from different age groups, artisans, persons living with disabilities (PLWD), internally displaced persons (IDPs), heads of households, and economic actors came together to plan for the development of our ward.

Bangshika ward is one of the 12 wards of Hong LGA with a projected population of over 8100 people, predominantly of Kilba tribe. Other tribes like Hausa, Fulani, Chibok, Igbo exist in our ward. Majority of our people are farmers while a substantial number of our population are engaged in various kinds of trade. Our ward is located in the southern part of Hong LGA, it is situated between coordinates 10o 13' 54" N and 12o 55' 49" E. Some communities of Borno state bordered Bangshika.

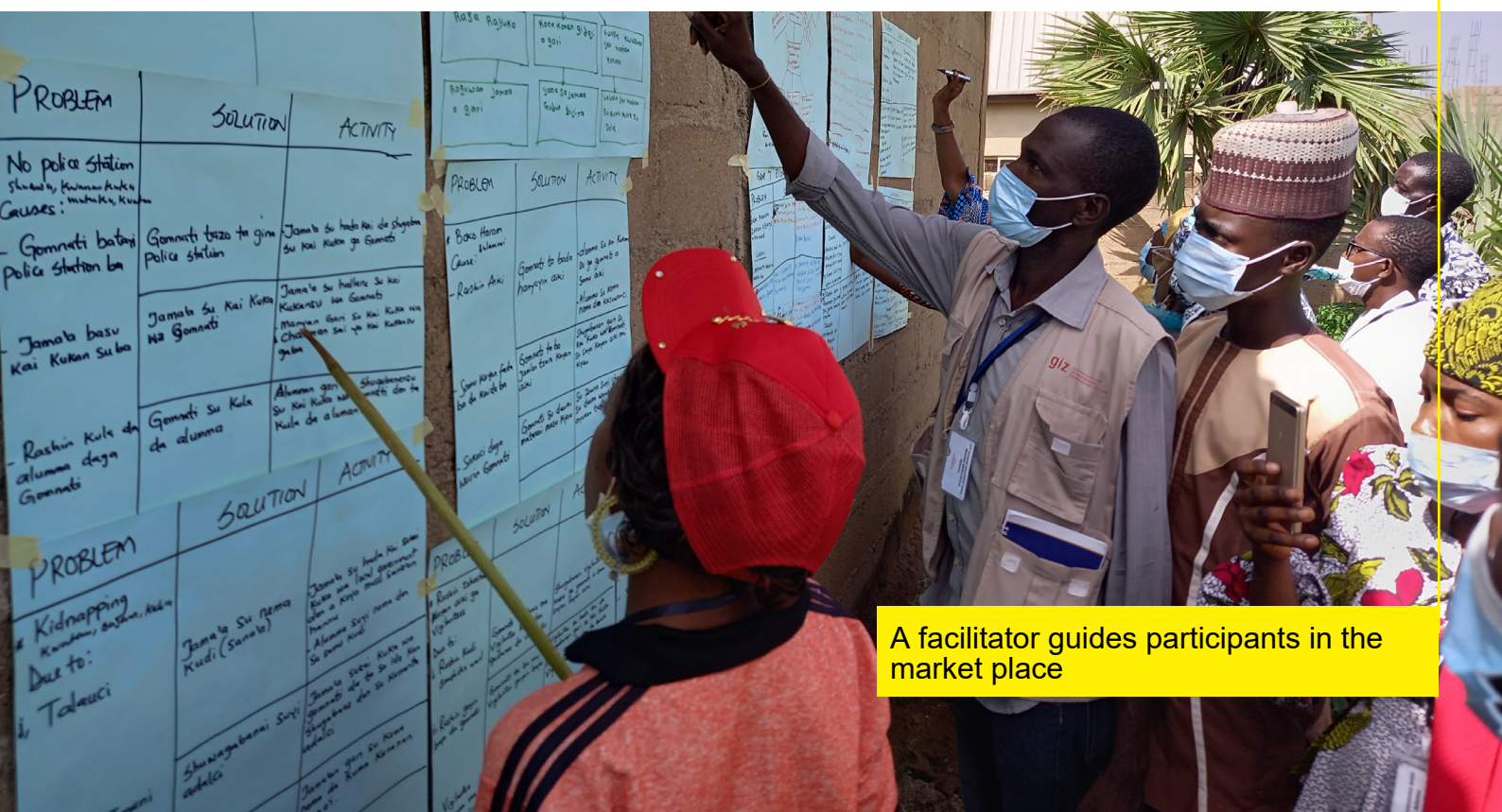
The CDP process provided us with the opportunity for our community members to come together to discuss and analyse our livelihoods, problems, causes and potential solutions to our identified problems. The session also provided us with the space to create

a joint ward development plan for a better future for our communities and people. During the CDP session, we collectively defined development as progress and improvement in the living condition of our people, having basic social amenities, good education with employment opportunities, and various economic activities.

We identified key natural resources and other valuable assets in our community, which includes trees, sharp sand, clay soil and timber while the man-made resources in our communities include our primary and secondary schools and our primary healthcare centres.

In the shortest possible future, we envision our people living in peace. We envision a Bangshika ward that has a university, standard inter-community road network, steady electricity and GSM network in all parts of our ward. Some of our core shared values include hard work, respect for elders, hospitality, and love for one another.

Our major development challenges identified during our CDP are lack of potable drinking water, lack of hospitals and schools in some communities, lack of laboratories, lack of sufficient and qualified teachers and health workers, lack of pipe-borne water in some communities, insecurity/not enough security



A facilitator guides participants in the market place



A female participant presenting a group voting result for female group ages 18-35

personnel and weapons due to the level of insecurity. These problems and challenges were clustered along with seven sectors.

We determined that these challenges have affected our development, livelihoods, and security negatively. Hence, we collectively voted for our top 3 priorities, which are Agriculture and Food Security, Water and Sanitation and Economy and Infrastructure. To follow up on our future community development, we selected 25 persons among ourselves as the Ward Project Supervisory Committee (WPSC).

THIS IS OUR WARD

GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

Bangshika ward is one of the 12 wards in Hong LGA of Adamawa State with about 20 communities and a projected population of 8,100. It is situated between coordinates 10° 13' 54" N and 12° 55' 49" E. Some communities of Borno State border Bangshika ward. The area is characterized by the typical rainy and dry seasons. The dry season is for a period of about 5 months (November to March), while the rainy season is from April to October each year. The annual rainfall ranges from 700 -1,050 mm. The temperature in the area remains high in most parts of the year being as hot as 39°C between March and June. It is cold only between December and January with temperatures ranging from 27°C and 32°C.

The topography is highly rugged and generally undulating, covered by scattered chains of rocky hills at an average elevation 520 meters above mean sea level. The elevation of the land surface generally increases northwards. Hong ward falls within the Sub-Sudan savannah belt of Adamawa State and the vegetation zone is referred to as cambretaceous woodland savannah. About 70% of the vegetation are grasses and shrubs with few scattered woody plants. However, the natural vegetation has been altered by human activities such as cutting trees for fuel, settlement expansion, farming activities, bush burning and rearing of animals

DEMOGRAPHICS: POPULATION

The population in our community within Bangshika ward, which is estimated above 8100, comprises of different categories of age. From the survey conducted, it was gathered that we have more female youth than male youth between the ages of 20-35 and 36-59 years, while we have an almost equal number of males and females in the age category of 60+. Also, we have children of school age and below, some are old and married, divorced, separated and single, and some of the women and children amongst us are head of households. We have people living with disabilities and we host IDPs too within Bangshika ward. However, the data shows that there are more men than women in the age categories across the ward. The existence of other tribes like Hausa, Hona, Igbo, Kilba, Lala, Michika, Margi, Kilba, Lala, Bolawa, Ga'anda, Gude, led to the usage of Hausa and Kilba

as common communication languages mostly used, while English for official and business purposes. The religion mostly practised is Christianity and Islam.

SUMMARY OF THE SOCIO-ECONOMIC SITUATION

In line with the data generated from the ward analysis in our ward, the main sources of income are farming/livestock, artisans, and business of various types. Our major source of livelihood is agricultural activities which include the cultivation of crops, poultry, animal rearing etc. The main crops cultivated include maize/corn, groundnut, beans, guinea corn, rice, Bambara nut and animals reared are goat, sheep, cattle and poultry.

Our main source of income is farming/livestock. The typical job for our men is farming, animal rearing and artisans. It was found that the men in Garaha ward engage themselves more in farming. While farming, groundnut oil extraction and Akara selling are the major jobs carried out by our women in the ward.

Mondays and Fridays are the main market days in the ward and also Tuesdays too. Based on the ward analysis conducted in the ward, majority of our population household earnings fall under the category of 0-5000 Naira and 5000-10,000 Naira. Due to the high rate of unemployment in the ward, a significant number of our people do not have a steady source of income and are not constantly engaging themselves in commercial activities.

OUR VALUES

As a community, we share the following values: truthfulness as a people, courage, generosity, respect for elders, we are highly hospitable to visitors, we are brave, and straightforward people.

OUR STRENGTH

As a community, we are endowed with a lot of human, social, economic and natural resources. The list and locations of such resources are shown in tables 1.

TABLE 1 SHOWING RESOURCES WITH THEIR RESPECTIVE LOCATIONS

S/N	RESOURCES CATEGORY	TYPES OF RESOURCES	LOCATIONS
1	NATURAL RESOURCES	Rivers	Kwatau, Kwanan Kukah, Kwambula, Wuro Bajam
		Trees for timber	Bangshika ward
		Sharp sand for building	Bangshika ward
		Rocks	Bangshika ward
		Clay soil for pottery	Kwatau
		Laterite sand	Kala'a, Tapchima
		Bushmeat	Kuvutava, Mutuku
		Economic tree	Bangshika ward
		Farmland	Bangshika ward
		Fish	Kala'a, kuvutava, Kwambula
2	ECONOMIC RESOURCES	Market	Kala'a, Kwatau, Bangshika, Makera, Kwambula
		Shops	Bangshika ward
		Motor Park	Kala'a, Makera
		Lemon	Wuro Bajam
		Mango plantation	Tapchima, Bangshika
		Grinding machine	Kala'a
		Mechanic workshop	Kala'a
		Welding shop	Kala'a
		Chemist shop	Kala'a, Banga, Tapchima, Kwambula
		Fashion designers' shop	Kala'a
		Blacksmith shop	Bangshika, Kwambula, Kala'a, Kwatau, Pathangda
		Potash	Tap, Bang, Kala'a, Pathangda
		Groundnut cake	Bangshika ward
		Groundnut	Bangshika ward
		Groundnut oil drilling machine	Kala'a
		Dadawa	Bangshika, Kala'a, Tapchima, Pathangda
		Muruchi	Fadama Reke, Bangshika
		Poultry/ fishing	Kala'a
		Fuelling station	Kala`a
		Telecommunication	Kala'a, Kwatau, Kwanan Kuka, Kwambula
		Motor Park	Kala'a
		Animal rearing	Bangshika ward
		Snail/ frog	Bangshika word

S/N	RESOURCES CATEGORY	TYPES OF RESOURCES	LOCATIONS
3	HUMAN RESOURCES	Electricity	Bangshika, Makera, Kwambula, Kala'a
		Viewing centre	Fadama Reke, Makera, Kala'a, Bangshika, Kwambula
		Mobile mast	Kala'a, Fadama Reke, Kwambula, Makera, Tapchima
		Schools	Bangshika ward
		Boreholes	Makera, Bangshika, Shuwa
		Good road	Bangshika, Kwambula, Dilmacira, Mutuku
		Clinics	Bangshika, Kwambula, Kala'a Makera, Fadama Reke
		Football field	Kala'a, Kwatau, Kwanan Kuka,
		Viewing centre	Kala'a, Kwatau, Kwambula
4	SOCIAL RESOURCES	Medical doctors	Bangshika, Kala'a, Kwambula
		Professors	Kala'a, Kwambula, - Bangshika
		Lecturers	Kala'a, Kwatau, Bangshika
		Engineers	Kala'a, Bangshika, Shuwa
		Veterinary doctors	Kwambula, Bangshika
		Teachers	Bangshika ward
		Farmers	Bangshika ward
		Tailors	Bangshika ward
		Drivers	Bangshika ward

Source: Daksiri CDP session, 2021

OUR CHALLENGES

Our rich resource endowments are hindered by some salient issues in all sectors and areas in our ward, some of these challenges are presented in the table below.

TABLE 2: SECTORIAL BASED CHALLENGES AND LOCATIONS IN GARAHA WARD

SECTORS	CHALLENGES AND LOCATIONS
AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insufficient farm inputs in Bangshika ward • Poor farm yield in Bangshika ward • Insufficient agricultural extension workers in Bangshika ward • Poor soil fertility in Bangshika ward • Lack of hybrid seedlings • No agricultural storage facilities in Bانشika ward
WATER AND SANITATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is serious erosion at Kubutava, Kwatau, Fadama Reke, Tapchima, Konan Kuka • No culvert at Bangshika, Kala'a and Tapchima • Insufficient potable drinking water at Bangshika ward • Lack of public place for dumping refuse in Bangshika ward • Open defecation everywhere in bانشika ward.
ECONOMY AND INFRASTRUCTURE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No viewing centre in Bangshika ward except Kala'a, Kumbala, Bangshika, Mbalwaha • Lack of good motorable roads in Pathangda, Kwatau, Wuro-bajam, Tapchima, Mutuku-Makera, Mblagyen, Kubutava • No motor park at Kala'a, Bangshika and Kwatau • High rate of unemployment across Bangshika ward • Unstable network supply at Bانشika ward • Insufficient grinding machine at Tapchima, Shuwa, Fadama Reke, Kala'a • No market at Tapchima, Shiwa, Fadama Reke, Mblagyen, Kotau, Patangda • Lack of skills acquisition centres in Bانشika. • Lack of electric power supply in Kubtava, Shiwa, Kumbala, Kwanan Kuka, Fadama rake, Tapchima, Kubutava, Mutuku, Mblawaha, Mblagyen.
HEALTH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Insufficient drugs in clinics at Bangshika ward • Lack of modern healthcare facilities like scanners in clinics at Bangshika ward • Insufficient health personnel at Bangshika ward • Rampant cases of typhoid and malaria at Bangshika ward. • Lack of clinic at Kwatau, Tapchima, Shuwa, Dulmava and Wuro Bajam.

SECTORS	CHALLENGES AND LOCATIONS
EDUCATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some parents do not put much effort into sending their children to school in Bangshika Insufficient teaching aids in schools at Bangshika ward. No libraries in schools in Bangshika ward Insufficient classrooms at Blagyang primary school, GDSS Kala'a and Shuwa primary school. Insufficient toilets in schools at Bangshika ward Insufficient teachers in schools in Bangshika ward Lack of primary schools at Tapchima and secondary schools in mutuku, kwanan waya and Shuwa. Insufficient furniture (desk and chairs) in schools in Bangshika ward All schools in Banshika have no fence.
SOCIAL PROTECTION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High rate of drug abuse in Bangshika ward Oppression of women during election at Bangshika ward Rape cases in Bangshika ward Early child and forceful marriage at Kala'a and Shuwa Unwanted pregnancy in Banshika ward Domestic violence in Banshika word.
SECURITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Farmers and herders clash at Bangshika ward High rate of theft and burglary at Bangshika ward Kidnapping cases at Bulamari, Dilmava, Fadama Reke, Kala'a and Wuro-Bajam Insufficient ammunition for vigilante in Bangshika ward Insufficient security personnel at Bangshika ward



A male participant votes during a group voting exercise for male group ages 45 and above

THIS IS OUR DEVELOPMENT: PROBLEMS AND CAUSES, SOLUTIONS AND ACTIVITIES

To have better knowledge and understanding of our development needs, we identified, discussed and prioritised the challenges in the ward that requires urgent action. The table below shows the ranking of the problem according to sectors that came out of our internal voting process which was conducted first in different gender and age groups (see table 2:1 below) and then the general ranking (see table 2:2 below).

The problems identified were clustered in seven (7) major thematic areas. These sectors include:

- Agriculture and Food security
- Water and Sanitation
- Economy and Infrastructure
- Health
- Education
- Security
- Social protection

Table 2:1 and 2:2 below show the prioritisation of our needs according to votes which were conducted first according to gender and age groups and then at the plenary respectively.

TABLE 2:1 SHOWING AGE GROUP RANKING OF OUR PRESSING SECTORIAL CHALLENGES					
Sector	Male 30 & below	Male 31 – 50 years	Male 51 and above	Female 0-30	Female 31 – 50
Health	02	03	01	06	00
Agriculture & Food security	01	00	03	02	08
Water & Sanitation	01	07	02	07	01
Education	01	04	02	03	03
Economy	06	03	01	03	03
Security	00	04	05	01	00
Social protection	01	00	01	01	00

Table 2:2 show the overall periodisation of our challenges across all sectors as a result of votes cast by all participants.

TABLE 2:2 SHOWS THE RESULT OF THE GENERAL RANKING		
Sector	Vote	Ranking
Agriculture and Food security	46	1th
Water/Sanitation	41	2nd
Economy	34	3rd
Health	26	4th
Education	18	5th
Security	12	6th
Social protection	0	7th
Total	177	

After the prioritisation of our problems, we came together to dissect the causes of our problems. Out of these causes, we were able to identify possible solutions and activities to be carried out to achieve them. Below are the problems, solutions and activity tables of our ward as determined by us, during our CDP session:

PROBLEM, SOLUTION AND ACTIVITY TABLE

AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY SECTOR



In the agricultural sector, we are challenged with problems such as lack of modern farming inputs, poor soil fertility and lack of agricultural extension workers. To solve this problem, we resolved to write to the Ministry of Agriculture to send some of their personnel to sensitise our people on modern agricultural methods, we have also resolved to solicit supports from our Member House of Representatives and Assembly to help us with funds. Below are the problems, solutions and activity table showing how we identified our problems, solutions and possible activities we need to do to achieve our aim.

PROBLEMS (AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
Insufficient farm inputs in Bangshika ward Due to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local Government Agricultural Department did not provide sufficient farm inputs in the ward 	Local Government Agricultural Department should provide sufficient farm inputs in the ward.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Farmers Association through the Ward Project Supervisory Committee should lobby the Local Government Chairperson through Director Agriculture for farm inputs in the ward. Community Farmers Association through WPSC should approach NGOs to help provide farm inputs to Bangshika ward
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diversion of farm inputs 	Ministry of Agriculture and Local Government Agricultural Department should stop the diversion of farm inputs in the ward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Director Local Government Agricultural Department should set up a committee to monitor farm inputs distribution processes to avoid diversion in the ward.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Farm inputs sent by the State Ministry of Agriculture does not reach the poor masses 	Ministry of Agriculture should ensure farm inputs reach the poor masses directly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Agriculture to ensure the farm inputs reach the poor masses directly

PROBLEMS (AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Poor farm yield in Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poor soil fertility in the ward 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fertilizers should be provided by the Local Government Department of Agriculture and State Ministry of Agriculture to improve soil fertility in the ward Farmers should use organic manure in farms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Farmers Association through WPSC should lobby the Director Local Government Department of Agriculture to supply fertilizers for farmers to improve soil fertility. Community Farmers Association should approach NGOs, RIFAN, NECAS and AADIL to assist them with fertilizers in the ward. Farmers Association/WPSC should contact agricultural extension workers to sensitise farmers on the use of organic manure
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stubborn grasses (wuta-wuta) are affecting our plants in the ward. 	<p>Herbicides should be provided by the Local Government Department of Agriculture and the State Ministry of Agriculture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Department of Agriculture should sensitise farmers on the best methods 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Farmers Association through the WPSC/LG Chairperson should lobby the Director Agriculture and the State Minister of Agriculture to supply herbicides to farmers in the ward. Community Farmers Association through WPSC should approach NGOs, RIFAN, NECAS and AADIL to assist them with herbicides in the ward. The WSPC should write to the Director of Agriculture in the LGA to send agricultural extension workers to sensitise farmers on the best method to control weed WPSC should sensitise farmers on the local method of controlling stubborn weeds (wuta-wuta).

PROBLEMS (AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Insufficient agricultural extension workers in Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Agriculture did not post sufficient agricultural extension workers to Bangshika ward 	<p>Ministry of Agriculture should post sufficient agricultural extension workers to Bangshika ward</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Farmers Association through the WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Agriculture through the Local Government Chairperson to post agricultural extension workers to the ward.
	<p>The Ministry of Agriculture/LG Agric Dept. should ensure extension workers report to their place of assignment.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC should write to the Commissioner for Agriculture to send supervisors to ensure extension workers report to their place of assignment. The WPSC should write to the Director of Agriculture/LG Agric Dept to send supervisors to monitor extension workers sent to the ward.

PROBLEMS (AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Poor soil fertility in Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of tractors/harrows to properly plough the land 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Agriculture/Adamawa Agricultural Mechanisation Authority should provide tractors/Harrows in Bangshika ward. The Member House of Assembly should assist the community in supplying a tractor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through influential members of the community should lobby the Ministry of Agriculture for tractors/harrows in the ward The WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Agriculture/Adamawa Agricultural Mechanisation Authority to provide tractors/harrows in the ward. The WSPC through some influential members in the community should lobby the Member House of Assembly to assist them to supply tractors/harrows The LGA Chairperson should lobby the Ministry of Agriculture/Adamawa Agricultural Mechanisation Authority, the Member House of Representative to assist in supplying tractors to the ward
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Planting of the same crop on the same farmland yearly 	<p>Department of Agriculture in the LGA should sensitise farmers on different farming methods that boost soil fertility</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC through the Councillor of the LGA should write to the Director of the Department of Agriculture to send some of their officers to sensitise farmers on the best farming methods to be adopted to boost soil fertility
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some herbicides and insecticides damage the soil 	<p>Department of Agriculture should sensitise the farmers on the best method to adopt to control weeds and pests.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should request for agricultural extension workers from the Department of Agriculture State/LG to educate farmers on the right chemicals to apply on their farms and the right time to apply them Extension workers should teach farmers the importance of crop rotation toward enhancing soil fertility and reducing the use of chemicals constantly

PROBLEMS (AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SECURITY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Lack of hybrid seedlings</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of funds to buy hybrid seedlings due to the high cost <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Agriculture did not send improved seedlings to us 	<p>The community should source funds to get an improved variety of seedlings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Agriculture should supply for improved variety of seedlings to the ward Philanthropists should assist the community in supplying improved variety of seedlings 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through WSPC should organise fundraising to assist farmers get an improved variety of seedlings WPSC should lobby the LGA Agriculture Department to send agricultural extension workers to sensitise farmers on how to select seeds for subsequent farming The WSPC should lobby some influential members of the community for funds to assist farmers in buying improved variety of seedlings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the Director Local Government Agriculture department should lobby the Ministry of Agriculture to supply improved variety of seedlings to the Ward WPSC should lobby philanthropists to assist the community in supplying improved variety of seedlings to the ward.
<p>No agricultural storage facilities in Banshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Agriculture did not construct agricultural storage facilities in Banshika ward <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community did not channel complain of agricultural storage facilities to the Ministry of Agriculture. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Agriculture should construct agricultural storage facility in the ward <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community should channel complaints on agricultural storage facility to the Ministry of Agriculture. Member House of Representative should assist the community in constructing a storage facility 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the LG Chairperson/Politicians/ some influential people in the community should lobby the Ministry of Agriculture to construct agricultural storage facilities in the ward. WPSC should lobby NGOs to construct storage facilities in the ward WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Agriculture and LG to send agricultural extension workers to train farmers on how to build local storage. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through WSPC should channel complaints of agricultural storage facilities to the Ministry of Agriculture to provide storage facilities in the ward. The WSPC through some influential people in the community should lobby the Member House of Assembly to assist them in constructing a food storage facility

WATER AND SANITATION SECTOR



In Bangshika ward, some of the major problems affecting our Water and Sanitation sector include open defecation and lack of potable drinking water among many. These problems can be solved if community members build toilets in their homes to reduce open defecation. In addition, the Ministry of Works should drill more boreholes in the affected communities to expand access to good sanitation to us.

The table below explains more about the problems faced by people of Bangshika, the solution and the activity;

PROBLEMS (WATER AND SANITATION)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>There is serious erosion at Kubutava, Kwatau, Fadama Reke, Tapchima, Konan Kuka</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Building along water routes No drainage for water to pass 	<p>People should stop building along water routes</p> <p>Ministry of Works should construct drainages in the affected communities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Councillor/WPSC should channel the problem to the Local Government Department of Works so that the sectional head can enlighten people on the dangers of building houses on waterways. WPSC should lobby the Director Ministry of Works through the Local Government Chairperson to construct drainages in the affected communities. WPSC should lobby directly to the Director Ministry of Works to construct drainages in the affected communities.
<p>No culvert at Bangshika, Kala'a and Tapchima</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> People do not know the value of a drainage Lack of money to construct a culvert 	<p>The State Government through the State Ministry of Works should sensitise people on the value of drainage</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community members should organise fundraising to generate money to construct a culvert The state agency responsible for Rural Infrastructural Development and the Director Works of the LGA should construct culverts in the affected communities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should invite the Ministry of Works to sensitise people of the community on the value of drainage in the community The WPSC from the community should write to NGOs like ECF, GIZ to sensitise the people on the relevance of a culvert in the community The community through the WPSC should lobby people of the community with different handwork like carpentry, masonry, iron bending to come out en masse to assist in constructing a culvert for the community. The WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Works and NGOs to construct culverts in the affected communities WPSC should organise community members to construct culverts through collective efforts.

PROBLEMS (WATER AND SANITATION)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Insufficient portable drinking water at Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Insufficient boreholes in the ward. 	<p>Ministry of Water Resources, Director of Works and Small Town Water Supply should drill more boreholes in the ward</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Water Resources, Small Town Water Supply, Rural Water Supply, and Director of Works to drill more boreholes in the affected communities The WPSC should lobby the Chairperson through the Councillor to drill more boreholes in the ward.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of money to drill more boreholes 	<p>WPSC should organise fundraising to drill more boreholes in the ward</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC should organise fundraising to drill more boreholes in the ward. The community through WPSC should solicit support from some influential people/NGOs in the community to assist them in drilling more boreholes in the ward.
<p>Lack of public place for dumping refuse in Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> There is no designated place for dumping refuse in the ward 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A refuse dumpsite should be designated for dumping refuse by the community leaders Community should donate land for refuse dump 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC should contact the district/village heads to designate a place for dumping refuse in the ward. WPSC/traditional leaders should sensitise community members on the need to give out lands for development purposes. WPSC should sensitise community leaders on the need to give out lands for development
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some people do not know the importance of public refuse dump 	<p>RWESA, ESA should sensitise the people of the community on the importance of public refuse dump</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC should invite RWESA, ESA to sensitise the community members on the importance of public refuse dump. The WPSC should invite NGOs like ECF to sensitise the community members on the importance of having a public refuse dump and making good use of it.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No waste bins in strategic places in the ward 	<p>RWESA, ESA should provide waste bins placed in strategic places in Bangshika ward</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should lobby RWESA, ESA and NGOs like ECF to provide waste bins in the ward.

PROBLEMS (WATER AND SANITATION)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
Open Defecation everywhere in banshika ward. Due to;		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of environmental hygiene in banshika ward. 	Environmental Sanitation Agency should fix a day for weekly environmental cleaning in the ward.	WPSC should lobby Environmental Sanitation Agency to fix a day for weekly environmental cleaning in the ward.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Insufficient public and residential toilets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Works should construct more public toilets in the ward Environmental Sanitation and Environmental Workers Agency should sensitise the community on the need for residential toilets Environmental health workers at the LGA level should set laws on building residential toilets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Works to construct more public toilets in the ward WPSC should lobby Environmental Sanitation Agency to sensitise community members on the need for residential toilets.

ECONOMY AND INFRASTRUCTURE



We are faced with some economic and infrastructural problems that are threatening our economic activities. They include lack of viewing centres, lack of good access roads, and lack of standard Motor Park amongst others. We proposed some solutions to these problems and the steps to achieving them. We agreed to organise a fundraising event, contact our Members, House of Assembly and other influential persons. Below is a table showing our problems, solutions and activity table

PROBLEMS (ECONOMY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>No viewing centre in Tapchima, Kwatau, Pathangda at Bangshika Ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of money to build a viewing centre in the affected communities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community should source funds to build a viewing centre in the affected communities The Member House of Assembly should assist the community in constructing a viewing centre 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through WPSC should organise fundraising to support the building of a viewing centre in the affected communities. The community through the WPSC should write to some influential members of the community to support them in the construction of a viewing centre. The WPSC through the Councillor should lobby the Members House of Assembly to assist them in constructing a viewing centre.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community members did not request a viewing centre. 	<p>The community should request a viewing centre</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC should write a letter to the Councillor to lobby the Local Government Chairperson for a viewing centre.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The local Government Chairperson did not build a viewing centre 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local Government Chairperson should build a viewing centre in the affected communities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC should lobby the Local Government Chairperson to build a viewing centre in the affected communities
<p>Insufficient grinding machine at Tapchima, Shuwa, Fadama Reke, Kala'a</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grinding machine is very expensive 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community should raise funds to buy grinding machines in the ward. NGOs should assist the community in supplying grinding machines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC should organise fundraising to buy grinding machines WPSC should meet influential people in the ward to assist them in buying grinding machines WPSC should write to NGOs to assist them in buying grinding machines

PROBLEMS (ECONOMY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Lack of good motorable road in Pathangda, Kwatau, Wuro-bajam, Tapchima, Mutuku-Makera, Mblagyen and Kubutava</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good motorable roads were not constructed by the Ministry of Works. • The community did not channel complaints to the Ministry of Works 	<p>Ministry of Works should construct good motorable roads in the affected communities.</p> <p>The community should channel complaints to the Ministry of Works for good motorable roads in the affected communities.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The community through the WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Works through the Local Government Chairperson to construct good motorable roads in the affected communities. • The WPSC through some influential people in the community should lobby the Ministry of Works to construct good motorable roads in the affected communities. • The WPSC through some influential people in the community should channel complaints to the Ministry of Works for good motorable roads in the affected communities. • The WPSC through the LGA Chairperson should inform the Director of Works in the LGA to construct good roads in the affected communities.
<p>No motor park at Kala'a, Bangshika and Kwatau</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Ministry of Transport did not build a motor park in the affected communities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ministry of Transport should build a motor park in the affected communities • Philanthropists should assist in constructing a motor park 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The community through the WPSC should lobby the Commissioner for Transport to build a motor park in the affected communities • The community through the WPSC and some influential people in the community should lobby the Commissioner for Transport to build motor parks in the affected communities. • The WPSC should meet well to do sons and daughters of the community to assist them in raising some money • WPSC should meet with the traditional leaders to donate land where a motor park can be built, then fundraising should be done to raise money for the community • WPSC should write to NGOs to support the building of a motor park in the affected communities

PROBLEMS (ECONOMY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>High rate of unemployment across Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inadequate job opportunities in the ward 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Civil Service Commission should provide job opportunities for people in the ward. LGA Chairperson, politicians, philanthropists and NGOs, should create job opportunities in the ward. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC through the LG Chairperson/politicians/ philanthropists should lobby Civil Service Commission to provide adequate job opportunities in the ward. WPSC should lobby LGA Chairperson, politicians, philanthropists, and NGOs to create job opportunities in the ward.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some community members do not possess academic qualification 	Community members should go to school to obtain school certificates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Every parent should ensure that his/her child is enrolled in school. Those without qualifications should prioritise education and get a certificate.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of skills acquisition centre 	Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development and Skills Acquisition Agency should build a skills acquisition centre in the ward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the LGA Chairperson and other influential members of the community should lobby the Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development to build a skills acquisition centre in the ward
<p>Unstable network supply at Banshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Network providers did not install enough network mast in Banshika ward. 	Network providers should install enough network service mast for a strong telecommunication network in the ward.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC through LG Chairperson/ influential members of the community should lobby network providers to mount more mobile mast in the ward.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community members did not request for more network mast. 	The community should request for more network mast in the ward.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC should write a letter of request through the Councillor to network providers for a mast in the ward. The WSPC through the LGA Chairperson should write to network providers requesting more mobile mast.

PROBLEMS (ECONOMY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>No market at Tapchima, Shuwa, Fadama Reke, Mblagyen, Katau, Patangda</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Commerce and Industry did not build markets in the affected communities Community members did not request a market 	<p>Ministry of Commerce and Industry should build markets in the affected communities</p> <p>The community should request the construction of markets in the affected communities.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should lobby the Commissioner for the Ministry of Commerce and Industry through the LGA Chairperson to build markets in the affected communities. The WPSC should lobby the Commissioner for Commerce and Industry to build markets in their ward The community through the WPSC/LGA Chairperson should write to the Ministry of Commerce and Industry to construct markets in the affected communities. The WPSC through some influential members of the community should write to the Ministry of Commerce and Industry to construct markets
<p>Lack of skills acquisition centre in Banshika.</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development did not establish a skills acquisition centre in the ward Limited availability of land for building a skills acquisition centre 	<p>Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development should establish a skills acquisition centre in the ward</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> District/village heads should donate land for building a skills acquisition centre in the ward. Community members should donate land to build a skills acquisition centre in the ward. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC and the LGA Chairperson should lobby the Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development to establish a skills acquisition centre in the ward WPSC through some influential people in the community should lobby the Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development to establish a skills acquisition centre The WPSC should contact district and village heads to donate land for building a skills acquisition centre in the ward. The WPSC should write to influential members of the community to assist them with land to build a skills acquisition centre

PROBLEMS (ECONOMY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Lack of electric power supply in Kubtava, Shau, Kumbala and Kwanan Kuka Mblagyen, Tapchipma, Kubutava, Mutuku, Mbalwaha</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government did not supply electric power to our villages 	<p>Government through the Ministry of Rural Infrastructure and Community Development should connect the community to the national grid</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC should lobby PHCN through the Local Government Chairperson for the supply of electricity in our villages. WPSC and elders of the community should form a committee to meet the well-to-do sons and daughters of the land to help install electric poles for power supply in the affected communities.

HEALTH SECTOR



In the Health sector, we are faced with some challenges that are threatening our healthcare systems. Problems like insufficient drugs in clinics, lack of modern health facilities, insufficient health workers among others. We have identified some solutions to the problems like engaging the Ward and Village Development Committees to lobby the PHCDA to provide sufficient drugs, and health workers. Below is a more detailed table showing our problems, solutions and activities we identified to solve such identified problems

PROBLEMS AND MAJOR CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Insufficient drugs in clinics at Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The facility manager (in charge) did not request more drugs 	<p>The facility manager in charge should request more drugs for our clinics from PHCDA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Facility manager (in charge), WDC, VDC should request more drugs from PHCDA through the Health Executive Secretary LG WDC/VDC from the community should write to NGOs to assist them with more drugs in their clinics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PHCDA do not send enough drugs to the ward. 	<p>PHCDA should send enough drugs to the clinics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WDC/facility manager (in charge) should write to the Head of PHCDA to supply enough drugs to clinics in the ward. WDC/VDC should directly lobby PHCDA and influential people of the community to provide more drugs for the clinic
<p>Lack of modern healthcare facilities like scanners in clinics at Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The facility manager (in charge) did not channel complaints to PHCDA to provide scanners in our clinics 	<p>The facility manager (in charge) should channel complaints to PHCDA to provide scanners in our clinics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WDC/VDC should contact the Facility manager in charge to channel complaints to PHCDA to provide modern clinic equipment like scanners in the ward. WDC/VDC should write to NGOs to assist them with modern laboratories equipment in their clinics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The machines are expensive 	<p>NGO, PHCDA and the Ministry of Health should provide machines in the laboratories</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The facility manager (in charge) of clinics through WDC/VDC should lobby PHCDA for the supply of health equipment in clinics

PROBLEMS AND MAJOR CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Insufficient health personnel at Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some community members did not study health-related courses in school Facility manager in charge of the clinics did not officially complain to the Ministry of Health 	<p>WDC should sensitise the youths on the need to study health-related courses in school</p> <p>The facility manager (in charge) should officially complain to the Ministry of Health</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WDC/VDC should organise a sensitisation program for the community members on the need to study health-related courses in school WD/VDC/facility manager should channel complaints through the Head of clinic to the Head of PHCDA to deploy more health personnel in clinics
<p>Rampant cases of typhoid and malaria at Bangshika ward.</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Insufficient clean water in the community 	<p>WASH committee should provide clean water for the community</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC should lobby the WASH committee to provide clean water for the community
<p>Lack of clinic at Kwatau, Tapchima, Shuwa, Dulmava and Wuro Bajam.</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community leaders have not complained officially PHCDA did not build clinics 	<p>WDC/ VDC should complain officially to PHCDA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government through the PHCDA should construct clinics Community should build clinics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC, WDC and VDC through influential members of the community should write to the Head of PHCDA to lobby for the building of a clinic in the affected areas mentioned. WPSC through the WDC and VDC to officially complain about the need for clinics in the affected communities. The WPSC through some influential members of the community should lobby the Head of PHCDA to construct clinics where there are no clinics in the ward The WDC and VDC through the LGA Chairperson should lobby the Head of PHCDA to assist them in constructing clinics

EDUCATION



The following are identified problems affecting education in our ward: Parents do not put much effort into sending their children to school, insufficient teaching aids in some schools, lack of libraries in primary and secondary schools among others. We have decided to organise sensitisation for parents who display a nonchalant attitude towards education and our WSPC will lobby the education resource centre for teaching aids. Below is a table showing the problems, solutions and activities in the education sector

PROBLEMS (EDUCATION)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Some parents do not put much effort into sending their children to school in Bangshika</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some parents do not know the importance of education 	<p>SBMC/PTA/religious leaders should sensitise such parents on the importance of education</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should organise a meeting where SBMC, PTA and religious leaders will educate parents on the importance of education and sending their children to school The WPSC should invite NGOs like GIZ, PLAN, CRS, IRC, and others to come to sensitise parents on the importance of education
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of money for school fees and other materials 	<p>PPSMB/ADSUBEB should offer free education to all schools in Bangshika.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Education through Directors ADSUBEB/PPSMB to forward to the Governor for free education
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There is no strict rule for compulsory education 	<p>Laws on compulsory education should be made by the Adamawa State House of Assembly.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the LGA Chairperson should lobby the Commissioner for Education to lobby the Adamawa State House of Assembly to enact laws on compulsory education The WPSC should directly meet the Commissioner to lobby the Adamawa State House of Assembly to enact laws on compulsory education

PROBLEMS (EDUCATION)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Insufficient teaching aids in schools at Bangshika ward.</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Schools principals/headteachers/SBMC did not channel complaints to the Ministry of Education/ADSUBEB 	<p>Affected school principals/headteachers/SBMC should officially channel complaints and request teaching aid from the Ministry of Education/ADSUBEB in the affected schools.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PTA should lobby affected school principals/headteachers/SBMC to channel complaints and request teaching aids from the Ministry of Education/ADSUBEB in the affected schools SBMC should table their request for teaching aids to the Ministry of Education and ADSUBEB.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poor maintenance of teaching aids in schools in Bangshika ward. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teachers should take proper care of teaching aids in their custody 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Principals/Headteachers should caution teachers on the proper use and maintenance of teaching aids Principals/headteachers should set up a monitoring committee to monitor the use of teaching aids and take stock at intervals Storekeepers should be vigilant and careful in supplying teaching aids to teachers and keep proper records. Principals/headteachers should sensitise teachers on how to use teaching aids to avoid poor maintenance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Headteachers/ principals did not request teaching aid from the Ministry of Education 	<p>Headteachers/principals should request teaching aid from the Ministry of Education</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should inform SBMC of the need for teaching aids in our schools. SBMC should complain to PPSMB and SUBEB about the increase in population Divisional Inspector of Education, headteachers/principals should request teaching aid from the Ministry of Education

PROBLEMS (EDUCATION)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>No libraries in schools in Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Insufficient money to build a library 	<p>PTA and SBMC should raise more funds to build a library</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC should solicit funds from NGOs to enable them to build a library in schools PTA and SBMC should contribute money for building libraries in Bangshika schools The WPSC should lobby the Adamawa State Library Board to provide libraries in schools
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Library was not in the architectural plan of the schools during construction. 	<p>The architectural plan of the schools should be amended to include a library</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Principals should complain to the Divisional Inspector of Education to always include libraries in the architectural design of schools Divisional Inspector of Education should push the request forward to PPSMB and SUBEB so that libraries can be included in the architectural design of schools
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some schools did not complain about the lack of library in their schools. 	<p>PTA and SBMC should request a library from the Divisional Inspector of Education and the Adamawa State Library Board.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PTA and SBMC should complain to the Divisional Inspector of Education and the Adamawa State Library Education Board to build a library in our schools

PROBLEMS (EDUCATION)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Insufficient classrooms at Blagyang primary school, GDSS Kala'a and Shuwa primary School.</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poor maintenance of the existing classrooms. Some of the classes are in bad condition School management did not complain about insufficient classrooms 	<p>The principal/headmistress or master should ensure proper management of the existing classrooms.</p> <p>Dilapidated classes should be repaired by SBMC/ ADSUBEB/PTA</p> <p>SBMC should complain to ADSUBEB about the limited number of classes in our schools</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Caretakers should be appointed by the school authority for proper maintenance of classes. PTA and school-based management committee should monitor the maintenance of school classrooms in the ward The community through the WPSC should lobby SBMC to renovate the dilapidated classrooms. SBMC should sit with PTA on how dilapidated classes can be fixed. The community through WPSC should lobby PPSMB and SUBEB for more classrooms WPSC should lobby ASUBEB/PPSMB to add more classes in our schools to create a conducive learning environment for our children. The principal through PTA and SBMC should lay a complaint to PPSMB
<p>Insufficient toilets in schools at Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of funds to build more toilets Toilets are not included in the plan for the school building Some principals and heads of schools do not bother about toilet 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PTA/SBMC should raise funds to build more toilets in schools in Bangshika ward. Ministry of Education should include toilets in the plan for the school building. Principals should be mindful of toilets in schools. PTA and SBMC should ensure functional toilets in schools 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PTA/SBMC should organise fundraising to build more toilets in schools in the ward WPSC should lobby the Councillor/LG Chairperson/ politicians/philanthropists to build more toilets in schools SBMC/PTA should lobby the Ministry of Education to include toilets in the plan for the school building WPSC should write to NGOs like IRC to build more toilets in schools in the ward. The community through the WPSC should sit with supervisors of schools to sensitise each other on the importance of toilets in schools The community through the WPSC should meet the Education Secretary of the LGA to report school heads that do not take the issues of toilets in schools serious.

PROBLEMS (EDUCATION)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Insufficient teachers in schools in Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limited number of employment of teachers by PPSMB and ASUBEB 	PPSMB and SUBEB should employ more teachers in our schools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC should lobby the PPSMB/SUBEB to employ more teachers in schools to cover the shortage of teachers. Unemployed sons and daughters of the community who have acquired teaching knowledge should volunteer to teach in our schools.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Late payment of teachers' salary 	PPSMB should ensure that teachers' salaries are paid on time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should lobby the Chairperson of SUBEB/PPSMB and Education Secretary to ensure teachers are paid on time.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delay in promotion of teachers 	Teachers should be promoted in due time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should lobby PPSMB and SUBEB to ensure teachers are promoted on time ES and supervisors should always submit teachers' names due for promotion on time.
<p>Lack of primary school at Tapchima and secondary school in Mutuku, and Shuwa.</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> There is no provision from the Ministry of Education 	Primary schools should be built in our villages by ADSUBEB	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC and some influential members of the community should lobby ADSUBEB to build a primary school in the community.

PROBLEMS (EDUCATION)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Insufficient furniture (desks and chairs) in classes in the schools in Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limited supply by the Ministry of Education PTA, SBMC/ADSUBEB. 	<p>More desk and chairs should be provided by PTA and SBMC/ADSUBEB/Ministry of Education</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC should talk to PTA to contribute chairs and desks to our school to tackle shortage of these equipment in our schools The WPSC should lobby SBMC/, ADSUBEB/Ministry of Education and Local Government Chairperson for more desks and chairs in schools either directly or through the Ward Councillor
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some of the desks and chairs are not in good condition 	<p>Chairs that are not in good condition should be repaired by PTA/SBMC</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC/principal/headteacher should lobby SBMC and PTA to repair damaged chairs and desks WPSC should lobby the Councillor and Chairperson to repair spoilt chairs and desks Community through the WPSC members who are carpenters should come out en masse and repair broken desks and chairs
<p>All schools in Banshika has no fence.</p> <p>Due to.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ADSUBEB/Ministry of Education did not build a fence in our schools 	<p>Ministry of Education/ADSUBEB should build a fence in all the schools in our ward.</p>	<p>The WPSC should lobby the Ministry of Education and ASUBEB to build a fence in our school</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fence is not included in the school plan/design 	<p>Ministry of Education and ADSUBEB should include fence in every school building plan</p>	<p>Principal/headteacher/SBMC/PTA should channel to ASUBEB, PPSMB SBMC and PTA to lobby the Ministry of Education for inclusion of fence in any school building plan in the ward</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community did not channel their complaints to the education board. 	<p>The community should channel their need for fences to SBMC / ASUBEB/Ministry of Education</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community through the WPSC should channel their need of school fence to Ministry of Education / ASUBEB through the ward Councillor.

SECURITY



Many security challenges have affected our peaceful coexistence. Some of these problems include but limited to problems like farmers-herders clash, high rate of burglary and theft, insufficient ammunition for the vigilante among others. We have resolved to write to our Chairperson through the WPSC to supply the vigilante with ammunition, we have also resolved to lobby the DPO to deploy more security personnel to tighten security in the ward. Below is a comprehensive table showing our problems, solutions and activities that will lead to solving the problem

PROBLEMS (SECURITY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
Farmers-herders clash at Bangshika ward Due to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Blocking of cattle routes 	The Chairperson of the LGA, district/village heads should meet and re-open the existing cattle route	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Chairperson of the LGA, district/village Heads should meet and create a cattle route The Chairperson of the LGA, district/village heads with the leaders of herdsmen should meet and discuss how to re-open existing cattle route to prevent future clas
	The LGA chairperson and the Ministry of Urban Planning should create a grazing reserve	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The LGA Chairperson through some influential people in the community should lobby the Ministry of Urban Planning for a grazing reserve
High rate of theft and burglary at Bangshika ward Due to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drug abuse and drunkenness 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NDLEA should sensitise community members on the consequences of drug abuse. The Executive Secretary of Health should be invited to sensitise the youths on the harmful effects of drugs on their health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should invite the personnel of NDLEA to come to sensitise community members on the consequences of drug abuse The Executive Secretary of Health should be invited to sensitise the youths on the harmful effects of drugs on their health The community should set laws to punish offenders
	Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development should build a skills acquisition centre for the ward to empower the youths with different skills that can make them independent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> WPSC Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development should build a skills acquisition centre for the ward to empower the youths with different skills that can make them independent.

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<p>Kidnapping cases at Bulamari, Dilmava, Fadama Reke, Kala'a and Wuro-Bajam</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of security personnel 	<p>The Divisional Police Officer should deploy more security personnel in the areas mentioned</p>	<p>The Councillor through the LGA Chairperson should lobby the DPO for more security personnel in the mentioned area</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Idleness among youths of productive age 	<p>Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development should build a skills acquisition centre for the ward to empower the youths with different skills that can make them independent</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WSPC through the district head should lobby the DPO for more security personnel in the mentioned areas The WPSC through influential people in the community should lobby the Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development to build a skills acquisition centre for the ward to empower the youths with different skills that can make them independent
<p>Insufficient ammunition for vigilante in Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of money 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The community through the WPSC should organise fundraising to raise money to purchase sufficient ammunition for local vigilantes The Chairperson of the LGA should supply more ammunition for the vigilantes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the Councillor should organise a freewill donation to raise money for the local vigilante to buy more ammunition The WSPC should write to some influential members from the community to assist them in supplying more ammunition for vigilante to tighten security in the community The WPSC through the Councillor should lobby the LGA Chairperson for more ammunition for vigilantes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leaders of vigilantes did not complain to the Councillor 	<p>The leader of the vigilantes should officially write to the Councillor for more ammunition</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The leader of the vigilantes through the WPSC should officially write to the Councillor to notify on the need for more ammunition

PROBLEMS (SECURITY)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Insufficient security personnel at Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limited number of security personnel deployed 	<p>The LGA chairperson should lobby the DPO for more security personnel in the ward</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The LGA Chairperson should lobby the DPO for more security personnel in the ward The LGA Chairperson through some influential people in the community should lobby the DPO for more security personnel in the ward
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poor remuneration 	<p>The LGA Chairperson should lobby for the increase in vigilante remuneration</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Chairperson through some influential people in the community should lobby the ministry responsible for the vigilante to increase the remuneration of vigilantes.

SOCIAL PROTECTION SECTOR



Problems like drug abuse, oppression of women during elections, unwanted pregnancy, and domestic violence are making us feel unprotected socially. We have identified some solutions that will help us manage some of the problems. We will invite the Ministry of Women and Social Development to come and sensitise our women and community members on some issues. We will also invite the Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development to assist us in building a skills acquisition centre to empower our community members with some skills for self-reliance. Below is a table showing our problems, solutions and activities that need to be carried out.

PROBLEMS (SOCIAL PROTECTION SECTOR)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Drug abuse in Bangshika Ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Joblessness among youths⁴ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The LGA Chairperson should employ some of the jobless youths in his capacity Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development should build a skills acquisition centre for the ward and train community members 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the Councillor should lobby the LGA Chairperson for employment opportunities in the LGA. The WPSC through some influential people in the community should lobby the LGA Chairperson for employment opportunities for their unemployed youths. The WPSC should write to the Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development to build a skills acquisition centre for the ward so unemployed youths can learn new skills which will keep them busy and distract them from drug abuse.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parents did not train their children properly for them to resist drug abuse 	<p>Parents should take their time in giving their children proper upbringing to discourage their children from taking hard drugs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parents should be mindful of their children and teach them the consequences of drug abuse.

PROBLEMS (SOCIAL PROTECTION SECTOR)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Oppression of women during election at Bangshika ward</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Religious beliefs 	<p>Independent National Electoral Commission (INEC) should sensitise the community members on the rights of women to vote</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the LGA Chairperson should invite INEC to send a female staff to sensitise community members on the rights of women to vote and to be voted for in elections and also the penalty of denying them. Religious leaders should also preach against the oppression of women.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No laws protecting women's rights in the community 	<p>Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development should come and affirm the rights of women in the community through sensitisation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the LGA Chairperson should invite the Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development to affirm the rights of women in the community through sensitisation.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use of thugs during elections 	<p>The Divisional Police Officer should deploy enough armed police personnel during elections in the ward to discourage thugs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The District Head through the LGA Chairperson should lobby the DPO for armed policemen during elections to discourage thugs so women will not be oppressed The WSPC through some influential people in the community should lobby the DPO to provide enough armed policemen during elections to ensure adequate security and protection for women
<p>Rape cases in Bajam and Kala`a at Bangshika ard</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Uncontrolled sex urge Drug usage among youths 	<p>Religious leaders should preach the need for sexual discipline to unmarried youths in the community</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should visit religious leaders in the community to inform them about the issue of rape so they can include sexual chastity in their sermons. District Head should invite all the religious leaders in the community and inform them on how they help in preaching about sexual discipline in their sermon
	<p>National Drug Law Enforcement Agency and some Non-Governmental Organisations should sensitise the youths on the effects of drug abuse</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the district head should invite the officers of NDLEA and some NGOs to sensitise the youths on the harmful effects of drug abuse on their overall and mental health

PROBLEMS (SOCIAL PROTECTION SECTOR)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
<p>Early child and forceful marriage at Kala'a and Shuwa</p> <p>Due to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Illiteracy about social protection issues among community members <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poverty among community members posits them to give away their children early in marriages. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harmful cultural and traditional practices 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ministry of Women Affairs should create awareness and educate community members on social protection and the dangers of early or forceful child marriage in the affected communities. • Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development should come and affirm the rights of women in the community through sensitisation <p>Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development should build a skills acquisition centre for the ward to improve livelihood opportunities thereby reducing poverty that warrants children being forced to early marriage.</p> <p>Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development to sensitise parents in the community on the consequences and effects of harmful cultural and traditional practices such as early marriage to the development of women and girls.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The WPSC through the Chairperson of the LGA should invite the Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development to sensitise parents in the community on the consequences of early marriage in girls • The WPSC through some influential people in the community should invite Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development to sensitise parents in the community on the consequences of early marriage in girls <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WPSC through some influential people in the community should lobby the Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development to build a skills acquisition centre for the ward to promote livelihood activities. • The WPSC through the LGA Chairperson should lobby the Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development to build a skills acquisition centre for the ward <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The WPSC through the Chairperson of the LGA should invite the Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development to sensitise parents in the community on the consequences of early marriage among girls • The WPSC through some influential people in the community should invite the Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development to sensitise parents in the community on the consequences of early marriage among girls

PROBLEMS (SOCIAL PROTECTION SECTOR)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
Unwanted pregnancy in Bangshika ward		
Due: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rape 	Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development to sensitise community members on the consequences of rape on the overall and mental health of the girl child	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the Chairperson of the LGA should invite the Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development to sensitise community members on the effect of rape on the overall and mental health of the girl child The WPSC through some influential people in the community should invite the Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development to sensitise community members on the effect of rape on the health and mind of the girl child
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poverty 	Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development should build a skills acquisition centre for the ward to empower the girl child	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through with assistance from influential members of the community should lobby the Ministry of Entrepreneurship Development to build a skills acquisition centre for the ward to empower the girl child The WPSC through some influential people in the community should write to the Ministry of Women and Social Development to empower the girl child in the ward for self-reliance
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Timidity of the girl child 	Non-Governmental Organisations that work on protection and gender-based violence issues should sensitise the girl child about their human rights and protection.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through the District Head should invite a Non-Governmental Organisation that deals with gender-based violence to sensitise the girls on their human rights and protection. WPSC should lobby NGOs to organise sex education in the community and train parents on how to conduct sex education for their children from an early age

PROBLEMS (SOCIAL PROTECTION SECTOR)	SOLUTIONS	ACTIVITIES
Domestic violence in Bangshika ward. Due to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bitterness in the heart of a family member. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Religious leaders in the community should preach the need for love in the family Perpetrators of violence against women should be prosecuted by the Ministry of Justice and the Ministry of Women Affairs. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC should visit the religious leaders in the community so that they can preach on the issue of love in the family. Ministry of Women Affairs and NGOs to prosecute offenders to the full extent of the law to serve as an example to others.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Illiteracy and ignorance of community members about applicable laws against violence against women. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Non-Governmental Organisations in the areas of gender-based violence should sensitise couples on the need for peace and harmony in the family NGOs, Ministry of Women Affairs should sensitise community members on the consequences of violence against women. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The WPSC through some influential people in the community should invite gender-focused Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) to sensitise community members on the negative effect and consequences of violence against women
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of contentment among family members 	Religious leaders should preach the need for contentment in the family.	Religious leaders should preach the need for contentment in the family.



Participants during energizer exercise in plenary

THIS IS HOW WE MONITOR

At the end of the CDP sessions in Bangshika ward, a Ward Project Supervisory Committee (WPSC) was established. The WPSC comprises 25 representatives (14 females and 11 males) from about 20 communities within the ward. Also, for proper coordination of the committee members, we appointed Chairpersons, Secretary and other ranks as shown in the table below.

The functions of the Ward Project Supervisory Committee (WPSC) is as follows:

- The committee will provide support to their wards and be available to their communities whenever necessary.
- The committee will meet with government agencies and development partners to discuss further modalities on the development within the ward.
- To report back to their respective community on the progress or otherwise or project activities and update the community on the issues discussed at the various meetings held with development partners

BANGSHIKA WARD PROJECT SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE

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A female participant responding to question during the session

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APPENDIX

