



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Sorau A Ward,
Maiha Local Government

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OUR VISION

We hope to see a Sorau A where young people are trained and emerge as Doctors, Engineers, Lawyers, Professional teachers. As the ward is close to the border, we envision a developed ward full of industries, adequate health care, well tarred roads, efficient communication and adequate security with full employment for our youth. We hope to see Sorau A competing side by side with cities like Yola or even Abuja in terms of modern social amenities with credible and honest God fearing leaders presiding over the affairs of the ward.



MESSAGE FROM THE COUNCILLOR



Hon. Dauda A. Abubakar
(Councillor Sorau A
Aug. 2016 - Aug. 2018)

It is with great honor that I present the first ever Sorau A Ward Development Plan. This plan shows that the people of Sorau A came together in order to discuss their development.

The insurgency affected our economic activities and living conditions have deteriorated. It is now time to take the development of our community back into

our hands and allow future generations to live in peace and harmony.

The people of Sorau A have always been hardworking and respectful people, it is the aim of this process to lead them towards development by giving everyone the possibility to participate in the discussion on a better future.

MESSAGE FROM THE DISTRICT HEAD



Alh. Umaru A. Muazu Sorau
(District Head Sorau since 1990)

Unity and understanding are the underlying principles for progress and development. The Community Development Process has helped the people of Sorau A Ward to come together and realize the essence of working together towards a better future. It is my deep belief, that through a better understanding of each other's problems and needs, the acceptance of a joint responsibility and the realization of a united wish for change we have started a process towards this better future.

In my position as District Head for the last 28 years, I have seen the people of Sorau as hard working, law abiding and honourable people. By destroying our peace and harmony, the Boko Haram insurgency has disintegrated our unity. Let's unite again – because our unity will lead to the development of our people! I am grateful for being part of the CDP process which has helped us to bring the community back together in order to achieve development through unity and understanding.



ABOUT THIS WARD DEVELOPMENT PLAN

Maiha LGA is one of the 7 Local Government Areas of Adamawa State that suffered the Boko/Haram menace in 2014. Apart from destruction of physical infrastructures such as schools, water points, health centers etc. in the local government, people were killed and displaced just as 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 Maiha LGA have put the reconstruction and long-term development based on the 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 background 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 analyze 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 center of all the efforts.

While stakeholder sensitization, ward analysis and community mobilization played a crucial



PRESENTATION OF GROUP WORK

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 was facilitated by the Governance Component of GIZ's Resilience Programme and their Civil Society Organisation (CSO) partners: Clear View Integrity Foundation (CVIF) and Grace & Hope Youth Foundation (GHYF), together with other members of the CDP team such as state/local government officials as well as traditional leaders who supported and guided the process.

The tangible results of the Sorau A CDP process and especially the CDP session is this Ward Development Plan. The Plan and its content was validated by the representatives of Sorau A Ward.



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Community Development Planning (CDP) session took place in Sorau A Ward from 26th – 29th June, 2018. Participants were drawn from four village units of Kowagol, Nzanyi, Wuro-Mallum and Wuro-Boka; they include the Political, Traditional and Religious leaders as well as crops/livestock farmers, artisans, business men and women and vulnerable groups. It was a four day session which focused on bringing participants from across all strata under one roof to identify, discuss and analyse problems of the ward and proffer solutions.

The objective was to give voice to the common man as partners in development and to facilitate a joint vision and a development plan for the members of the ward as stakeholders. We see development as getting what you do not have and increase in scale on what you already have. This includes desirable changes in knowledge, skills and improvement on the living standards of citizens in a community. We in Sorau A respect our elders and our leaders and we welcome visitors with open arms as part of our hospitality. In Sorau A Ward, it is the responsibility of the children (son, daughter) to care for aged parents and helping each other generally are part of our core shared values. We however hope to improve on gender equity, unity, peaceful coexistence and non-discrimination across religious divide as additional values we so much desire as well as encouraging our children to acquire education.

Sorau A Ward has Potash, Vast arable farm land, rocks for gravel, plaster sand, Cattle market, Secondary Schools, Primary Health Centres and various economic trees like Madrik, mahogany, Sheabutter, Tamarin Date palm etc. as natural, economic and social resources of the ward.

We are however limited by lack of access roads to many villages which deprived some of these villages from having amenities like boreholes, schools, electricity etc. Our young



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men and women have apathy for education and is a challenge to the development of the ward. We are plagued by incessant Cholera outbreaks and basic health care facilities are very much in short supply.

In the identification, clustering and voting of pressing needs within the ward, Education ranked first followed by Water and Sanitation. High illiteracy rate and the desire to change that trend accounted for the priority given to education with 109 votes, while prevalence of water borne diseases like Cholera, Typhoid etc. was an influencing factor for according water and sanitation second place with 95 votes after education.



PLENARY DISCUSSION

SORAU A AT A GLANCE

- Sorau A is one of the ten wards of Maiha with four Village units of Wuro-Mallum, Kowagol, Nzanyi and Wuro-Boka each headed by a village Head to form the traditional council of the ward.
- The ward has such economic and social resources like vast arable farm land, various species of economic trees, potash, sand, rocks, Primary Health Care Centres (PHCs).
- Some of the development challenges faced by the communities include apathy of the youths to education; the ward is reputed to be among the wards with the least educated people in Maiha Local Government Area.
- Sorau A has high prevalence of outbreak of cholera and fatalities are known to occur.
- They community members are friendly, hospitable and they have respect for their elders and leaders as their core shared values.

THIS IS OUR WARD*

Sorau A is one of the ten Council wards of Maiha Local Government Area, located on the northern side of the Local Government headquarters Maiha town. As a district, it is called Sorau District comprising a District Head and 4 Village Heads forming the traditional Council. The main occupation of within ward is farming and raising Livestock while there are transporters, civil servants such as health workers Teachers as well as petty traders. Although the ward headquarter has certain advantage of social amenities and physical infrastructures such as schools, hospitals, a tarred road network within the township, the ward is still far behind in matters of development.

GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

Names of main villages: Wuro-ladde, Wuro-gende, Buda, Wuro-boka, Wuro-mallum, Bakkau.

Distance from the LGA Headquarters (Maiha Town): 25km

Estimated walking time: 4hours

Estimated driving time: 40mins

Estimated kekenapep time: 1hour

Political Structure

Name of Councilor: Alh. Dauda A. Buba Tel. Contact: 08026051510 He has been in office since: 2015; He was elected under APC political party.

Traditional Structure

Name of District(s): Sorau

Name of District Head: Alh. Umaru Muazu; Tel. Contact: 07085211658;

There are four Ardos (Village Heads) in Sorau A with about thirty Jauros.(Ward Heads)

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

Population (Excluding IDPs)	Children 0 – 14 yrs		Youth 15 - 24 yrs		Youth 25 - 35 yrs		Adults 36 - 59 yrs		Adults 60+ yrs		TOTAL
	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	
	3,648	3,627	2,715	3,095	2,829	3,065	2,465	3,172	1,624	1,276	

Households	Number of Households		
	HoHH: F	HoHH: M	TOTAL
	1574	8250	9824

Number of Child Headed HH	F	M	TOTAL
	276	323	599

Population with disability	F	M	TOTAL
	289	240	529

* The following information was collected through the ward analysis which is an integral part of the CDP process. The information gathered in this exercise helped to better understand the ward but does not make any claim to be accurate or complete.

SUMMARY OF THE ECONOMIC SITUATION

Economic activities practiced in the ward include:

- crop production; e.g. produce maize, beans, bambaranut, potatoes, soya beans, rice, g/nut, g/corn.
- Animal rearing: cows, sheep, goat, birds, turkey, duck, pig. Fishing is not practiced in the ward because we have insufficient water in the community.

Economic activities or employment commonly practiced by men within the ward is carpentering, mechanic, driving, welding, mat knitting, cap knitting, traditional cloth sawing, engineering etc. While those commonly practiced by women are tailoring, frying, firewood selling, liquid soap making, and thread knitting.

HOUSEHOLD INCOMES

The most vulnerable household income per day is about ₦200, per month ₦5,000 and annual ₦50,000 the estimated number of households that fall within this category in the ward are ca. 3,240.

The moderately well off households per day could earn ₦ 500, per month ₦20,000 and annual ₦180,000.

The well to do households in Sorau A could earn ₦1,000 per day, ₦30,000 per month and ₦250,000 per year.

OUR VALUES

These are fundamental our beliefs, concepts and principles that guide the decision and our way of life:

- Respect for elders in the community
- Respect for our political, traditional and religious leaders
- Hospitality and being friendly to visitors

- Helping each other
- Respect the right of children and communal responsibility to bring up children
- Law abiding
- Our youths marry very early in their lives
- Companionship and care for each other
- Hard work
- We however wish to improve on the following values which although they form part of the tenets we hold dear, they fortified thus represent our desired values.
- Unity across the ward,
- Love for one another
- Non-discrimination across religious or tribal divide;
- Peaceful co-existence
- Forgiveness
- Care for widows, orphans and the elderly
- Equity across gender including the disabled
- Humility
- Doing away with greed
- Stop substance abuse especially by youth
- Encouraging girl child education

OUR STRENGTH

The objective is for the members of the Sorau A Ward to understand what we have, appreciate those treasures and see the opportunities of the community. Below is the summary of the resources available in Sorau A Ward and where they can be found:

Natural Resources	Location
Arable farm land	All over Sorau A
Potash	Magara, Kolwa & Jauro-Jali
Rocks for gravel	Mbamba, , all over
Kerosene	Wuro-Boka mountains
Plaster sand	Laro ,Dakari, WuroBoka
Sand for moulding blocks	All over Sorau A
Economic Trees e.g. Madrik, Delep palm, Mahogany, Sheabutter etc	All over Sorau A

Economic Resources	Location
Earth Dam	Bakkawo, Kulaje & Baguma
Cattle market	Wuro–Ladde Njilang,
Motor park	Njilang
Local Markets	Wuro-ladde, Njilang, wuro-gende, Domayo, Hubbare, Kowagol
Local Shops	All over Sorau A Ward

Social Resources	Location
Secondary Schools	Wuro-Ladde
Primary School	Wuro-Ladde, Wuro Mallum, Wuro Bokka, Njodomun, Kwaluwa, Domayo, Njodomun, Kwaluwa, Domayo, Kowagol, Jjilang
Primary Health Centres /Maternity	Wuro-Ladde - functional Kowagol - functional Wuromallum -non functional Wurobokka -non functional Wurogyande - non functional Wurolawal - non functional Kwaluwa - non functional
Viewing Centres	Wuro-Ladde, Njilang

OUR WEAKNESSES

Our weakness range from:

- Insufficient funds to execute development projects
- Greed and corruption by those in power
- Absence of defined constitutional roles for the traditional and the religious rulers
- Sentiments of tribalism and religious fanaticism
- Inadequate farm inputs and implements;
- Chronic unemployment of youths
- Insecurity within the wards
- Disunity amongst community members
- Ignorance and high rate of illiteracy in the ward
- Lack of transparency in leadership
- Farmer/herdsmen conflict to poverty



OUR VIEW ON DEVELOPMENT

We see development in Sorau A ward as the availability of social, economic and physical amenities like well tarred access roads across the whole ward, standard schools filled of qualified teachers adequate source of power, adequate security and employment for the youths, improved health care delivery, an orphanage for the care of orphan and a home for elderly and the disabled.

Education to us is the bedrock of any positive development. Sorau A Ward has a high level of illiteracy with most of the youths in the ward being apathetic to education which we hope to change in the near future. Also important to us is the water and sanitation

sector, the major concern we have is the prevalence of water borne diseases such as typhoid and cholera. At the time of the CDP session in Sorau A there was an outbreak of Cholera with fatalities recorded and this was the second outbreak in 2018 alone. This is attributed to poor sanitary conditions around sources of drinking water where many communities within Sorau A drink from we share the same source of drinking water with our cattle and other animals as well due to inadequate number of Boreholes, wells and other water sources.



WOMEN'S GROUP DISCUSSION

OUR PRIORITIES: PROBLEMS, SOLUTIONS AND ACTIVITIES

To better understand our development needs, we collected, discussed and prioritised the problems in the ward that need our urgent attention. The tables below show the prioritization of problem sectors that came out of our voting process which was conducted first in different gender and age groups and then in the plenary of the CDP Session.

The problems identified, we were clustered in 8 thematic sectors and voted for them. These sectors are (i) Water and Sanitation, (ii) Economy; (iii) Agriculture and Food Security; (iv) Education; (v) Security (vi) Public safety (vii) Health and Social Protection (viii) Physical Infrastructure.

A) VOTING IN GROUPS

	Female 15-30 yrs	Female 30-44 yrs	Female 45 yrs >	Male 15-30 yrs	Male 31-40 yrs	Male 41-50 yrs
Education	9	7	12	23	18	9
Economy	2	4	0	0	0	0
Health	1	12	0	3	10	4
Agriculture/Food Security	2	11	0	4	1	13
Water and Sanitation	2	7	7	23	33	13
Physical Infrastructure	0	6	2	10	12	6
Social Protection	0	7	0	0	0	0
Security	1	0	0	0	1	0

Sector	Votes	Rank
Education	109	1st
Water and Sanitation	95	2nd
Health	26	3rd
Agriculture/Food security	20	3rd
Physical Infrastructure	15	5th
Economy	05	6th
Social Protection	04	7th
Security	02	8th

Following the prioritization of our most pressing problems and needs, we sat together and analysed the causes of these problems. And we didn't stop here: out of the causes, we were able to identify possible solutions to these problems and proposed activities, how to tackle the difficulties. Our recommendations address us as private community members, but also our leaders and political institutions.

In the tables below, you find a summary of our discussion.

* Every participant got 3 stones and was free to distribute these stones on the identified problems within their respective sector in order to emphasize the person prioritization.

EDUCATION SECTOR



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
High illiteracy rate Major causes identified <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poor School attendance • Inadequate Schools • Lack adult literacy classes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve School attendance • Establish secondary schools in wuro mallum, wuro bokka, njodomun, kwaluwa, domayo, kowagol, jilang • Repair and expand the following primary schools: wuro ladde, wuro mallum, wuro bokka, njodomun, kwaluwa, domayo, kowagol, jilang • Organize adult literacy classes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community members to improve on school enrolment for their children • Community Lobby government to establish more schools in the ward • Indigenes who are educationists should volunteer and organise the literacy classes for the ward
Lack of Nursery Schools <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nursery Schools not established 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish Nursery Schools in all the primary schools in Sorau A ward 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PTA /Community should come together and establish a nursery school in the ward
Insufficient number of qualified teachers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non -recruitment of qualified teachers • Poor teachers condition of service 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recruit more qualified teachers in all fields of study • Improve teacher's salary/condition of service 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Government should recruit more qualified teachers in all fields of study and post to Sorau A Ward • Government should improve teachers' condition of service as a way of motivation for better output



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Inadequate Classrooms <ul style="list-style-type: none">Class rooms not enoughHigh population of studentsDamaged /dilapidated class rooms	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Construct more class rooms at wuro mallum, wuro bokka, njodomun, kwaluwa, domayo, kowagol, jilangRenovated damaged class rooms at wuro ladde, wuro mallum, wuro bokka, njodomun, kwaluwa, domayo, kowagol, jilang	<ul style="list-style-type: none">PTA/Community members in Sorau A should unite raise funds and renovate where possible construct more classroomPTA/Community should lobby Government to construct more classrooms for the various schools in Sorau A Ward
Delayed salary payment for teachers <ul style="list-style-type: none">Shortage of fundsCorruptionAbsence of political will power	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Provide more funds for payment of salariesStop corruption at all levelElect credible political leaders with articulated vision for educational development	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Government should provide funds for prompt payment of teachers' salariesGovernment should fight corruption at all levels and in all places to sanitize the public services and Community members should elect honest credible leaders
Lack of Libraries /Books <ul style="list-style-type: none">Libraries not establishedBooks not supplied	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Establish libraries and provide books	<ul style="list-style-type: none">PTA /Community to lobby Government to establish a library and supply Books
Inadequate classroom furniture <ul style="list-style-type: none">Damage of existing furnitureFurniture supplied not enoughHigh population of students per class	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Effect repair/maintenance of classroom furnitureSupply enough class room furnitureConstruct more class rooms to depopulate students	<ul style="list-style-type: none">PTA/Community of Sorau A to raise funds to repair furniturePTA Should lobby government to supply enough furnitureGovernment in collaboration with PTA can construct additional classrooms for schools in Sorau A ward

WATER AND SANITATION



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Insufficient number of boreholes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Few number of Boreholes drilled Damaged Boreholes not repaired 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drill Boreholes in kesure, cross river jilang, wuro lawal, wuro manewa, bugda, jalingombamba, darkin, magara, anguwan jatau,sahiro, sabon gari, laro,wuro abba, wuro mallum B, bakkawo, nassarawo, chiralle Repair damaged boreholes in: Wuro ladde: 7; Wuro bokka: 4; Njodumum : 2; Kwaluwa:1; Domayo: 1 Kwagol: 1; Kwachayel: 1; Kilang: 1 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community should lobby Government, NGOs, to drill more Boreholes in Sorau A ward Community members to raise funds and repair boreholes
Insufficient number of earth dams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plots for construction of dams not available Not a policy priority for the government 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make available land for construction of earth dams 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community of Sorau A ward to provide a plot of land for the construction of additional earth dams State Government should make construction of earth dams a priority
Prevalence of water borne diseases like typhoid, cholera etc <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poor sanitary conditions around sources of drinking water Drinking unclean water from streams, Ponds etc Failing to boil water before use 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use water from a clean source Always sanitize environment around sources of drinking water Avoid using unclean water Boil water before using 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community members to observe simple hygienic practices Community members should embark on periodical sanitation exercise Community members should try to use clean water Community members should make a practice of boiling water obtain from unclean sources before usage

HEALTH SECTOR



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
<p>Insufficient number of qualified medical personnel /Workers</p> <p>Major causes identified:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There are few available qualified medical personnel • Poor access roads to 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recruit /Employ more medical personnel • Conduct periodical training for medical worker /Personnel for capacity building • Construct access roads to communities across the whole of Sorau A ward 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Stakeholders should draw government attention to post more qualified medical personnel to Sorau A Ward • Lobby and encourage government to conduct periodic training for health workers –Community Stakeholders (CS) • Government at State and Local levels
<p>High cost of Drugs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drugs not supplied to PHCs • Corruption /Bureaucracy by Health workers • Lack of storage facilities for certain category of drugs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure regular supply of drugs to PHCs • Stop corruption/Bureaucracy • Provide storage facilities to all categories of drugs eg Deep Freezers etc 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Stakeholders can encourage Government by lobbying for regular supply of drugs • Government should enforce strict laws against corruption and minimise bureaucracy • Community Stakeholders can lobby Government to provide certain special storage facilities to PHCs while community can provide source of regular power eg generators
<p>Child /Maternal mortality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poor/lack of ante-natal practice • Delayed search for medical attention • Using untrained traditional birth attendants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pregnant women should always go for ante-natal • Seek medical attention on time • Avoid using untrained traditional birth attendants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Stakeholders should embark on sensitization on the need to seek prompt medical attention by expectant mothers, encourage ante –natal and post –natal practices as well as discourage using untrained traditional birth attendants in the ward.



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Insufficient Health Centres <ul style="list-style-type: none">Few Health Centres constructed in the wardDistant location of a standard Hospital	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Construct more Health Centres in the ward	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Community stakeholders to lobby government for the construction of more health centres in Sorau A wardCommunity should effect constant road maintenance for ease of access
Inadequate Hospital Equipment <ul style="list-style-type: none">Hospital equipment not suppliedPoor/Lack of maintenance of	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Supply more hospital equipment to PHCsEffect repairs /Maintenance of exiting hospital equipment in the PHCs	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Community Stakeholders should lobby government for supply of more Hospital EquipmentCommunity Stakeholders should monitor the use and care for the existing hospital equipment and encourage reporting in case of damage for prompt repairs
Lack of access to health facilities by the disables <ul style="list-style-type: none">Distance to health facilitiesPoverty	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Provide support to the physically challenged to enable them get access to health facilitiesProvide employment to the physically challenged	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Community members in Sorau A should support disables to get access to health facilitiesGovernment should provide employment to disables to better their condition of living

AGRICULTURE



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Inadequate farm inputs such as fertiliser / agrochemicals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Irregular/short supply of the inputs Hoarding by middle men Diversion of inputs by government officials High cost of inputs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure regular supply of agro-inputs Enforce strict laws against hoarding Stop diversion of agro-inputs Subsidise agro-input 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government should ensure regular supply of agro- inputs Government should enforce laws against hoarding Government should stop officials from diversion of inputs Government should subsidise farm inputs and make it available to farmers at all times.
Inadequate grazing reserves for cattle grazing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grazing reserves not demarcated Encroachment by farmers on grazing reserves 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demarcate grazing reserves in the ward Farmers should stop encroaching on grazing reserves 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government should ensure clear demarcation of grazing reserves Farmers in the community should avoid encroaching on grazing reserves
Lack of agricultural extension workers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> High farmers to extension workers ratio Non recruitment of extension workers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recruit sufficient number of extension agents 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government should recruit sufficient number of extension workers to enable farmers have adequate advisory services



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Inadequate farm machineries <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Farm machineries are very costly• Farm machineries hard to maintain• Scarce spare parts of farm machineries• Low supply of farm machineries by government	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Subsidise price of farm machineries• Use qualified operators of farm machineries• Buy original spare parts from reputable dealers• Supply more farm machineries	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Government should subsidise prices of farm machineries• Farmers should use qualified operators of farm machineries to minimise damages• Use original spare parts as owners of farm machineries• Government should supply more number of farm machineries across the whole Sorau A ward

PHYSICAL INFRASTRUCTURE SECTOR



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Poor access roads <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access roads not constructed Roads not maintained Insufficient number of culverts/bridges Roads damaged by erosion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Construct access roads from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> wuro ladde to jilang dakin kwagol to mayo nguli wuro ladde to sorau A kwagol to holma wuro ladde to wuro bokka wuro ladde to jibio wuro ladde to sagal wuro ladde to kirosa Embark on periodical communal labour to effect maintenance of roads Construct culverts between mutum biyu and kiraluwa Construct bridges between: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> jilang and cross river wuro ladde and gandu kirosa mayo bunga and kwagol jilang and dakin kwagol and mayo Daniel wuro ladde and wuro alhaji wuro ladde and njodumun njodumun and sagal Construct drainages/water outlets to minimise incidents of erosion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government should construct more access roads across the ward Community should embark on periodical road maintenance Government and wealthy community members Community members can embark on periodical road maintenance by creating water outlet and local drainage to avoid maximum effect of erosion at peak of rainy season
Poor communication <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lack of network providers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attract network providers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Stakeholders should request the network providers through the government to provide network in the community for improved communication



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Lack of Electricity <ul style="list-style-type: none">Communities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Connect communities to source of power/ Electricity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Sorau A stakeholders should lobby government through their political representatives for electrification of the ward

ECONOMY SECTOR



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Unemployment /Poverty <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Poor economic situation Lack of relevant skills Laziness 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improved economic situation Acquire skills for better job placements Stop laziness and be active 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government should improve the economy and provide employments Community members should learn trades, have a profession by acquiring skills in different fields to avoid idleness and lack of what to do Members (especially youth) should stop being lazy by wasting away on idle past time and be proactive
Lack of Industries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Absence of high commercial activities Community not developed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase commercial activities to attract industries Develop the community to attract industries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community members should increase production and business activities to increase volume of trade, commerce and development of Sorau A Ward
Lack of a viable profession/Trade skill <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Skills /trade not acquired 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acquire skill s /Learn trade skills or professions like carpentry, tailoring etc 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Individual community members especially youth should make efforts to acquire skills, learn trade and engage in viable ventures as additional source of employment
Lack of modern market <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Low volume of commerce Market not constructed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase volume of commerce Construct a standard modern market 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> More members of the Community to embark on commerce by trading in goods and services in commercial quantities Community can construct a modern market with assistance from government

SOCIAL PROTECTION SECTOR



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Substance abuse (Drug abuse) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Idleness, bad associations • Unemployment • Indiscriminate sales of drugs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Avoid bad company • Provide employment • Regulate sales of illicit drugs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community members should discourage youth from associating with bad friend through advise and advocacy • Government should provide employment to youth and regulate sales of illicit drugs in Sorau A
Incidents of Rape <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hawking by young girls • Indecent dressing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discourage young girls from hawking • Stop dressing indecently 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community members should unite and sensitize young girls against indecent dressing and advice parents to enrol children in schools instead of sending to hawk on the street
Lack of Law Courts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Court of Law in Sorau A 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish a law court in the ward 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community stakeholders should lobby government to establish a law court in the ward

SECURITY SECTOR



PROBLEMS & CAUSES	SOLUTIONS	ACTION POINT
Rampant theft and robberies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unemployment Poverty Limited number of security personnel 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide employment Improve the economy ,acquire skills and find viable trade/work to do and avoid been idle Increase number of security personnel e.g. Police etc. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Government should provide employment to Youth especially Government should improve on the economy and members should acquire skills Government should recruit more number of security personnel
Incidents of kidnappings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Insufficient number of security personnel Poor working equipment of the security 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community should request for more number of security personnel Recruit more number of security personnel 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community /Stakeholders of Sorau A ward should form a committee to lobby for establishment a police station Government should recruit more number of security personnel so that there will be sufficient security personnel in Sorau A
Lack of Police Station <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Police out post not requested 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Request police outpost/Station 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stakeholders of Sorau A Ward to lobby government for the establishment of a police station in the ward
Insufficient number of security personnel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community did not request for more security personnel Number of security personnel 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community should request for more number of security personnel Recruit more number of security personnel 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community /Stakeholders of Sorau A ward should form a committee to lobby for establishment a police station Government should recruit more number of security personnel so that there will be sufficient security personnel in Sorau A



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Inadequate Security gadgets and equipment <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Security gadgets and equipment not supplied• Security gadgets and equipment damaged• Corruption in misappropriating money meant for the purchase of gadgets	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Supply more security equipment and gadget• Effect repair/maintenance of gadgets/equipment• Stop corruption by public officers	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Government should supply more security gadgets/equipment and repair the damaged ones for the security to have enough equipment for optimum performance• Government should wage a relentless war against corruption at all levels of public service in order to stop corruption for sustainable development
Farmers /Herdsmen Conflict <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Encroachment on farm lands• Farming on cattle routes• Inadequate cattle routes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Avoid encroachment on farm• Avoid farming on cattle route• Establish more cattle routes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Farmers in the respective communities and herdsmen should be conscious of passing the limit• Farmers should avoid raising crops on cattle routes• Government should establish more cattle routes



FOLLOW-UP COMMITTEES

THIS IS HOW WE FOLLOW UP

At the end of the first ever CDP session in Sorau A, a Follow-up Committee comprising representatives from the four village units within the ward namely Kowagol, Wuro -Mallum, Nzanyi and Wuro-Boka was established also appointed by us was a committee Chairperson and Secretary. Functions of the Follow up Committee include:

- The committee will meet with development partners & government agencies to discuss further modalities on the development within the ward.
- To report back to their respective community's/villages on the progress or otherwise or project activities and also updating the community on the issues discussed at the various meetings held with development partners.
- They will be a feed-back mechanism to development partners by bringing the views/perception of their respective villages on the matters arising

BELOW ARE NAMES OF THE FOLLOW UP COMMITTEE MEMBERS IN SORAU A WARD

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