

From 21/08/2019  
To 20/10/2020

# COMMUNICATIONS & VISIBILITY

## Mozambique Recovery Facility

EU contribution to the UNDP  
Multi-partner Basket Fund



To follow the “Annex VI - Communication and Visibility Plan” under the agreement “Mozambique Recovery Facility (MRF) - EU contribution to the UNDP Multi-partner Basket Fund”, a general MRF Communication and Visibility Plan (CVP) has been drafted and is currently under UNDP internal approvals before it is submitted and agreed among donor partners. The specific plan will be rolled out by the UNDP MRF Communication officer under the leadership of the UNDP MRF Coordinator, also considering dissemination and communication actions during the lifetime of the project of 5 years.

Meanwhile “Communication Activities” stated under “Annex VI - Communication and Visibility Plan” are being followed for proper communications and visibility of the Mozambique Recovery Facility with EU identified as source of financing.

- 1. COVERAGE OF PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION**
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# 1. COVERAGE OF PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION

The Programme supports the most affected people for long-term change. Thus, communications coverage in field settings is made following pre, during and post interventions. Resilient constructions are designed and built according to 'building back better' standards and to national construction guidelines and codes. To recover livelihoods, sustainable income generation activities start with cash-for-work activities as immediate employment to facilitate community engagement and the identification and rehabilitation of prioritized community productive facilities. Actions are then followed by provision of short skills trainings, establishment of small business, provision of start-up kits based on the households' preferred areas of activity and which may include assets for agricultural production and livestock, fishing and sale and purchase, production and services sector and others. At the same time, savings and loan groups will be included to improve households' ability to invest their earnings in other activities that generate complementary and diversified income.

## Photos

**1, 2:** January 2020, Chibabava District. Handover of mobile charging systems powered by solar energy in Gerome and Macarate communities.

**3:** March 2020, Dondo District. Beneficiary providing hairdressing service through charging system in Mutua resettlement site. Before, the community needed to walk 3 to 5 km to have cellphones recharged or to access such type of services.

**4:** start-up kits are provided with information and branding of MRF program.



**Photos**

**5, 6, 7:** September 2020, in Pemba District. Handover of start-up kits for tailoring and cooking businesses to female headed households and associations of people with disabilities in Natite community.

**8:** August 2020, in Beira District. Monitoring visit to a beneficiary's small market which started through start-up kit and counseling provided by MRF.

**9, 10:** September 2020, Búzi District. Handover of start-up kits for self-employment in tailoring business, fishery, electrician, locksmithing, masonry, in Guara-Guara and Búzi- Sede.

**11:** March, in Dondo District. Beneficiary feeding his fishfarming initiated through MRF.



**Photos**

**12:** September 2020, in Nhamatanda District. 3,500 families living in Dondo and Nhamatanda benefit from vaccine home service for their poultry farming. Equipments provided by MRF.

**13:** February, in Dondo District. A group of 23 women initiated a business of smart stove production through skills trainings and start-up kits.

**14:** August 2020. Beneficiaries built their own Waste Treatment Center in Nanjua and Mandruzi communities. They learned producing biocharcoal and fertilizers to make a living.

**15:** July 2020, beneficiary questionnaire in Pemba District to ensure selection criteria.

**16, 17:** Activities followed COVID-19 prevention measures.

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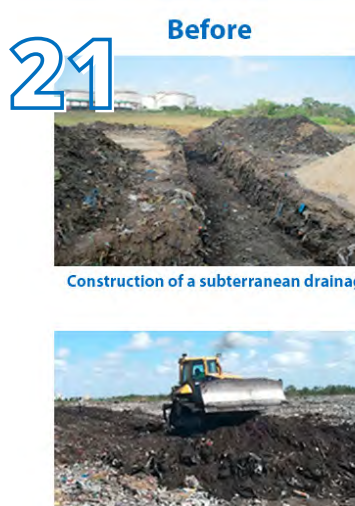
**Photos**

**18, 19:** September - August 2020, in Pemba District. Mahate population transformed unsafe dumpsites into protective and profitable spaces. They started producing organic fertilizers and selling solid waste.

**20:** October 2020, in Dondo District. Resilient construction of Savane Resettlement Neighborhood Market, inaugurated by Sofala Governor and the EU Ambassador on 13 October.

**21:** July - December 2020, in Beira District. Beira Dumpsite restarted collecting waste effectively in regular hours after new access platforms and drainage system built by MRF.

**22, 23:** November 2019 - February 2020, Dondo District. Masons displaced by cyclones learned about resilient construction techniques and started building houses in their resettlement sites.



**Photos**

**24, 25:** September, in Metuge District. Water holes were built in communities where water access is limited, counting on cash-for-work activities.

**26:** September 2020, in Dondo. Rehabilitation work to Dondo Library to benefit 15,000 people.

**27:** September 2020, in Metuge District. Ecological stove for school feeding preparation built during cash-for-work activities, in Nacopo community.

**28:** October 2019, in Beira City. Training on safe collection and deposition of disaster debris containing asbestos to civil servants and technicians by UNDP.

**29:** November 2019, in Dondo District. Community forum on cash-for-work activities.

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**Photos**

**30, 31:** October 2020, Chibabava District. Before the new school construction, students of Heua Primary School had classes in an improvised tent.

**32, 33:** October 2020, Chibabava District. Before the new school construction, students of Chicuacha Primary School had classes under the trees.

**34, 35:** October 2020, Dondo District. Before the new school construction, students of Mutua resettlement neighborhood had classes in temporary structure of wood frame and tarps.

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## 2. BENEFICIARY STORIES

To illustrate the results and success of activities funded by EU people-centred stories and testimonies are collected and published on social media and UNDP website, particularly those featuring gender-responsive impact. The interviews also served as source of information and analysis about how the activities are transforming people's lives and are building capacity.



Estrela Ayuba, 24 years old, lost her home and livelihood to Cyclone Idai in March 2019. After resettling in Mutua Resettlement Site with her family, she was determined to make a living to support her children. She started producing energy-saving smart stoves through UNDP Recovery Facility activities. ***"I want to continue living here because now I feel safe and more empowered. We are preparing to produce bricks as well, and we will sell them at an affordable price so that people can build better houses in the community."*** Her project group of 23 women were assisted by UNDP with several days of skills training and as part of their start-up kits were supported with: a storage building to store the stoves, construction of an oven to burn the clay stove designs, iron and plastic moulds and several tools. In six months, they have sold 3,000 pieces and have consistently increased their income, which totalled MZN 15,000 to each participant. Part of the earnings are saved for business expansion and reconstruction and the other part is shared among group members for their family needs.

Story also told at:

[UN Mozambique](#); [RTP News](#); Exame magazine, April 2020, p. 59







Hélder Felizardo Moisés, 26 years old, was included in the group of artisans, carpenters and masons affected by the cyclones to whom UNDP provided trainings on community and resilient construction. ***"I could not find a job after Cyclone Idai. With UNDP I now have the chance to recover my earnings and to build stronger houses with my mates. I feel like any one of them."*** Through 30 percent theoretical and 70 percent practical classes, he gained the extra confidence and skills needed to work more seriously in this area. He earns a decent amount of money now and has rehabilitated the preventive centre for Gender-Based Violence in Dondo district and constructed 40 houses in Chibabava district.

Story also told at [UN Mozambique](#).



Eugenio Saute used to be the breadwinner of the family before Cyclone Idai. Despite his difficulties to walk, he is now getting back to business to sustain his family. He attended the capacity-training of UNDP and has started providing mobile devices charging services in the Mutua resettlement area. The solar panel with a storage system was also provided by UNDP. Before the project was initiated, the community had to travel 3 to 5 kms to nearby villages in order to have their mobiles running. With his first earnings, his wife (right) has also started a small market service.



Story also told at **Exame magazine, April 2020, p. 58.**



Eugenia Oraibo (up left) moved from Beira to Savane resettlement neighborhood after losing her house in Cyclone Idai. She was one of the beneficiaries who received kits to start agriculture farms based on preferred areas of work reported during assessments and community forums. ***"This is where I will live, make a living, to produce, sell, eat [...] I have planted many vegetables, now I can sell in the market and count on the savings group we have established"***. Additionally, she celebrates the inauguration of the Savane Resettlement Neighborhood Market to benefit over 1,000 people, built and inaugurated by UNDP and EU.

Story also told at [UN Mozambique](#); [UNDP at EU - Brussels](#).



Zuria Tarifu, 24 years old, single mother of two, highlights her adaption to a new life. ***"I started my small farm for the first time with the help of UNDP. Now to be able to eat and feed my kids I can sell some groceries and don't depend on money as much as when I was in the city [...] I moved here after the Cyclone Idai. My little son is also named 'Idai' for us to remember what we overcame"***.

***"We are making the market to serve all of us. Market was far away from here. Now we will be able to resume even better what we were selling on the beach, before the Cyclone [...] I already feel confident in learning and I have already built my house. The rain is falling and nothing bad happens"***, tells Gino Francisco Alban, resident of the resettlement, bricklayer of the Market construction and trained in resilient construction by UNDP Recovery Facility.



Muanassa Ali fled the armed attacks in Mocimboa da Praia, CaboDelgado, along with 10 other family members. Today, living in Mahate neighborhood, Pemba District, she receives assistance with cash transfer and income generation activities from Recovery Facility. Together with the family who hosted her home, she strives to resume economic activities and alleviate the impacts of a multiple crisis due to COVID-19, increased violence and natural disasters in the Province. ***“That day, I took my grandson on my lap, next to my daughter-in-law. The guns shouted, the houses burned and all the clothes caught fire [...] I am trying to make my living here in order to support my family. Perhaps my heart will also forget the things I went through”.*** Muanassa was jobless and with assistance of cash-for-work activities she is resuming her production of dumplings and Arabic bread. “What I know to make best is cake, mandazi, apa. I leave it on my balcony and people buy it. Savings are made so that the money is saved and saved, until the end, so we have our own salary.” In the project component for disaster risk reduction herself and the community had also replaced an informal local dumpsite with plant composters for organic fertilizer production.



Luísa Amade, 60, was resettled in Nanjua with 6 grandchildren and her husband and now produces plant seedlings for sale and environmental preservation with support from UNDP. ***“We abandoned everything because of the Cyclone. The money I received at the beginning of the project was to buy a door for my home here in the resettlement. I will continue savings money [...] As we profit, I will invest and take it to the savings.”***



We ran here after the Cyclone. We slept as we could; then we built a shelter with bamboo and donated stakes", says Teresa Viana. Her daughter Eciate Mundondo (up left) is a beneficiary of housing construction under UNDP Recovery Facility, in Macarate community, Chibabava District. ***"We are very pleased that this new construction will be for my daughter who is a single mother of my 3 grandchildren, and she also has disabilities to speak [...] They will have a good house so we will just need to worry about working harder."***



***"We have many students here at the school and many classes are held under the trees. The new classrooms are going to be a very good thing, because some children had given up studying. When the Cyclone hit, our school managed to host 1,000 families in the school for 45 days. But the children were disappointed for a long time. We had to raise awareness of the community so that they could return school at that time"***, director of the Primary School of Chipinde, Gracinda Bulaquene, in Dondo District.



***"We will be satisfied with better and more beautiful stands. I believe that we will be able to save more money too, because today when it rains food items get wet and we end up disposing them. We need this new place to better conserve our products and sell better"***, reports Joana Machaire Canetane, 55, the current head of the Tica Market, in Nhamatanda District.



Learning new ways to treat the soil and grow vegetables with support of UNDP Recovery Facility, displaced people of Mandruzi resettlement neighborhood build their own plant nursery. They received agricultural tools and seedlings and learned how to produce biological charcoal and non-toxic fertilizers to improve their livelihoods.

***"We are setting up that place to produce our flowers. This space was dedicated to us to learn and to sell so that we have our income every month",*** says Amelia Zefanias Matavelho, head of the family of five children. Shaded nurseries are being adopted in the Mandruzi resettlement neighborhood for production of ornamental plants. "We are taking care of the composters that are in our homes. We fill it with grass, water and food scraps. Each one learned to make her own at home".



Paulina Enés, 55 years old, is progressively increasing her income through the tailoring business started with support of Recovery Facility. ***"I thank for this project that came to help us to end our poverty. These sewing machines that were given to us will serve for us to work, for us to build the houses that ended up destroyed [...] We used to eat one meal a day, but now we are able to eat two, three meals."*** Additionally, through the savings group and agriculture tools provided, Pauline plans to rehabilitate the family house where 8 people live in.

### 3. SOCIAL MEDIA AND WEBSITE

To increase the visibility of the EU-UNDP partnership and of the EU as major donor of the UNDP multi-partner basket fund, social media and website have been used continuously as institutional channels. The content reflects mainly visual stories and photos from field activities – construction work, handover of start-up kits, cash-for-work, community forums – and events with government engagement. UNDP’s social media content has been shared with EU delegation in Mozambique, UN Mozambique, UNDP channels at the regional and global level, international organizations, NGOs and CSOs, government through GREPOC, development partners.

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## Cyclone displaced people in Savane resume livelihoods with UNDP and EU support



Eugenia Orallo, resident of Savane Resettlement Neighborhood, in Dondo District, Photo: UNDP Mozambique/Divisor Visual

"This is where I will live, make a living, to produce, sell, eat, [...] The market will be an improvement to make our life here", reports Eugenia Orallo, community leader and one of the thousands of displaced people after Cyclone Idai in 2019, in Sofala Province, Mozambique.

Eugenia celebrates the recent opening of the Savane Resettlement Neighborhood Market, which was inaugurated on 13 October 2020, a date that also marks the International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction. The emblematic event for the local community was attended by the Governor of Sofala, Mr. Lourenço Pereira Bulina, and the European Union (EU) Ambassador, Mr. Antonio Sanchez-Benedito Gaspar. The work is the result of joint efforts by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and the Post-Cyclone Reconstruction Office (GREPOC), with financial support from the EU through UNDP Mozambique Recovery Facility (MRF).

Speaking at the inauguration, the EU Ambassador affirmed that he "wanted to hear and see everything that is being undertaken as efforts to reconstruct and consolidate peace, and also to account for what our commitments, as the European Union, were to the Sofala province after the cyclones and with regard to peace-building. From what I saw, I can say that we have results and we will continue to move forward as there is still much to do".

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## European Union and UNDP to support post-cyclone recovery in Mozambique

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Photo: UNDP Mozambique

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PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS OF UNDP POST-CYCLONE RECOVERY PROGRAM GATHER TO APPROVE THE 2020 WORK PLAN AND TO CONTINUE RECOVERY ACTIONS

Publicado em Março 16, 2020

## Partner organizations of UNDP post-cyclone recovery program gather to approve the 2020 work plan and to continue recovery actions



The program established by UNDP in partnership with the Government of Mozambique, named the Mozambique Recovery Facility (RF), has taken another important step today (26). The program brought together its governance body, the Steering Committee, for approval of the 2020 work plan which embodies integrated actions aimed at the resilient recovery of the country and its affected population after cyclones Idai and Kenneth.

The implementation of the RF programme is overseen and guided by the Steering Committee composed of several members, which include its international donors, the **European Union**, China, Canada, India, Finland, Netherlands and Norway. As a national five-year program, the Recovery Facility also embraces strategic partnerships at all levels – from government, private sector, UN agencies, NGOs down to affected communities and local authorities.

Opening the meeting, Mr. Francisco Roquette, Deputy Resident Representative of UNDP,

Mozambique

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UNDP AND GREPOC ACCELERATE POST-CYCLONE ECONOMIC RECOVERY ACTIVITIES IN CABO DELGADO

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## UNDP and GREPOC accelerate post-cyclone economic recovery activities in Cabo Delgado



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In Pemba – The United Nations Development Program (UNDP) and the Cabinet for Reconstruction Post-Cyclones (GREPOC) initiate activities to accelerate the economic recovery of families affected by Cyclone Kenneth in Cabo Delgado. The interventions evolve in the scope of the Mozambique Recovery Facility (MRF) and will count on the partnership of five NGOs already constituted in the Province and district governments, with financial resources provided by the Program donors – Canada, China, European Union, India, Finland, the Netherlands and Norway – estimated at 81 million meticals (approximately US\$ 1.2 million).

Actions are being planned with the district authorities for implementation by the end of 2020. They will benefit 15,840 households with sustainable income generation activities that aim to resiliently recover livelihoods of the most vulnerable populations in Metuge, Ibo and Pemba.

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### Pós-ciclone Idai, jovem mãe começa a produzir fogões aprimorados e capacita mulheres em sua comunidade

Estrela Ayuba participa dos projetos de geração de renda do PNUD em Moçambique, no âmbito do programa Mecanismo de Recuperação.



Estrela Ayuba com sua filha de 2 anos, no assentamento de Mutua.

Foto | PNUD/Brenda Hada

Quando o ciclone Idai chegou na cidade da Beira, Moçambique, no dia 14 de março de 2019, Estrela Ayuba, 24 anos, e sua família pouco percebiam a situação. Despreparados para a intensidade da tempestade, tiveram de abandonar sua residência na encosta da praia para se abrigar seguramente. A casa não aguentou e foi completamente destruída naquela noite.

Meses se passaram até que eles pudessem se reestabelecer emocionalmente e recuperar alguns de seus pertences. A falta de emprego dificultou ainda mais a adaptação de Estrela a uma vida em abrigos temporários e longe de sua comunidade de origem.

Sua perspectiva de um deslocar-se para um d

Mais de 103.000 famílias vítimas dos ciclones já foram apoiadas pelo PNUD em Moçambique com projetos similares de geração de renda, dentro do Mecanismo de Recuperação, programa de cinco anos, em parceria com o governo de Moçambique e apoiada por multi-doadores como **União Europeia**, China, Canadá, Finlândia, Índia, Holanda e Noruega. As ações de recuperação de meios de vida incluem o fornecimento de kits de iniciação de pequenos negócios, estabelecimento de grupos de poupança e micro-crédito, e programas de cash-for-money e food-for-assets.

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Hélder e os colegas participantes dos treinamentos em construção comunitária e resiliente.

Foto | PNUD/Brenda Hada

Antes dos ciclones de 2019 em Moçambique, Hélder Felizardo Moisés, 26 anos, havia construído sua casa na encosta da praia, na cidade da Beira. Após o desastre afetar ele e sua família, tiveram de abandonar a casa e passaram a morar em abrigos temporários da cidade, em escolas e mercados, nos meses seguintes.

Já com a decisão de ser abrigado em um dos assentamentos oficiais do governo, Hélder mudou-se para Dondo com sua família. "Decidi me mudar para cá, porque não consegui um emprego na cidade depois do Ciclone Idai. Aqui sinto que minha família está mais segura", relata ele que é pai de duas filhas.

A busca de Hélder por melhores oportunidades de trabalho na área comercial continuou. Em paralelo, ele passou a integrar o grupo de trabalho em construção resiliente e comunitária no assentamento, estabelecido pelo PNUD no âmbito do Mecanismo de Recuperação – programa de cinco anos em parceria com o Governo de Moçambique, com apoio de multi-doadores como a **União Europeia**, Canadá, China, Índia, Finlândia, Holanda e Noruega.



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UNDP Mozambique is with Nações Unidas Moçambique and 2 others  
August 30


In #Mafanha, vulnerable families affected by #CycloneIdai received sewing machines and tailoring kits to start their small businesses. With these assets in hand, beneficiaries will be able to sell products at an affordable price in the local market. Other activities assisting the local population include skills trainings and assets for agricultural production, poultry farming and small business sales.

Paulina Enes, 55 years old, is one of those who suffered most from the double edged crisis of Cyclones and #COVID19. She is the head of a family of 7 people, including her elderly mother and a disabled son.

For the first time she will be able to leverage her tailoring skills and revamp her means of survival. Through #UNDP Recovery Facility, she has also drafted her business plan and is contributing in a village savings and loan group.

The rainy season is now to arrive but Paulina is strongly affirming 'I want to save money to feed my kids well and to rebuild the house walls and the roof better'.

We are together for the resilient recovery!



**Paulina Enes, 55**  
Victim of Cyclone Idai

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May 2

Local communities in Dondo and Chibabava districts are building market stalls through the Mozambique Recovery Facility, programme led by #UNDP and supported by the #EuropeanUnion 🇪🇺, #Canada 🇨🇦, #China 🇨🇳, #Finland 🇫🇮, #India 🇮🇳, the #Netherlands 🇳🇱 and #Norway 🇳🇴. People affected by cyclones in 2019 now need assistance to face socio-economic challenges of #COVID19 crisis. #StrangerTogether



**The community is being assisted by the Recovery Facility Programme to face socio-economic challenges of COVID-19 crisis.**

374 People Reached 44 Engagements

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April 24

On 24 April 2019, Cyclone Kenneth made landfall in #Mozambique. One year later, the multi-donor funded programme Recovery Facility, implemented by #UNDP to fast track recovery and build resilience against future disasters, will help Mozambique to respond to the #COVID19 crisis. Donor partners: 🇪🇺 🇩🇪 🇨🇦 🇫🇮 🇮🇳 🇳🇱 🇩🇰



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@UNDPMozambique & implementing partners gather to fast-track resilient recovery in 2020. Above 53,100 families affected by cyclones will be assisted w/ economic recovery activities. [bit.ly/2BsrpZn](https://bit.ly/2BsrpZn)

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UNDP, GREPOC and NGOs gather to fast-track economic recovery activities post-cyclones

Above 53,100 households living in the communities most affected by Cyclone Idai and Kenneth will be assisted 37500 through the local Province.



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GREPOC — The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) in partnership with the Cabinet of Reconstruction Policy (GREPOC) and an urban civil society organisations will implement economic recovery activities to assist 53,100 people affected by Cyclones Idai and Kenneth in Mozambique. GREPOC is the lead partner.

The partner interventions in 2020 were prioritised over during meetings with national authorities and will involve US\$1 million within the scope of the Mozambique Recovery Facility (MRF), program with the implementation of UNDP and financial support from the European Union, Canada, China, Finland, India, Norway and the Netherlands.

"The Recovery Facility will have interventions in Mozambique after 8 years, and the activities planned in this week's meetings will be delivered in the next 6-12 months aiming to expedite the recovery of the most impacted territories, especially in urban areas, beneficiaries of the Recovery Facility in UNDP Mozambique."







## 5. PARTNERSHIPS AND OPPORTUNITIES

To increase the visibility of EU support among stakeholders, UNDP MRF team and UNDP high-level representatives shared results achieved by Mozambique Recovery Facility with the financial support of the European Union at meetings, field missions and events. EU's support was highlighted during speakers' presentations, in communications handouts and to the media. UNDP was able to convene local governments to follow and monitor resilient recovery activities to beneficiaries in a way that they have been participating in all decision-making steps, thereby increasing ownership of MRF planned activities. Provincial level governments have been updated about the progress of interventions and recognize the great contributions of the European Union to Mozambique through UNDP post-cyclone programme. The Cabinet of Reconstruction (GREPOC) has been strengthening its capacity progressively in terms of human resources and equipments through Recovery Facility - pillar 3 component. As a result, joint efforts between GREPOC and UNDP MRF staff have intensified, especially in the second half of 2020, which became evident from preparation of meetings, liaising with local governments, backstage demands to project monitoring.

As an example, the Governor of Sofala Province, Mr. Lourenço Ferreira Bulha, highlighted in the inauguration ceremony of the Savane Resettlement Neighborhood Market, in the presence of the EU Ambassador, Mr. Antonio Sánchez-Benedito Gaspar: "The European Union provided us with funds through the United Nations Development Program, in order to realize this dream that we all have the opportunity to witness. To the Government of the District of Dondo, our greetings for this space and the monitoring of the construction works until their completion."



## Photos

**1:** February 2020, in Dondo. Staff of UN sister agencies during UN joint monitoring mission with Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation on post-cyclone projects in Mozambique.

**2:** February 2020, in Beira. UNDP Deputy Resident Representative (DRR) and UN Resident Coordinator (RC) in courtesy meeting to Sofala State Secretary and Governor of Sofala Province.

**3:** August 2020, in Beira. Presentation of MRF planned activities to Beira administration and its Permanent Secretary by UNDP, GREPOC and implementing agents.

**4:** April 2020, in Maputo. Signing ceremony of EU-UNDP agreement in the presence of Minister of Public Works, Housing and Water Resources.

**5:** Dondo District Administrator, UNDP DRR, MINEC-DOIC directorate, beneficiary of MRF, UN RC, GREPOC representative.

**6:** August 2020, in Beira. Presentation of MRF planned activities to Chibabava administration by UNDP, GREPOC and implementing agents.



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**7:** August 2020, in Pemba. UNDP MRF coordinator and GREPOC representatives in courtesy meeting to Governor of Cabo Delgado Province.

**8:** July 2020, in Nhamatanda. Presentation of MRF planned activities to Nhamatanda administration and its Permanent Secretary by UNDP, GREPOC and implementing agents.

**9:** August 2020, in Beira. Presentation of MRF planned activities to Metuge and Quissanga administrations and their Permanent Secretaries by UNDP, GREPOC and implementing agents.

**10:** August 2020, in Pemba. UNDP MRF coordinator and GREPOC representatives in courtesy meeting to Cabo Delgado State Secretary.

**11:** October 2020, in Beira. Strategy planning meeting by UNDP and GREPOC with implementation agents to resilient construction and rehabilitation of houses.

**12:** October 2020, in Dondo. Presentation of MRF planned activities on resilient construction to Dondo administration and its district technicians by UNDP and GREPOC.



## Photos

**13:** October 2020, in Dondo. UNDP civil engineer present construction project for resilient rural markets to EU Ambassador in Mozambique.

**14:** July 2020, in Nhamatanda. UNDP rural engineer introduces MRF strategy to Nhamatanda administration and its Permanent Secretary, in the presence of GREPOC staff.

**15 and 16:** September 2020, in Metuge and Pemba. Inauguration of water fountains to benefit an estimated 1,200 families in Nacopo, Namiano, Eduardo Mondlane and Chuiba communities, provided by MRF.

**17:** October 2020, in Pemba. Closing session of monitoring mission day on humanitarian emergency in Cabo Delgado Province with UN sister agencies and MINEC representatives.

**18:** March 2020, in Dondo. MINEC-DOIC director evaluating model houses built by masons and artisans beneficiaries of UNDP MRF trainings on resilient construction techniques.



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**19:** October 2020, in Chiure. UNDP RR and DRR in monitoring visit to prospect new intervention sites to MRF, with MINEC and UN agencies in Marrupa resettlement center.

**20:** July 2020, in Dondo. Permanent Secretary speaking about MRF interventions and welcoming planned activities in resettlement sites and host communities.

**21:** October 2020, in Pemba. Closing remarks of UNDP RR after monitoring visits to prospect new intervention sites to MRF, in the presence of Cabo Delgado State Secretary.

**22:** October 2020, in Nhamantanda. State Secretary for Youth and Employment visiting vocational trainings for livelihood recovery of orphan youths conducted by MRF and IFPELAC.

**23:** March 2020, in Beira. Closing ceremony of MSMEs recovery project - support with business continuity plans and small grants - by UNDP MRF in partnership with ILO.

**24:** November 2019, in Beira. Handover ceremony of woodchipper machines, equipments and training package to Beira Municipality for waste management emergency response, provided by MRF.





**Photos**

**25:** September 2019, in Chibabava. UNDP and local government in joint monitoring of field interventions for resilient livelihood recovery of displaced people in host communities.

**26:** November 2019, in Dondo. Opening remarks of Dondo District Administrator welcoming MRF activities during UNDP DRR field mission.

**27:** August 2019, in Dondo. Kick-start of field activities in Mutua resettlement neighborhood in close collaboration with district authorities and local leaders.

**28:** August 2019, in Beira. Opening of workshop on safe collection and deposition of asbestos debris and disaster waste to civil servants, in partnership with Beira Municipality.

**29:** November 2019, in Dondo. External consultancy to assess women participation and gender-responsiveness of MRF activities, with collaboration of local leaders.

**30:** August 2019, in Beira. Joint UNDP-Beira Municipality mission to assess the Beira Dumpsite for rehabilitation of access roads and drainage systems.



## 6. MEDIA ENGAGEMENT

To disseminate key project activities, results, achievements to the general public, especially at national level through mainstream media, press advisories and releases have been disseminated and interviews have been arranged. UNDP's press notes have always included reference to the EU support and have been shared by key news outlets across the region. In addition, UNDP team members have promoted project results with EU's support during various meetings and public speeches.

### List of news pieces about Mozambique Recovery Facility which mention EU contribution:

- [27-03-2020 Rádio Mozambique Jornal da Tarde 1a Reunião do Comité Directivo do Mecanismo de Recuperação](#)
- [22-04-2020 ÁfricaDigital21 União Europeia contribui com 34,3 ME para fundo de recuperação de Moçambique - África 21 Digital](#)
- [22-04-2020 Club of Mozambique UNDP and EU sign Contribution Agreement to strengthen cyclone response in Mozambique](#)
- [22-04-2020 MundoAoMinuto UE reforça com 34,3 milhões fundo de recuperação de Moçambique](#)
- [22-04-2020 O País União Europeia desembolsa USD 34,3 milhões para reconstrução pós-ciclones](#)
- [22-04-2020 Rádio Moçambique Jornal da Tarde União Europeia contribui com 34,3 ME para fundo de recuperação de Moçambique](#)
- [22-04-2020 TV Moçambique União Europeia contribui com 34,3 ME para fundo de recuperação de Moçambique](#)
- [22-04-2020 VoaPortuguês Mais de 30 milhões para Moçambique - União Europeia apoia recuperação pós-ciclones](#)
- [27-04-2020 Jornal Notícias Assinatura de Acordo entre EU e PNU para recuperação de Moçambique pós-ciclone](#)
- [11-05-2020 Jornal de Angola Reforço do apoio às vítimas dos ciclones em Moçambique Mundo Jornal de Angola - Online](#)
- [20-08-2020 Mundo ao Minuto Mais de 15 mil famílias apoiadas nas zonas afetadas em Cabo Delgado](#)
- [20-08-2020 Club of Mozambique Over 15,000 families to receive support for resilient livelihood recovery in Cabo Delgado](#)
- [20-08-2020 Diário Económico PNUD Apoia Famílias Afectadas pelo Ciclone Kenneth em Cabo Delgado](#)
- [20-08-2020 Impala PNUD apoia atividades económicas de 53.000 famílias](#)
- [20-08-2020 Lusa Moçambique Ciclones Apoio a 53.000 famílias](#)
- [20-08-2020 Macau Business Mozambique - Over 15,000 families to receive support in Cabo Delgado](#)
- [20-08-2020 Notícias ao Minuto Ciclones Apoio a 53.000 famílias](#)
- [20-08-2020 Porto Canal Mais de 15 mil famílias apoiadas nas zonas afetadas em Cabo Delgado](#)
- [20-08-2020 Sapo Notícias Mais de 15 mil famílias apoiadas nas zonas afetadas em Cabo Delgado](#)
- [25-08-2020 Jornal Magazine PNUD e GREPOC aceleram recuperação económica pós-ciclones em Cabo Del](#)
- [14-10-2020 Diário de Moçambique Inauguração mercado de Savane](#)
- [14-10-2020 STV Inauguração do Mercado de Savane](#)
- [20-10-2020 Jornal Notícias UE constata progressos no processo de paz](#)
- [21-10-2020 O Autarca Inauguração do Mercado de Savane](#)