Financing and Fundraising for UTNWF Trust

A Public - Private Partnership (PPP) for Watershed Conservation

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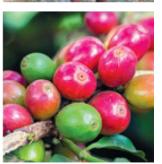














UTNWF Project Area

One Million Hectares

- Forests and Farmlands

9 MILLION PEOPLE

- 4 million in Nairobi
- 5 million in watershed

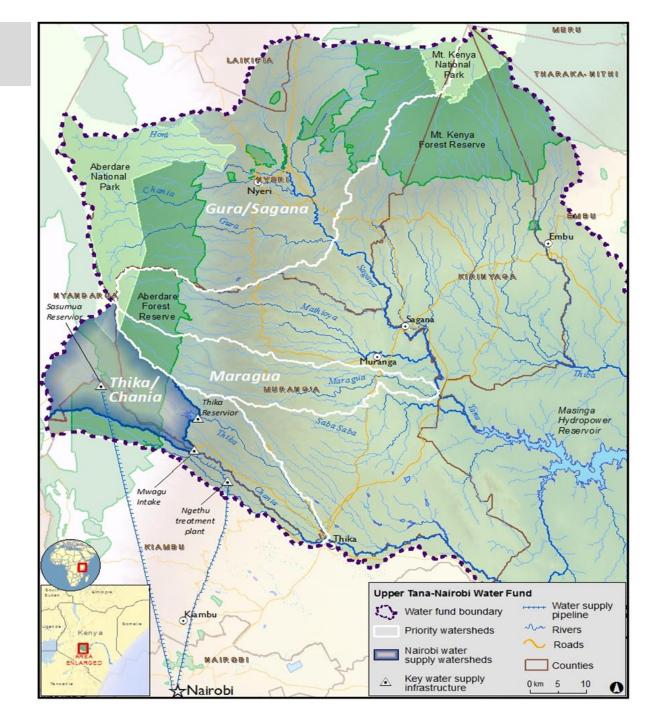
65% OF KENYA'S HYDROPOWER

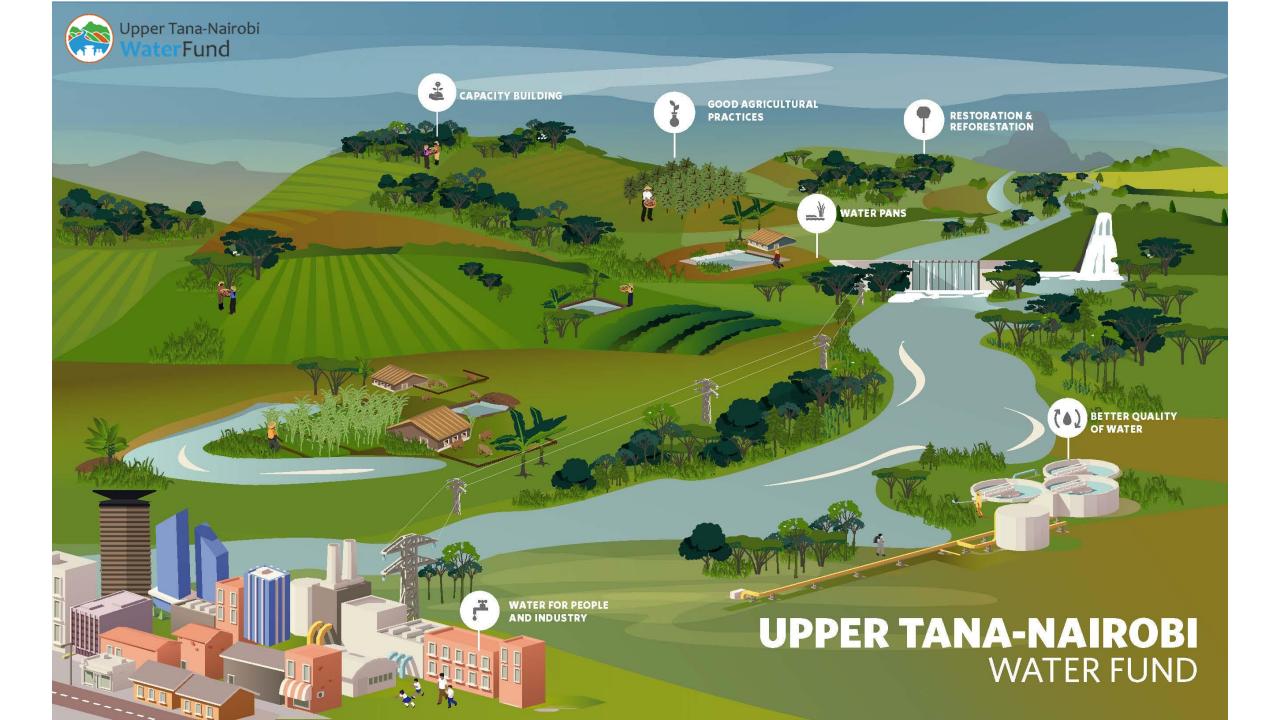
- Cheapest source of power
- Lowest carbon emission

TWO WATER TOWERS

- Iconic Kenyan wildlife
- Endangered species like mountain bongo antelopes







Institutionalization and Financing Mechanism

Identify current situation and opportunities

- private sector contributions
- Subsidies & grants
 (governmental, regional,
 local levels)
- grants (from Foundations)
- Services and partner fees
- endowment donations
- and other sources (lotteries, crowdfunding)





Building a Sustainable Funding Strategy

Goal

To define a funding strategy and related governance / implementation arrangement that maximizes the likelihood of meeting the identified water security outcome.

Outcome

Defined financing strategy document, that is endorsed by WF Board / Steering Committee, that subsequently motivates written funding agreements necessary to attain the defined water security objective.

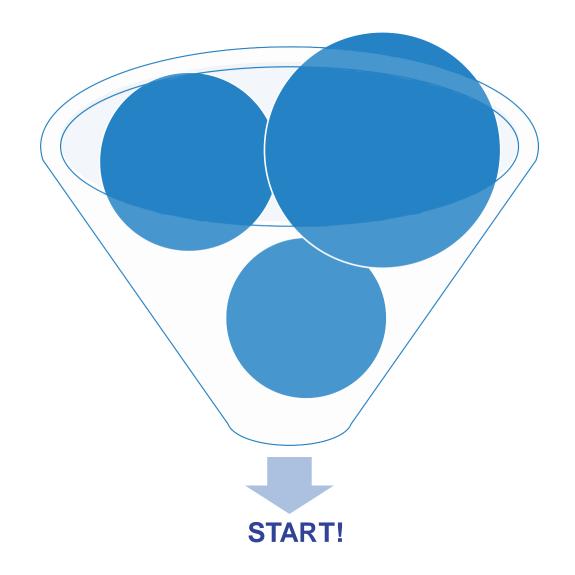
Step 1.1 Eligibility Screening Checklist Step 1.2 Situation Analysis Report Step 1.3 Decision Support Document Step 1.4 Gain Formal Commitments & Hire WF Director

Design (Overview	Creation Overview		
Step 2.1	Formalize WF Board & Develop Charter	Step 3.1 WF Legal Mechanism Established		
Step 2.2	Start Creation of Legal Mechanism	Step 3.2 Create first Annual Operating Plan		
Step 2.3	Update Situation Analysis	Step 3.3 Operational		
Step 2.4	Water Fund Strategic	Management Readiness		
	Plan	Step 3.4 Launch Event		
Step 2.5	Design Studies			
	Portfolio of			
	Interventions			
	Social Impact			
	Assessment			
	Business Case			
	 Long-term Finance 			
Step 2.6	Monitoring & Evaluation			
Step 2.7	Pilot Projects			

Resourcing Agreement(s) with funding providers committing resources to finance the Water Fund's creation and medium to long-term water security outcomes.



Key Elements for Financing and Fundraising Strategy





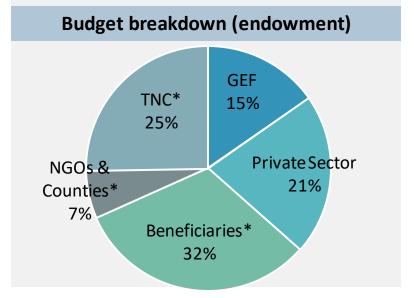
Example: Upper Tana Nairobi Water Fund Trust

Legal arrangement

- Indpt Kenyan registered charitable trust
- Goal: Increasing investments flows for S&W conservation activities in the Tana

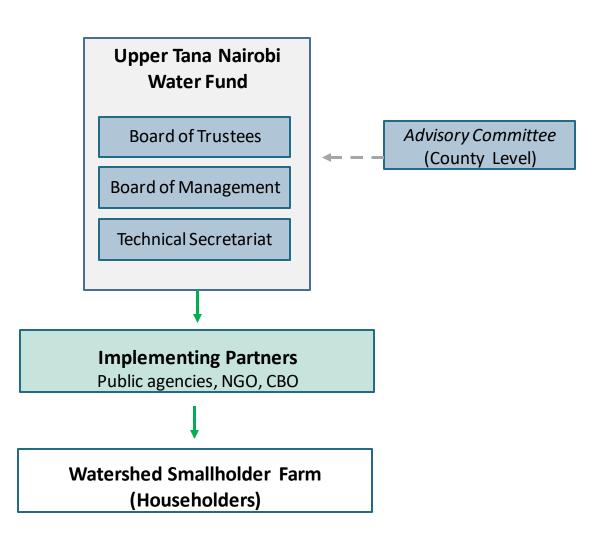
Key activities

- Outcome: Water quality & quantity to downstream smallholder farmers, hydro, and city water supply
- Measures: Buffer strips, reforestation, & agroforestry



^{*} Denotes primarily in-kind contribution





Financing streams and fundraising strategy

Accelerated CREATION and OPERATION phases

- Donor/public funds (GEF & GoK)
- Philanthropy Corporates and Individuals
- Leverage/In-kind County governments, beneficiaries, partners
- Endowment Interest earned on principal/capital invested
- Tariffs political process, involves regulators and WSPs



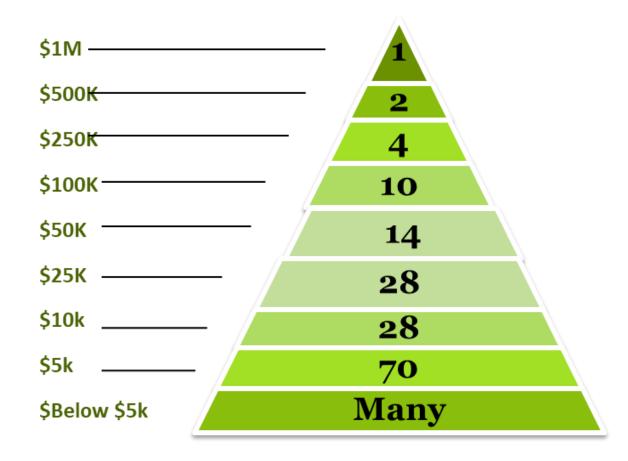


Fundraising through Campaigns – Trust Fund target \$7

Focus on the top of the pyramid

Lead gifts should be secured before moving down the pyramid

It takes three prospects identified for every gift secured





Endowment account- cash flow

Funding source	Amount Raised/ Am banked USD	ount anticipated by June 2021 USD	Amount anticipated in FY 22 USD
The GEF IFAD Project	990,000		
The Coca Cola Foundation	500,000	50,000	
Frigoken (K) Limited (AKDN)	100,000	100,000	120,000
Kenyan small-holder farmers	152,012	200,000	50,000
US Donor- Ms Barbara Tobias	50,000		
Interest income from COOP Bank (net of withholding tax)- 2018	108,000		
Interest income from COOP Bank (net of withholding tax)- 2019 +	138,878	195,000	300,000
Anonymous- BAT		50,000	
Nairobi City Water & Sewerage Co		200,000	200,000
Athi Water Works Agency- GOK		100,000	100,000
GEF IFAD Project Savings Transfer		500,000	
COOP Bank donation			100,000
Others (tbc)		100,000	600,000
Total	2,038,890	1,495,000	1,470,000



Some Lessons Learnt ...

- Clear case for support Compelling!
- Stories of change why does our work matter?
- Leadership champions/Board are the engine of any fund Raising
- Skills and tools for FR equipping leaders/champions is key







... On course to a fully capitalized endowment fund

Asante sana!

