



Project Data Sheet

Project 50099-001

Project Name	Fourth Greater Mekong Subregion Corridor Towns Development Project	
Project Number	50099-001	
Country / Economy	Regional Cambodia Lao People's Democratic Republic	
Project Status	Closed	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance	
Source of Funding / Amount	TA 9192-REG: Fourth Greater Mekong Subregion Corridor Towns Development Project	
	Technical Assistance Special Fund	US\$ 1.80 million
Strategic Agendas	Environmentally sustainable growth Inclusive economic growth Regional integration	
Drivers of Change	Gender Equity and Mainstreaming Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions Partnerships Private sector development	
Sector / Subsector	Water and other urban infrastructure and services / Other urban services	
Gender	Effective gender mainstreaming	
Description	The proposed project will support the governments of Cambodia and the Lao People's Democratic Republic (PDR) in enhancing the competitiveness of towns located along main economic corridors in the Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS). ' The project will result in improved urban services in the participating towns through investment in basic urban infrastructure including, for example, sanitation, solid waste management, urban roads and flood management. The project will enhance climate resilience and will be in line with ADB's '3Es_ of economy, environment, and equity, as outlined in its Urban Operational Plan	

Project Rationale and
Linkage to
Country/Regional
Strategy

The project represents the fourth phase of the GMS Corridor Towns Development Initiative, which supports urban development along the main economic corridors. The three economic corridors defined under the GMS framework form a network of important routes that connect some of the GMS' largest cities, including Bangkok, Ha Noi, Ho Chi Minh City, Kunming, Nanning, and Phnom Penh. The focus on developing towns along economic corridors aims to maximize the benefits of increased trade and traffic flows, including local beneficiary capture, to strengthen their competitiveness and catalyze wider economic growth in the region. The development of environmental infrastructure will promote green growth and climate resilience of these towns in the future. The project will support the first four strategic thrusts of the GMS Strategic Framework 2012-2022: (i) strengthening infrastructure links; (ii) facilitating cross-border trade, investment, and tourism; (iii) enhancing private sector participation and competitiveness; and (iv) developing human resources.

Impact

Project Outcome

Description of Outcome

Progress Toward Outcome

Implementation Progress

Description of Project Outputs

Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities,
and Issues)

Geographical Location

Cambodia - Kampong Cham, Kratie,
Stung Treng; Lao People's Democratic
Republic - Muang Pakxan, Thakhek

Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects

Involuntary Resettlement

Indigenous Peoples

Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

During Project Design The project is currently being prepared. The initial due diligence of stakeholder communication, participation and consultations has been on-going.

During Project Implementation The project is currently being prepared.

Business Opportunities

Consulting Services to follow

Procurement to follow

Responsible ADB Officer Swain, Wei Kim

Responsible ADB Department Southeast Asia Department

Responsible ADB Division Urban Development and Water Division, SERD

Executing Agencies *Ministry of Public Works and Transport*

Timetable

Concept Clearance	-
Fact Finding	-
MRM	-
Approval	03 Jan 2017
Last Review Mission	-
Last PDS Update	27 Mar 2018

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Milestones

Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
30 Sep 2016	03 Jan 2017	03 Jan 2017	30 Apr 2018	30 Apr 2020	31 Aug 2020

Financing Plan/TA Utilization

							Cumulative Disbursements	
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart		Project Sponsor	Others	Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries					
1,800,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,800,000.00	21 Jul 2022	1,722,649.17

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