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Kirkuk Food Security Cluster Meeting - Agenda

1. Round of introduction
2. Welcoming the New Iraq FSC Coordinator.
3. Issues and Gaps (Food Access, Partners ability to response).
4. Updates from Partners
5. AOB

1. Round of Introduction
   - The meeting started with introducing each organization.

2. Welcoming the New Iraq FSC Coordinator
   - Tim Introduced himself as new FSC Coordinator and he request the Partners for update of information to know the situation in Kirkuk.

3. Issues and Gaps (Food Access, Partner’s ability to response)
   There are Gaps in FS, Tim as a new FSC Coordinator suggested give food assistance priority to women headed households, households with disabled man or Children, as this will reduce the tension on both donors & distributors since we cannot cover all the families in the locations. Also IRW Coordinator added that there is a gap inside Kirkuk city, and some of the gap can be reduced/ treated through partners.
4. Updates from partners

- **Alghad**: They have an ongoing General Survey on vulnerable families who are in need for food assistance in Hawija district and villages. FSC focal point will visit the organization to receive the survey data to be shared with FSC members. The survey is focusing on the poor families, farmers and the security situation the those places are safe. **Tim** asked Al-Ghad to provide WFP with a copy of the assessment (Survey) since the data will convince the donors to fund food projects, and will encourage the partners to cover the area without duplication. In addition to that, the assessment could help us to know the most needed projects in the area.

- **Mission East**: Attempting to conduct an assessment in Yaychi district and its villages in addition to distribute 25 kg food baskets to 45 IDP families in Furqan village in Laylan sub-district for three months. Also, **ME** is aiming to assist IDP families in Sayyada village in Kirkuk including host community, but **JCMC** in stated that they have to provide a copy of the beneficiaries’ names before distribution then they will be able to distribute. **ME** reported that if **JCMC** insist on their request, **ME** should shift the items to Sinjar in Nineva.

- **IRW**: Planning to distribute 1,000 Food basket to Returnee & IDP families in Tuz in the next Few weeks.

- **UNHT**: Informed the partners that **JCMC** will facilitate the INGOs and NGOs to work in Kirkuk, these problems formed because of changing in **Humanitarian Affairs Committee**; UN-OCHA is working on this issue to be solved as much as possible.

- **WFP**: As known, WFP’s food assistance is limited to in-camp IDP families in Kirkuk. For March, WFP through its partner **CDO** assisted 4,627 families with 5,882 rations (25,298 individuals). In addition to that, **WFP** through other partner **WEO**, distributed 5,834 IRR (ready-to-eat) kits to 5,326 resident IDP families in the six camps last month March 2018.
6. AOB

- **ME:** Planning to distribute of Food in June
- **FSC:** Plan to hold Workshop for Food basket after determine suitable date and time by FSC partners and determination of the Workshop subjects.
- **UNHT:** Asked **WFP** to activate Livelihood sector.
- **FSC coordinator:** Had a Fund for Livelihood but they need for data and assessment to work on emergency families’ need.
- **IRW:** There is still a need for Baby Milk (for Nutrition) in the camps and this item is not included in food Partner’s Food Basket.
- **CDO:** No new activities.
- **KRA:** In response to **FAO**’s request for focal points, suggested to share the request with FSC partners to take this responsibility.
- **PSEA Network:** produced a brief description of **PSEA** and the 6 important points of UN sexual Abuse, Code of conduct, and how to raise a report to the partners who are responsible for Sexual Abuse issues.
  She promised to provide **FSC** with a copy of some important and useful documents to know more about Sexual Abuse issues and then, FSC will share it with all members.