

## **FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOOD CLUSTER MEETING (Minutes of the Meeting)**

**Date:** 23<sup>rd</sup> /11/2022

**Chair:** Jean-Loic

**FSLC Virtual Room on TEAMS**

Meeting attended by Cluster members. 98

### **AGENDA**

#### **1. UROR ASSESSMENT REPORT – REACH (Alex)**

The Uror assessment report conducted in August by REACH aimed at understanding the impact of shocks to livelihood and food access and identify needs and gaps amidst the region being in IPC phase 4 experiencing lots of climatic and manmade shocks. Key findings in the assessment included; extreme coping strategies, limited market functionality due to high prices, limited service providers especially health and reduced food distribution ratios. Major recommendations included early prepositioning of goods (food/medicine) ahead of flooding seasons. [Link](#)

#### **2. SIDA PROJECT LEARNING- WAV (Linnet)**

SIDA project is a 3 year project being implemented in Awerial by WAV in collaboration with OXFAM. The project has a series of livelihood activities ranging from tailoring, hair dressing, agriculture, fisheries and cooperatives aimed at transforming this groups into strong business operators. The project seeks to build group capacities through trainings and provision of startup kits/tools to enhance continuity of the various livelihoods in the project. [Link](#)

#### **3. WEATHER UPDATES – FAO (Mark)**

Weather updates were reflective of the period from August to October 2022. West of the country was wettest (100mm rainfall) in April with gradual rainfall decline in the country from September to October. Furthermore, the reporting period of 22-29 Nov, North of the country was to experience dryer conditions while the south and east would have light rainfall. [Link](#)

#### **4. FSLC UPDATES**

##### **1. HRP Updates**

Partners were taken through the events of the HRP process from submissions, the vetting criteria by the SRC and the total number of project proposals (63) approved for the 2023 HRP. [Link](#)

##### **2. Updates on SEADS**

SEADS initiative entails a standard handbook with clear standards for implementation of crop related responses in humanitarian work. Official launch of the handbook was done in Rome and awaits its operationalization. [Link](#)

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