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

Date: 23rd /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 (Linet)
   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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