

STRENGTHENING LOCAL CAPACITIES FOR **RESILIENCE AND RECOVERY**



Progress Update October 2019 - March 2020

UNDP's project 'Strengthening Local capacities for Resilience and Recovery', funded through the EU Trust Fund, aims at supporting local authorities in Libya to respond to the many conflict and human mobility induced challenges - by strengthening the local resilience and recovery mechanisms - that impact negatively people access to essential services, sources of jobs and livelihoods, the social cohesion and security of communities.

KEY RESULTS TO DATE

OUTPUT 01

Providing Basic Services with Access for Vulnerable Groups

1.1. Capacity needs assessment and building

Needs Assessments = Capacity Development Action Plans

11 municipalities to improve



participated in

11 community consultations



participated in

11 validation meetings

3 sets of training programmes

municipal staff improved technical, soft skills and conflict sensitivity

22 small grants

(2 grants up to total 5,000 USD per municipality), are under implementation in the target municipalities to enhance service delivery as well as incorporating **COVID-19 response related** activities.

1.2. Infrastructure and equipment provision

To date, the project has programmed or identified







delivery rate



+1.7 million people

are enjoying direct access to better services in Tripoli, Benghazi and Sebha, Sabratha, Murzuq, Al Kufrah, and Ajdabiya.



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Rehabilitation of the Sports Courts Complex and Change Rooms at the Benghazi University



Rehabilitation of Libya Clinic in Kufra

Rhabilitation of **Scout Office in** Benghazi

ONGOING



Renovation of the main sewer line in Sebha



Rehabilitation of the Rugby Field in Benghazi



Rehabilitation of the AlShabbi Corniche in Benghazi



Rehabilitation of the Animal House building at the Benghazi University Veterinary college (complete), and supplementary works to implement a new HVAC system to make the facility operational (ongoing)



Restoration of the nonhistorical buildings (Service Offices and **Entrances) of Roman** Theatre in Sabratha City



Murzuk



Ambulance



generators & freezers to serve





Supply of medical equipment for Sabratha Health Centre (ongoing)



Supply of Sports Inventory for Sabratha Tennis **Academy** (ongoing)

OUTPUT 02

Enforcing Local Stability and Community Security

Workshop on Rule of Law (RoL) Needs Assessment:

The workshop was organised in Tunis on October 21-24, 2019, and has allowed the representatives of Libyan rule of law institutions (police, justice and judicial police) to discuss and validate the conclusions and recommendations of a "RoL needs and capacity assessment". The report is the final product of a series of assessments undertaken in 2018 and 2019 on the criminal justice process in Tripoli, Sabha and Benghazi, and suggests recommendations to address weaknesses on the legislative, regulatory and organizational criminal justice chain.



- Workshop on Model Police Station's Job Description, Training **Plan and Standard Operating Procedures development:** UNSMIL-UNDP in partnership with EUBAM conducted a 4-day validation
 - workshop on Model Police Station's Job Description and training plan based on competences with initial discussion on relevant Standard Operating Procedures, which took place in Tunis on January 27 -30, 2020.
- Construction of the pilot Model Police Station (MPS) in Hai Andalus, Tripoli:

Construction is ongoing with two buildings in the final stages of completion. The MPS is part of the project efforts to strengthen the police capacity and build trust with the community.





Recovering Local Economy, Including Job Creation and Livelihoods

UNDP in partnership with the Tatweer Research, within the Tatweer Entrepreneurship Campus (TEC) programme, has been focusing on supporting innovative solutions to promote the engagement of youth and women that support local economic development. The recent activities, among others, include:

TEC Incubator

The incubator supported

85 start-ups

with a place to work, access to business and technical training programs, and access to tailor-made business coaching and mentoring.



TEC Talks

A community event designed to engage entrepreneurs, tech-savvy Libyans and technology enthusiasts, covering innovation related topics. A total of

1,623 people

participated in these events.



TEC Crash

370 young trainees

attended a two-week intensive business course for entrepreneurs that has been organized in Benghazi, Sabha and Tripoli.



TEC Camps 191 young developers

attended the 8-week programming boot-camp for young university students and recent graduates in apps and website development.



As a result of all the activities carried out since the start of implementation:



2,500 young Libyans

participated in TEC programs and events



that generated

+2,000 hours

of training, workshops and mentoring from the start of the implementation period September 2017 to March 2020.

Toyota Partnership - Discover Your Talent

The vocational training program implemented in partnership with Toyota within the 'Discover Your Talent' programme aims at helping the country to cope with the rising unemployment among recent graduates, promote decent jobs and boost opportunities for youth in Libya.

2018

20 young people

(including 25% IDPs) from 9 cities have engaged in a 3-month mechanical engineering course.

20 young people

(including 30% IDPs) from 12 cities have engaged in 3-month training program on car maintenance and repairing, computer skills and English among other disciplines.

+20 young people

will participate in the training during the course of 2020

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COMMUNICATION & VISIBILITY PLAN IMPLEMENTATION

Monitoring Period October 2019 - March 2020

Media





x5 articles

published in the media about the workshop on the validation of the job description for the model police station was the most covered topic.

Other media covered articles include:

1 article about the inauguration of the public park in Sebha, 3 articles about the launch of a vocational training at Totoya HQ



UNDP Libya Website

341 pageviews total

2 press releases posted on UNDP Libya website.

- Press Release 1: about the building of a public park in Sebha, published on 2 October 2019 and reached 94 people.
- **Press Release 2:** about the launch of a vocational training for 20 young people at Toyota Libya headquarters in Misrata, published on 7 October 2019 February 2020 and reached 127 people.



This press release was the most successful on the website with 127 pageviews.

Social Media

19 tweets







This tweet earned the greatest number of impressions: 16091. It got 26 likes and 9 retweets.



This post earned the widest reach of 2,459 people, earned 72 likes and 6 shares.





Teaching Hospital



This video was posted on 10 December 2019 and got 93 views.



Watch Here

The most successful post was a consultation meeting held in Ain Zara, Tripoli, on the support to local authorities to improve services they deliver to people posted on 21 January 2020, and reached 3108 people, earned 75 likes and 3 shares.



#Gender and the global backlash against #Gender Equality are preventing #women from developing their full potential. #EU & @UNDP rehabilitate four tennis courts opening

The most successful: 8 March 2020, with 32 likes



