

REPORT FROM ASK/TRIANGLE

NP-51 GAIRIGAUN

KAVRE NEPAL



Most significant change/postcard



Samjhana Tamang-26,NP-51 Kavre joined the Triangle Support Project. Her life was hard because of the low income of family and her husband has no job so it was very difficult in obtaining food because of low income. She has frequently needs to knock on the door of the local moneylender. The traditional agriculture system has not been able to provide the enough food for this family, providing only 3 to 6 months of food sufficiency from their own production.

After joining the Triangle project, she obtained the NRs 10,000 through a village committee microloan without any interest,which she used to purchase vegetable farming. After few months she was able to produce a lot of vegetables and she sold it in the local market at high price and gained Nrs. 30,000.00 and she have earned more than her investment. Now she have some vegetables to sell. Her income is increasing steadily and she is not suffering from any type of financial crisis to handle the household economy and now she would like to thank Triangle/ASK and the donors who supported her and the village Gairigaun.

ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT

FISCAL YEAR 2073-074/JULY 2016 TO JUNE 2017

Progress Detail

1. Name of village:				
NP-51 Gairigaun				
2. Period covered (Please Tick-√)				
2.1 Biannual report after SLP. What were the plans? ()		2.2 Annual report. Results of Triangle and VDC support? Villagers own initiatives (√)		
3. Members of village committee				
3.1 Gender and Social Inclusion				
Men	Women	Dalit	Janajati	Other
4	1	0	5	0
3.2 Details of Village Committee				
Name of the Village Committee Members			Position	
Krishna Bahadur Tamang			ChairPerson	
Purna Bahadur Tamang			Secretary	
Santa Bahadur Tamang			Member	
Maya Tamang			Member	
Lok bahadur Tamang			Member	
4. Settlement level planning meeting				
4.1 When was the settlement level planning meeting held				
The actual settlement level planning was conducted in December 2015 for 2016 and December 2016 for Year 2017				
4.2 Total number of participants in the SLP meeting				
Men	Women	Dalit	Janajati	Other
29	9	10	22	5
4.3 Facilitators for the settlement level planning				
The village committee plays the vital role for the organized the settlement level planning meeting in the village. The VDC facilitator Saroj Bastakoti and the Ask Nepal facilitators Tara Tamang , Asmita paudel, Yedu Prasad Paudel, Sunita Tamang have facilitated the settlement level planning.				
4.4 Priorities of the projects				
Name of Project		Total Score of Project (Out of 70 marks)	Priority	Potential Source of funding (Institution)
Toilet construction		66	1	VDC
Water stream conservation		66	1	VDC

Scholarship for poor student	66	1	Triangle																								
satkane water tank repairing	64	2	Triangle																								
Fodder plantation	63	3	Forest office																								
social awareness training	62	4	VDC																								
Road repairing and culvet construction	61	5	DDC																								
Vegetable farming training and microloan support	61	5	Triangle																								
Informal education	61	5	Education office																								
Goat raising	60	6	Triangle																								
DDC: District Development Committee, DFO: District Forest Office DEO: District Education Office DADO: District Agriculture Development Officer VDC: Village Development Committee																											
5. Activity Plan																											
5.1 Responsible for the implementation																											
The village committee plays the vital role to implement all activities, and after that the VDC ward no.1 ward committee coordinator, the social mobilizer of ASK, the VDC social mobilizer and the Triangle responsible person supports in implementing and monitoring.																											
5.2 Any proposals submitted to the VDC or District and approved																											
2 projects were supported from government side (1 from VDC and 1 project was supported from District and center: - Toilet construction - Road repairing and culvet construction																											
5.3 Villagers own initiative																											
All committee members worked voluntarily.																											
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6. How were beneficiaries selected?																											

After finishing the settlement level planning the village committees' members again organized the meeting and made the criteria for distribution of money. Generally the villagers followed priorities for the distribution of money used by LGCDP(Local Government Community Development Programme):

- Families with no or very little land
- Poor housing conditions
- Lack of food for the whole year
- Persons with labor-based livelihoods (for others)
- Unemployed families
- No guarantee for settlement, etc
- Most earthquake affected persons (This year's priority)

7. Ongoing activities update, results of the activities

All planned activities were completed, which are described below:

All 75000.00 rupees invested for micro loan to women, poor and earthquake affected family's income generation and benefited 7 persons in different income base activities.

8. Doing Democracy training

From the relevant rubric: What did you learn from the training? Any improvements in the village because of the applied method? Any conflicts as a result of the activity? (Learning)

Public Social Audit: The people and the facilitators have learned that this is a necessary component to make the government and service provider accountable. We have trained the villagers, but the actual VDC Public Social Audit will take place later this year in the new context of restructure of federal state Nepal)

Community Score Cards: It is one of the most important components to improve the government service to the peoples and make better and accountable of the service provider. In the process, health posts will be targeted later this year.

Right to Information : Facilitators are developed and started to mobilization for public awareness.

Other methods (SLP): This is a very good and participatory method to know the planning system and the selection of most needed projects.

9. Micro finance update

9.1 Money collected in the fund for microloan

The fund for providing microloans has increased over the last three years. Apart from the 75,000 NRS from 2016, a sum of 60,000 paid back from previous years was added to make 1,35,000 NRS for distribution in 2016. The families, who got the micro loan for goat raising, and vegetables farming in 2015 have successfully repaid loans amounting to 60,000 Nrs.

The 15 families who got the micro loan for goat rearing, small poultry business promotion, and

vegetables farming in 2015/016 have received a lot of benefits and extra money (Minimum Nrs 8000.00 to maximum Nrs 15,000.00) which was spent on dresses and books for their children, food and some clothes for the family. They feel that their livelihoods is improving, and would therefore like to remember those who supported the village. The women, children and all the villagers' health and living situation has improved because of income generation activities and awareness. Now they are happy and give many many thanks to the supporters of their village with new concepts. People from the village are continuing their regular savings and credit in a sustainable way and almost all villagers are involved in the micro-credit group also. A lot of success has been achieved. For this report one of the most significant changes is the story that has been included in front page of this report.

9.2 Use of microloan and status

- 5 families got a microloan of Nrs 35000.00 (5 persons*Nrs 7000.) and have established vegetables garden
- 10 families got a microloan of Nrs 82000.00 (8 persons*Nrs 8000.00 and 2 persons* Nrs 9000.00) and have started raising of goat.

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