

# REPORT FROM ASK/TRIANGLE

## NP-12 KHORBAR

### GANDAKI PROVINCE - SYANGJA NEPAL



*Parbati Khatri, 45 year old woman with beautiful small girl, NP-12, Khorbar village, Syangja joined the Triangle Support Project. Her life was very hard. Her husband was a drunkard (alcohol) and no income. She has to send 2 little girls to school, so she always needs to knock the door of the local money lender for loan. She was having only 5/6 months of Food Sufficiency Status from her own production.*

*After joining the Triangle, she obtained obtaining a microloan of Nrs 5,000 through the village committee without any interest. It was very little money but so she took some other loan from personal money lender and purchased 3 goats. After a few months 2 goats gave four kids and she started to rear. She already sold 2 goats worth NRs 15,000 and paid back the personal money lender. Recently she has 5 goats when valued by the local market price, the goats are worth more than NRs 40,000.*

*Her husband has controlled his drinking of alcohol and started to help in the goat raising. Her 2 little girls are going to school regularly and nowshe is not suffering form any type of financial crisis to handle the household economy. She told us with her smile when we are asking her how she felt, she replied "I am going to increase my income because the Triangle who has showed the way for better sustainable income and I would like to thank Triangle and the donors who supported".*

Most significant change/postcard



## Progress Detail

<b>1. Name of village:</b>				
NP-12 Khorbar				
<b>2. Period covered (Please Tick-v)</b>				
2.1 Biannual report after SLP. What were the plans? ( )		2.2 Annual report. Results of Triangle and Municipality support? Villagers own initiatives. ( v )		
<b>3. Members of village committee</b>				
<b>3.1 Gender and Social Inclusion</b>				
<b>Men</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>Dalit</b>	<b>Janajati</b>	<b>Other</b>
4	3	1	1	5
<b>3.2 Details of Village Committee</b>				
<b>Name of the Village Committee Members</b>			<b>Position</b>	
Mr. Chum Bahadur KC			Chairperson	
Ms. Bindu KC			Secretary	
Mr. Lal Khatri			Treasurer	
Ms. Bishnu BK			Member	
Mr. Dal Kumari Khatri			Member	
Ms. Tulasi GT			Member	
Mr. Bal Bahadur Khatri			Member	
<b>4. Settlement level planning meeting</b>				
<b>4.1 When was the settlement level planning meeting held</b>				
The settlement level planning was conducted in 2017 January for 2017 money and another settlement level plan for 2018 was completed in June 2018 together with Municipality.				
<b>4.2 Total number of participants in the SLP meeting</b>				
<b>Men</b>	<b>Women</b>	<b>Dalit</b>	<b>Janajati</b>	<b>Other</b>
21	20	5	7	29
<b>4.3 Facilitators for the settlement level planning</b>				
The village committee plays a vital role for organizing the settlement level planning meeting in the village. Hari (ASK Nepal Program Development Director/Partnership Manager), Lekhnath Paudel, Kalpana Sharma, Hema Thapa (the facilitators) have facilitated the settlement level planning.				
<b>4.4 Priorities of the projects</b>				
<b>S.N.</b>	<b>Name of project</b>	<b>Total score of project</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Potential source of funding -institution</b>
1.	Drain construction at Dumrekholra	60	1	DCC

2.	Goat raising	60	1	Triangle
3.	Drinking water resource conservation at Goreko Chaupari	55	2	DCC
4.	Citrus fruit plant distribution	55	2	DLSO
5.	Pig raising at Fedhibazar	51	3	DLSO
6.	Sewing and cutting training at Fedhibazar	51	3	Municipality
7.	Drinking water project construction at Fedhi bazar	51	3	DCC
8.	Vegetables farming	50	4	Triangle
9.	Gully control building at Fedhikhola	47	5	DSCO
10.	Ring road construction from Fedhidada , Ghmti to Nayachaupari	47	5	DCC
11.	Irrigation canal construction at Jhakrikhola	47	5	DCC
12.	Library establishment at Public Academy School	46	6	DEO
13.	Drinking water project for Public Academy School	46	6	DCC
14.	Irrigation canal construction From Dudkhola Banpakhe to Sirankhet	46	6	DCC
15.	Motorable road repairing from Khorbar to Dhapuk Chamre	42	7	Center Govt.
16.	Community building construction at Fedi bazar	42	7	DCC
17.	Ring road construction from Khorbar to Foksing	42	7	Center Govt
18.	Foot trail construction from Rokahako Tagara to Gairaghara	41	8	Municipality
19.	Rural road construction from Fedhik horabar , Chiurikhara Lamdada to Arjunchaupari Parbat	37	9	Center Govt
20.	School compounding at Ratnadevisthan School	37	9	Municipality
21.	Khorbar Shivamandir (Temple) construction	34	10	DCC
22.	Stage construction at Public Academy School	33	11	DEO

DCC: District Coordination Committee

DSCO: District Soil Conservation Office

DEO: District Education Office

DLSO: District Livestock Service Office.

DADO: Distirct Agriculture Development Office

Govt: Government

<b>5. Activity Plan</b>							
<b>5.1 Responsible for the implementation</b>							
The village committee plays the vital role to implement all activities. After that the rural municipality's ward Secretary, the social mobilizer of ASK, the rural municipality social mobilizer and the Triangle responsible person Hari and Lekhnath also supports in implementing and monitoring.							
<b>5.2 Any proposals submitted to the Municipality or District and approved</b>							
6 projects were supported from government side (4 by municipality, 1 by DCC and 1 from center govt - support of parliament member)							
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– School compounding at Ratnadevisthan School</li> <li>– Rural road construction from Fedhik horabar , Chiurikhara Lamdada to Arjunchaupari Parbat</li> <li>– Motorable road repairing from Khorbar Dhapuk Chamre</li> <li>– Irrigation canal construction From Dudkhola Banpakhe to Sirankhet</li> <li>– Drinking water resource conservation at Goreko Chaupari</li> <li>– Shiva mandir/temple repairing Khorbar</li> </ul>							
<b>5.3 Villagers own initiative</b>							
The villagers have to contribute a minimum 20% cash/ kind (unskilled labor) as per the rules of the government of Nepal for supported projects as the above, which was done. All committee members worked voluntarily for Triangle support activities.							
<b>5.4 Number of beneficiaries (Annual status)</b>							
<b>5.4.1 For Income based activities</b>							
<b>Total beneficiaries up to 2016</b>				<b>Total beneficiaries up to 2017 (only for annual update)</b>			
<b>Dalit</b>	<b>Janajati</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Dalit</b>	<b>Janajati</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
2	3	17	23	4	5	22	31
<b>Remark:</b>							
<b>5.4.2 From other activities (development and awareness raising)</b>							
<b>Only for 2017 (Only for Annual status update)</b>							
<b>Name of activities</b>				<b>Beneficiaries(Only for annual update)</b>			
				<b>Dalit</b>	<b>Janajati</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
NA				NA	NA	NA	NA
<b>Remark:</b> NA - Not Available (All the money spent on income generation activities, please see above)							
<b>6. How were beneficiaries selected?</b>							
After finishing the settlement level planning the village committee's members organized another meeting and established criteria for the distribution of money. Generally, the villagers followed priorities for the distribution of money used by LGCDP (Local Government Community Development Program) indicators:							
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Families with no or very little land</li> </ul>							

- Needy people
- Poor housing conditions and lack of food for the whole year
- Persons with labor-based livelihoods (for others)
- Unemployed families and needy people
- No guarantee for settlement and most earthquake affected persons.

### 7. Ongoing activities update, results of the activities from Donor funding in 2017

All planned activities were completed. The grant Nrs 75000.00 (DKK 5000) invested for micro loan to women, poor and needy people for different income generation activities and benefited 6 families. Out of 6 families;

- 4 families got a microloan of Nrs 55000.00 (4 persons\*Nrs 13750.00) and have started raising of goats.
- 2 families got a microloan of Nrs 20000.00 (2 persons\*Nrs 10000.00) and has started commercial and off season/seasonable vegetables farming.

### 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, ie with ward and municipality(VDC is abolished).

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

**Right to Information:** The knowledge about RTI is now increased.

**Other methods (SLP):** This is a very good and participatory method to know the planning system and the selection of most needed projects. The villagers are now committed to do the SLP themselves.

### 9. Micro finance update

#### 9.1 Money collected in the fund for microloan generated from Danish donor funding

The fund for providing microloans has increased over the last six years. Apart from the 75,000 NRS from 2017, a sum of 293000 Nrs paid back from previous years was added to make 368000 NRS for distribution in 2017/018. The 23 families, who got the micro loan for goat raising, small poultry business promotion and buffalo keeping at village in 2016/017 have got the benefits and successfully repaid loans amounting to 293000 Nrs.

## 9.2 Use of microloan and status

- 25 families got a microloan of Nrs 266850.00 (4 persons\*Nrs 13750.00, 20 persons\*Nrs 10000.00, 1 person \* 11850.00) and have started raising of goats.
- 2 family got a microloan of Nrs 50000.00 (2 person\*Nrs 25000.00) and have started buffalo keeping.
- 2 families got a microloan of Nrs 10000.00 (2 person\*Nrs 5000.00) and has started a small poultry business.
- 2 families got a microloan of Nrs 20000.00 (2 persons\*Nrs 10000.00) and has started commercial and off season/seasonable vegetables farming.

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# Message from Village.....



*The families who got the micro loan for goat raising, pig raising, buffalo keeping, bee keeping and vegetables farming for several years have received a lot of benefits and extra money (Minimum Nrs 5000.00 to maximum Nrs 25,000.00 per year) which was spent on dresses and books for their children, food and some clothes for the family and saving also. We feel that our livelihood is improving, and would therefore like to remember those who supported us in this village.*

*Our (women, children and all the villagers) health and living situation have improved because of income generation activities, awareness training and small infrastructures development support. We are getting lot of success here in the village from your support. We are really happy with such kind of support to the village to fulfill basic and real needs here in the village!!!!*

*It is really memorable!!!!!!!*



## Thank you!!!!!!