



LIVELIHOOD SUPPORT & PROMOTION OF SMALL COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAMME

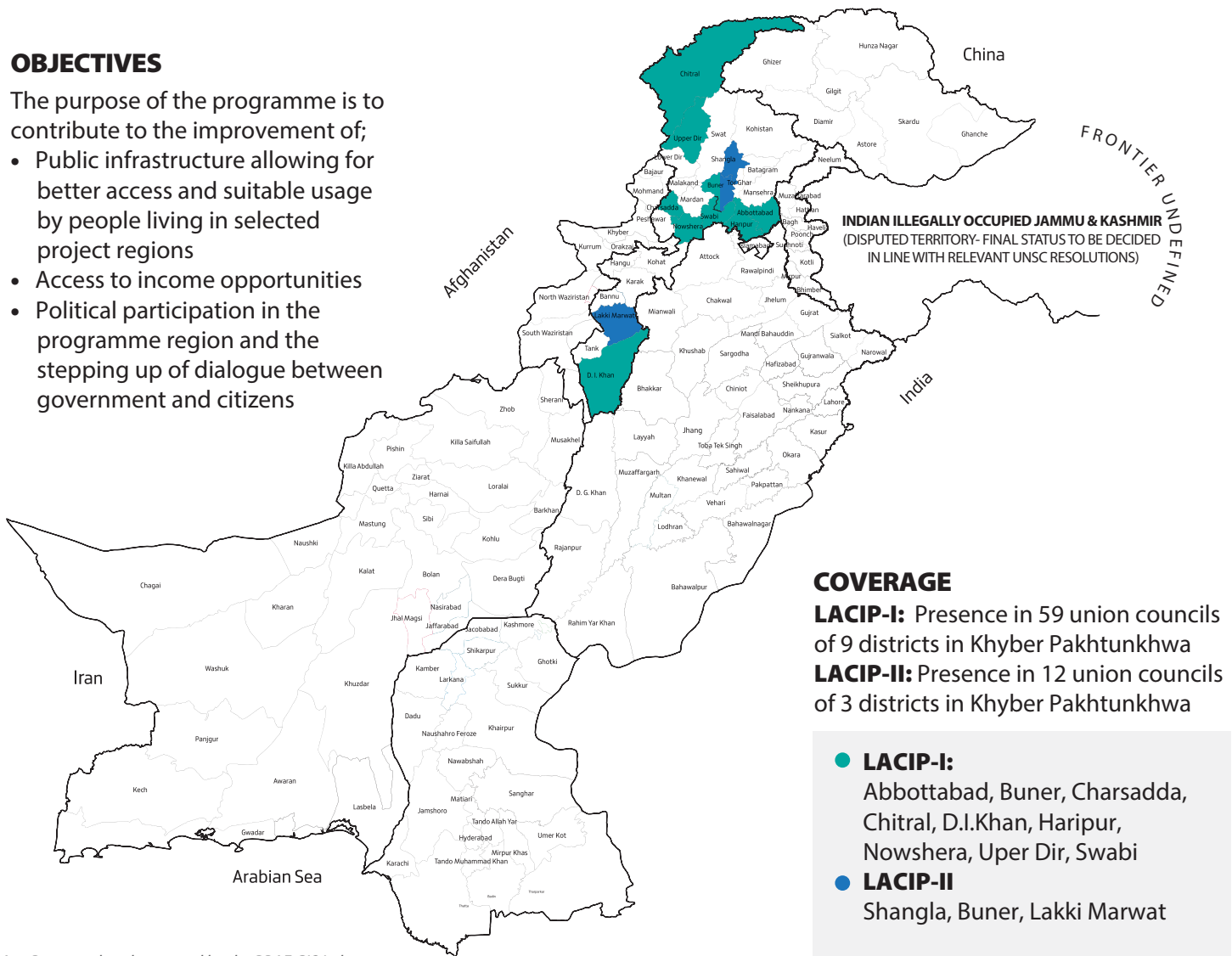
Financed by Federal Republic of Germany through KfW and implemented through PPAF, the aim is to contribute towards improvement of general living conditions, reduction in vulnerabilities to disasters, improvement in quality of life and increase in income generating opportunities in the selected programme districts with particular focus on inclusion of women, the destitute and disabled members of the communities. Phase-I of the project helped in economic uplift of nearly **600,000** poor beneficiaries through provisioning of productive community infrastructure and asset transfer meant to increase living standard and impart good governance. Phase-II is designed to benefit around **150,000** persons through infrastructure development, asset transfer and building linkages with local governments.

RCC bridge built under LACIP in village Bazarkot, is providing safe passage to around 180 households to travel to nearby settlements and markets. District Shangla, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.

OBJECTIVES

The purpose of the programme is to contribute to the improvement of;

- Public infrastructure allowing for better access and suitable usage by people living in selected project regions
- Access to income opportunities
- Political participation in the programme region and the stepping up of dialogue between government and citizens



COVERAGE

- LACIP-I:** Presence in 59 union councils of 9 districts in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
- LACIP-II:** Presence in 12 union councils of 3 districts in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa

- **LACIP-I:** Abbottabad, Buner, Charsadda, Chitral, D.I.Khan, Haripur, Nowshera, Uper Dir, Swabi
- **LACIP-II** Shangla, Buner, Lakki Marwat

Livelihood Support & Promotion of Small Community Infrastructure Programme

“Livelihood Support & Promotion of Small Community Infrastructure Programme (LACIP)” is an integrated poverty reduction Programme funded by KfW that aims to develop disaster resilient Community Physical Infrastructure (CPI) and provides Livelihood Enhancement and Protection (LEP) with Social Mobilization (SM) as the basis for all the activities. PPAF is the lead implementing agency of LACIP through its Partner Organizations (POs).

LACIP-I & II

First phase of the Programme with financial outlay of EUR 31.56 million was implemented from January 2012 to August 2021. The program was implemented in 59 UCs of 09 districts of KP. In the meantime, the second phase of the Programme (LACIP-II) commenced in January 2018, with total budget of EUR 10 million available for implementation of Institutional Development (ID), CPI and LEP interventions. The Programme was implemented in 29 Village Councils (VCs) of 12 Union Councils (UCs) belonging to three districts (Buner, Lakki Marwat and Shangla) of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KP). KfW and PPAF engaged three POs in three districts: NRSP for Buner, SRSP for Shangla and SABAWON for Lakki Marwat. The activities have been executed in two phases – design phase (from January 2018 to June 2019) and implementation phase (commenced in July 2019 and ended in June 2021). PPAF completed LACIP-II design and implementation activities by June 30, 2021 in all the three districts.

LACIP-II Extension

In view of some funds available under LACIP-II, PPAF and KfW agreed for an extension of the Programme from July 2021 to December 31 2022. The Extension phase is the continuation of LACIP-II work previously implemented in Lakki Marwat. In the extended period, PPAF is implementing the Programme activities in one district through SABAWON which was already in the district. The program is being executed in two phases i.e. design and implementation phase. The design phase aims to identify, assess, and propose CPI schemes and IAUPs and would be completed by December 2022. It would be followed by Implementation phase from January to October 2022.

Institutional Development

LACIP-II is planned to intensify its cooperation and exchange of information with the local government entities in the project districts. This applies particularly to building bridges between village councils and community institutions so to community needs articulated in Village Development Plans could be reflected and budgeted under governmental Annual Development Plans (ADP). By engaging elected representatives in development planning process, capacity of village councils will also increase in identifying and prioritizing sectoral needs of the area.

Community Physical Infrastructure

This component emphasises on needs assessment in the project districts and prioritizing the infrastructure needs in consultation with village councils and district authorities. The main objective is to ensure that plans are in synergy with the Annual Development Plans of village councils, tehsil council and district council.

PROGRESS UPDATE- LACIP-II



€ 10 million project is co-financed by the Federal Republic of Germany through KfW and is being executed by PPAF



€ 6.06 million disbursed to POs and **€ 6.06 million** utilized by POs



03 Partner Organisations



Community institutions formed
1,126 COs and
148 VOs



LACIP interventions include **67** IAUPs (Integrated Area Up-gradation Project) completed and benefited **115,900** persons (48% women). **1,228** individuals (50% women) undertook livelihoods trainings. **1,389** Asset transferred (55% women).

PROGRESS UPDATE- LACIP-I



€ 31.56 million project is co-financed by the Federal Republic of Germany through KfW and is being executed by PPAF



€ 31.56 million utilized



24 Partner Organisations



152 education and **4** Health projects completed



2,021 Community Physical Infrastructure projects completed benefitting **1,266,850** individuals (52% women)



101,060 members were organized into **4,952** COs, **410** VOs and **38** LSOs



8,759 individuals (44% women) received productive assets and **5,315** individuals (33% women) undertook livelihood trainings



288 training/capacity building sessions organised on DPM and DRR, **74** Disaster Kits distributed and **27** DPM projects completed

Cumulative December, 2021

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