Social Investment

The Mozambique Gas Development Project recognizes that the development of the Project generates opportunities for socio-economic growth.

The Project is committed to support socio-economic development and to broaden sustainable socio-economic benefits generated by the Project through the implementation of its Social Investment Strategy.

Collectively, the Project’s social programs aim to have lasting benefits and to put in place methods by which the beneficiaries can become self-sufficient.

In collaboration and with support of the Government of Mozambique, NGOs, development organizations and other stakeholders, the Project will progress and implement social investment programs that are aligned with the government’s development priorities, as identified in Mozambique’s Poverty Reduction Action Plan (PARP), with a focus on three areas for investment:

Health  Education  Environment
The Project’s Social Investment Strategy is implemented through three separate yet coordinated programs. Collectively, the three programs focus on well-defined projects and programs in the three focus areas for investment: Health, Education and the Environment.

Community Investment Plan
The focus of the Community Investment Plan is on supporting communities both inside and outside the Project site on the Afungi Peninsula, Palma town, as well as some benefits to the wider District of Palma.

Community investment programs include shorter-term projects until Final Investment Decision (FID) and longer-term sustainable projects. The longer-term sustainable projects will be implemented by lead partners working with local NGOs and other development organizations.

Regional Development Initiatives
Regional Development Initiatives aim to broaden socio-economic benefits generated by the Project. Initiatives will address national and provincial strategic development objectives as part of long-term, multi-year projects implemented in a collaborative effort among NGOs, the Government of Mozambique, the Project and communities.

Philanthropy
Philanthropy projects aim to reciprocate the goodwill the Project experiences from its stakeholders by investing in shorter-term or specific social investments in the geographic areas where the Project operates: Palma, Mocimboa da Praia, Pemba and Maputo.
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