PROJECT 15



Project Title

Setting up the seasonal fruit processing center

Project Type

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Project Location

Economic Development/ Public Services/Quick Start Projects

Total Pre-Estimated Budget

Bajram Curri, all LGUs of the Functional Area will be beneficiaries

Project Background and Analysis

One of the main findings of the study on Functional Area of Tropojë is that farmers are not market-oriented and the agricultural and livestock production is generally used to meet the individual needs of farmers' families. A small quantity of agricultural and livestock products is marketed in Bajram Curri or in support of tourism in Valbona Valley. Orientation and support for farmers to be introduced in the market, or for the collection, processing and marketing of agricultural and livestock products has been inadequate. Only a small portion is processed under house conditions, mainly to meet family needs and less on the market. One of the study recommendations is to support efforts for the collection, processing and marketing of agricultural and livestock products. This would directly impact the delivery of safety and quality standards and increase of revenues from the sales of products.

Specific Objectives of the Project

Income increase from local products through their processing and valuation.

Expected Results and Project Indicators

- 1. Market supply, especially tour operators, with local agricultural and processed livestock products, has been increased and improved.
- 2. Local revenues have been increased as a result of valuation from the processing of fruits and agricultural products and the forest in general.

Farmers of the functional area of Tropojë would benefit from this project, as they would find a ready market for trading their products and increase their revenues. Although the center will be located in the town of Bajram Curri, all the functional area farmers and businesses will be beneficiaries.

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Project Activities

- 1. Feasibility study.
- 2. Technical project preparation.
- 3. Provision of necessary permits from the local and/or central government.
- 4. Center construction.
- 5. Center promotion to local producers.

The duration for project implementation is about 12 months.

Project Maturity

The project is in the phase of inception. There is no technical project in place or a feasibility study.

The cost is approximated based on similar projects

Financial Resources and Implementation Partners

Funding sources may be generated from the central government funds (under projects supporting agriculture and agro-processing development) and crediting from banks. The municipality will support the project to potential funders and supply the entrepreneur with the required permits .

Project Cost

The total approximate project cost is 10,000,000 ALL.