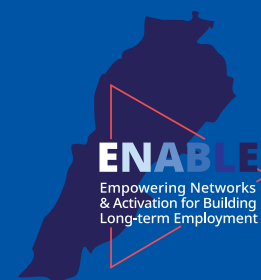




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► Project Overview

Implemented by the International Labour Organization (ILO) and funded by the European Union, the ENABLE programme aims to enhance social and economic inclusion for vulnerable groups, including women, youth, and persons with disabilities. Under the EIIP component, the rehabilitation of agricultural roads in Tal Maayan under this programme plays a vital role in creating sustainable livelihoods by improving infrastructure, facilitating access to lands, and increasing productivity. The project also focuses on empowering vulnerable groups through skills development and vocational training, while promoting environmental sustainability by incorporating eco-friendly practices.

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Project Title	Rehabilitation of agricultural roads in Tal Maayan
Location	Tal Maayan Akkar - Lebanon
Donor	European Union Delegation in Lebanon
Estimated Budget	110,000 USD
Duration	5 months



► Project Objectives

The key objectives of the project are as follows:

►► Enhance Infrastructure

The project aims to enhance the condition and accessibility of agricultural roads in Tal Maayan Municipality through rehabilitation efforts, facilitating the access as well as the transportation of goods, services, and agricultural produce, thereby playing a crucial role in promoting regional economic growth and development.

►► Create employment opportunities

The project is designed to generate sustainable employment opportunities for vulnerable groups, such as Lebanese host community members and Syrian refugees, by improving the agricultural road network. This initiative aims to create livelihood opportunities, particularly for local communities involved in agriculture, leading to poverty reduction, and promoting socio-economic inclusion.

►► Promote Social and Economic Inclusion

The project seeks to promote social and economic inclusion by prioritizing vulnerable groups, including women and youth. Through skills development, vocational training, and entrepreneurship support, the project aims to empower individuals, enhance their employability, and enable them to participate in income-generating activities related to the improved infrastructure.

►► Enhance Socio-Economic Resilience

The project aims to enhance the socio-economic resilience of the communities in Tal Maayan. By improving infrastructure and creating job opportunities, the project aims to reduce vulnerabilities, enhance livelihoods, and contribute to the overall well-being and stability of the region.

► Project Components

The project comprises the following components



Infrastructure Rehabilitation

This includes improving the condition and accessibility of the roads, implementing necessary repairs, and upgrading the infrastructure to meet the required standards. The aim is to enhance access and transportation efficiency and facilitate the movement of goods, services, and agricultural produce..



Job Creation and Livelihood Enhancement

The project places a strong emphasis on creating short-term job opportunities and enhancing livelihoods for the local community. By improving the agricultural road network and fostering economic activities, the project aims to generate employment opportunities, particularly for vulnerable groups such as Lebanese host community members and Syrian refugees. This component aims to reduce poverty, promote social inclusion, and improve the overall economic well-being of the region.



Environmental Sustainability

Environmental sustainability is an integral part of the project. It includes incorporating environmentally friendly practices and technologies throughout the rehabilitation process, maximizing the labour content. This component aims to minimize negative environmental impacts, conserve natural resources, and promote sustainable land use.



Stakeholder Engagement and Local Participation

The project recognizes the importance of stakeholder engagement and local participation. It involves close collaboration with local communities and relevant authorities. The goal is to ensure that the project aligns with the needs and aspirations of the community, and to enhance local ownership, participation, and capacity in project planning, implementation, and maintenance.



► Expected Results

- **Improved Infrastructure:** The rehabilitation of agricultural roads is expected to result in improved road conditions and enhanced accessibility.
- **Enhanced Livelihoods:** The project aims to create short term opportunities for 65 workers such as women, youth, and persons with disabilities.
- **Empowered Communities:** Through skills development and capacity building initiatives, the project aims to empower individuals and communities. The vocational training programs and entrepreneurship support will enhance the employability and entrepreneurial skills of participants, enabling them to seize economic opportunities and become self-reliant.
- **Environmental Sustainability:** The project's focus on incorporating environmentally friendly practices will contribute to environmental sustainability. This includes minimizing negative impacts on the ecosystem, conserving natural resources, and promoting sustainable land use.
- **Improved Social Cohesion:** The project's efforts to promote social and economic inclusion, particularly for vulnerable groups, will contribute to improved social cohesion.
- **Enhanced Local Capacities:** The project aims to strengthen local capacities through stakeholder engagement and participation. By involving local communities, municipalities, and relevant authorities in project planning, implementation, and maintenance, the project will enhance their skills, knowledge, and ownership of the infrastructure.

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