Mid-Term Review of the program "Improvement of the Local Self-Governance System in Armenia"

UNDP Component: Internal Review – June 24-25

Objective

In a participatory manner, review project approach, assess outcomes of the UNDP contribution towards empowerment of women in local governance and politics, define challenges and ways forward.

Methods

- Focus Group Discussion with beneficiaries in the field (Syunik and Vayots Dzor)
- Interview with key local stakeholders
- Internal reflections session with the UNDP team

Program - June 24

Time	Sessions	Participants
9:00	Departure to Areni, Vayots Dzor	
11:00	Interview with Armenuhi Tsaturyan, the local council member in Areni and/or Sergei Arustamyan, the Mayor of Areni (tbc)	Armenuhi is a beneficiary for 'advancing women's leadership' component.
		Areni is a community that integrated SMS-polling tool in the pilot phase.
11:30	Focus group discussion in Areni Municipality with the Vayots Dzor project beneficiaries of the following components: advancing the women's empowerment and women and leadership components	Women serving in LSG (Local Council members, new potential candidates for LSF elections) Young women and men from "I am the Community" Leadership model
14:00	Departure to Tatev community (center in Shinuhayr village)	
16:00	Interview with the Head of Community and the Secretary (tbc)	The SMS-polling tool is in currently being installed in the Tatev cluster
17:00	Departure to Goris	

June 25

Time	Sessions	Participants
10:00	Focus group discussion in Goris (Women's Resource Center) with the project Syunik marz beneficiaries of the following components: advancing the women's empowerment and women and leadership component	Women serving in LSG (Local Council members, new potential candidates for LSF elections) Young women and men from "I am the Community" Leadership model
12:00	Interview with Goris Mayor	
13:00	Departure from Goris to Yerevan	
14:00 – 16:00	Session with UNDP team: Summarizing findings, conclusions and lessons	UNDP team