

District Report

Sindhupalchok

9 – 15 February 2018

Activity Summary

Activity	Contact Person	Reference Document
4W update, Follow up to POs for partner satisfaction survey	lm.sindhupalchok@hrrpnepal.org	
Support to POs sharing mason training database and POs reconstruction progress	lm.sindhupalchok@hrrpnepal.org	
Field visit to Haibung, Thakani and Sindhukot	Techcord.sindhupalchok@hrrpnepal.org	

Upcoming Events & Meetings

Event / Meeting	Date, Time, and Location	Contact Person
Palika level meeting in Melamchi N.P.	TBC	Techcord.sindhupalchok@hrrpnepal.org

To include details of upcoming events and meetings in the next bulletin, please share details with techcord.sindhupalchok@hrrpnepal.org by COB Wednesday of each week.

Field Visit Reports

Date	Location	Participants
15-16 February, 2018	Haibung, Thakani, Sindhukot and Bhotechaur	Aarju Basnet, Niranjana Poudel, Prerana Karki, Sagar Jung Thapa

Objective(s)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To observe the reconstruction pace after the extension of deadline for 2nd tranche in Haibung To observe the mason training in Sindhukot conducted by DUDBC and 3 days mobile mason program in Thakani by EHRP, JICA
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Summary	Description of field visit (maximum 300 words)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A three-days mobile mason program was conducted to 22 participants (all male) of Thakani VDC(Melamchi-4). As the deadline has been extended for 2 months and villages do not have enough technicians, EHRP JICA has selected 11 masons out of all the participants which included certified skilled masons of Thakani. They will be paid Rs. 25,000 a month and will be mobilized in all the wards of Thakani to support house-owners to reconstruct houses. The program was conducted from 13-15 Feb, and a day long orientation will be given to all the selected masons before they are mobilized in the field. The trainers were Er.Sagar Jung Thapa and Er.Asmit Gautam, EHRP JICA engineers. DUDBC has been conducting a 7-days mason training to 30 masons in Sindhukot(Melamchi-5) from 28 Magh-5th Falgun. The trainers are Er. Deepak Tiwari, Er. Bijay Tharu, Sub Er. Dhanijar Chaudhary, all from DLPIU. All the masons are male. There are 12 CBRC in Haibung, 17 in Thakani each of which consists of 7 members, formed through the coordination of EHRP JICA and NRA. Each CBRC will be supported by one mobile mason as per

requirement. However, as Thakani has 85% reconstruction progress, 12 mobile masons will suffice. Haibung has 40% progress. Sindhukot has 70%, Bhotechaur has 75% reconstruction progress and has 14 CBRC.

- Haibung has slow progress (40%) because people are still not aware to reconstruct houses, and most of them had already spent first tranche during Dashain. The economic condition of people there is comparatively very poor.

Photos



Mason Training in Sindhukot



Houses in Haibung are still undismantled as such technology are not available there. This house lies in Chisopani, Haibung, which is a famous trekking route, it is at a risk of collapsing anytime, and the route lies underneath it, which is a threat to trekkers.



Practical in mason training in Sindhukot.

Housing Typology Report



A case of compliant house in Chisopani, Haibung, which has received 2nd tranche. Stone in cement mortar masonry house.



This house is a single bay on both side RCC structure. It has been rejected for 2nd tranche because the photos were not clear in inspection files.