Project Components Facts sheet: Guyana

Caribbean Small Island Developing States (SIDS) Multicountry Soil Management Initiative for Integrated Landscape Restoration and Sustainable Food Systems:

Phase 1 (CSIDS-SOILCARE Phase 1) PISLM CSIDS-SOILCARE Project.

Component 2 Intervention Sites

Guyana has three (3) intervention sites. Arakaka was selected for intervention under component 2 of the project. This component focuses "Addressing the drivers of land degradation through the rehabilitation of land and soil degraded areas; the promotion of integrated landscape management and restoration and the identification and implementation of livelihood alternatives for communities". Arakaka is a small community located in Region 1, known for farming, logging, and mining. It faces challenges with erosion and water availability among others.



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Component 3 Intervention Site

Little Biabu is the selected intervention site under this component which looks at "Resilience Building to Land Degradation, Natural Disasters and Climate Change through Climate Smart Agriculture and Drought Risk Management". Little Biabu is a small agricultural community located in Region 5. Land degradation is evident through the decline in biodiversity, soil erosion, and a decline in water quantity and quality.

Component 4 Intervention Site

This component focuses on the "Enhancement of Food Systems and Alternative Livelihoods through promoting agricultural and livestock production systems innovations and mobilization of the Private Sector in Support of LDN Special Climate Change Fund (SCCF)". The area selected for intervention of this component is Kimbia. Kimbia is a small farming and logging community located in Region 10. Its main land degradation issues are soil contamination/erosion, vegetation reduction, and a reduction in water availability.

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