
STABILITY IN KEY AREA – EAST PROGRAM (SIKA-EAST)

PROGRAM WEEKLY UPDATES:

- Draft SIKA gender strategy is in review process
- SIKA East team met with SIKA Coordinator, NSP, NABDP and ministry Gender team discussing a gender strategy for SIKA-E.
- SIKA-E kick off meeting 7-8 Feb. with MRRD provincial directors, female MRRD representatives, and key SIKA staff was successful. The MRRD input into the process of creating an Afghan version of DSF was valuable as well as their ideas on rolling-out DSF workshops at the district level.
- SIKA-E presented SIKA to IDLG leadership with USAID today at 11:00am.
- Work continues on creating an Afghan version of the District Stability Framework
- IR1 staff internal DSF training continued
- A SIKA roll-out plan for Baraki Barak, Logar Province scheduled for mid-March was completed and is in the review process
- Working on Property Control Manual is in progress.
- Financial reconciliation of ASOP donated items are in progress
- Reconciling and merging SIKA purchased items and ASOP donated items
- Coordination meeting for final decision to prepare the PMP based on Intermediate Results
- The first draft of PMP is completed and circulated for internal review with SIKA
- Making ready the Inventory Master List for One Source program to input
- Prepared the R & I report of tangible items and reported for the IML record.
- From 4-9 Feb 12 hired (7), 2 female, and 5 male. Under process with AECOM 11, OSC 12, IRD 6.
- Total SIKA-East under process 29.
- The information for the four Provincial and eight District profiles continued to be gathered and analyzed.
- The Communications Team is beginning the process of putting together the promotional materials for SIKA-East's promo-pack that will be part of the introductory material presented to PE and DE counterparts.