Somalia Action Plan

Planning for Safe, Inclusive and Resilient Cities TDD
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1. Citizens engagement and community participation is a key for any development

2. Neighborhood association, local government empowerment can make cities become resilient

3. Effective and inclusive Social development and strong PPP can improve the economy and country’s development

4. Building trust and relationship between the local government and national government can serve the best interest of its people and citizens

5. How academia and civil society are contributing the social development in Japan
Somalia Accomplishments Needed

1. Building Resilience and durable solutions for the IDPs, returnees and vulnerable host communities to Improve long term the social and livelihood problems

2. Institutional building to be strengthened; Financially, politically and administratively

3. To improve basic social services and sustainable, economic infrastructure such as affordable energy

4. To improve the urban infrastructure and Land policy and regulations

5. Creation of employment opportunities of youth
Somalia Actions to be Taken

- **Short-term: (Next One year)**
  - Mobilize resources and experts in the areas of Municipal governance and finance, urban plans/land use plans, crime and violence by TDLC.
  - Peer to peer learning on citizens engagement, community participation and neighborhood association from cities like, Osaka city (Airin district) and MEDELLIN, by TDLC.

- **Medium-term@2-5 years**
  - Intergovernmental coordination mechanism/ such as division of labor across different levels of government.
  - Capacity building on urban planning, mobilization of financing and implementation to be strengthened; by National government and TDLC.
  - Creation of employment opportunities of youth, by National government, Municipality, TDLC.

- **Long-term: (More than 5 years)**
  - Building Resilience and durable solutions for the IDPs, returnees and vulnerable host communities to improve long term the social and livelihood problems by National Government, Municipally and WB and other partners.
  - To improve the urban infrastructure and Land policy and regulations, by Municipality, TDLC or other implementing partners.
Barrier/Challenge of Implementation of Plan

1. Lack of urban infrastructure fund, and Human capital & <institutional building, mobilize resources

2. Massive IDPs, returnees and vulnerable host communities & <Make permanent shelter and creating livelihood opportunities

3. Environmental impact such as drought and famine <long term durable solutions and resilience

4. Instability and insecurity
Somalia grants and TA Active or Needed

- **Technical Assistance Work Planned:**
  - Organize and train technical experts both National and local government
  - UN, EU, WB and AfDB, DFID and USAID

**Investment Work Planned:**
- Establishment of research institute
- Establish technical school that can provide skills for the unemployed youth
- Mega infrastructure projects
Somalia Support Needed

- **World Bank:**
  - Financing and facilitation
  - Technical and institutional building support

- **TDLC Program (Japan)**
  - Follow up and expert deployment
  - Information, experience and knowledge sharing, Municipal financing

- **Knowledge Products (Case Studies, Policy Notes, etc.)**
  - Development plan models, Land policy,
Thank You