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FUNDING PROPOSAL TO THE GREEN CLIMATE FUND

-IRES-CUBA-

**INCREASED CLIMATE RESILIENCE OF RURAL HOUSEHOLDS
AND COMMUNITIES THROUGH THE REHABILITATION OF
PRODUCTIVE AGROFORESTRY LANDSCAPES IN SELECTED
LOCALITIES OF THE REPUBLIC OF CUBA**

ANNEX 5

IMPLEMENTATION TIMETABLE

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Republic of Cuba

IMPLEMENTATION TIMELINE IRES-CUBA

IRES PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION TIMELINE								
ACTIVITY		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7
Outcome 1: Increased CC-resilient production landscapes through investment in innovative agroforestry and sylvopastoral systems, reforestation with close-to-nature planted forests (CTNPFs) and assisted natural forest regeneration								
1.1	Restore approximately 15,544 ha of farmland from Marabu, and increase CC-resilience through sustainable agroforestry (AF), CTNPFs and assisted natural regeneration (mitigation co-benefit 833,950.60 million tCO₂-eq. in 7 years of implementation)							
1.1.1:	Procure identified technologies and equipment	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
1.1.2:	Develop training materials for operations and maintenance	x	x	x				
Deliverable	a) Training materials developed	x	x	x				
1.1.3:	Train 74 machinery operators	x	x					
Deliverable	b) 74 machinery operators trained		x					
1.1.4:	Apply technologies to marabu eradication on 15,544 ha	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	c) 15,544 hectares of marabu eradicated							x
1.1.5:	Construct 896 water security systems (storage facilities and irrigation)	x	x	x	x	x		
Deliverable	d) 452 water reservoirs constructed					x		
1.1.6:	Establish and implement agroforestry, reforestation and assisted natural regeneration modules	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	e) Agroforestry, assisted natural regeneration and reforestation modules established and under implementation							x
1.2	Restore approximately 20,189 ha of rangeland with compacted soils and increase CC-resilience through improved sylvopastoral systems (mitigation net co-benefit 381,311.51 million t CO₂-eq. in 7 years of implementation)							
1.2.1:	Procure and field identified technologies and equipment	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
1.2.2:	Develop training materials	x	x	x				
Deliverable	f) Training materials developed for machinery operations	x	x	x				
1.2.3:	Train 68 machinery operators	x	x					
Deliverable	g) 68 machinery operators trained		x					

1.2.4:	Implement sub-soiling of 20,189 hectares of compacted rangeland	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	h) 20,189 hectares of compacted soils improved							x
1.2.5:	Construct 700 small water reservoirs for livestock	x	x	x	x	x		
Deliverable	i) 700 small water reservoirs constructed					x		
1.2.6:	Establish and implement sylvopastoral modules, including improved grazing systems	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	j) sylvopastoral modules established and under implementation						x	
Outcome 2: Strengthened institutional and farmer capacities to improve ecosystem services through agroforestry and forestry systems and enhance the climate-resilience of production landscapes								
2.1	Increase institutional capacities to support farmers and producers' organizations to establish and maintain agroforestry, sylvopastoral and forestry systems for improved ecosystem services							
2.1.1:	Develop training materials for use by trainers of extensionists	x	x	x	x	x	x	
Deliverable	k) Training materials developed for trainers of extensionists	x	x	x	x	x	x	
2.1.2:	Train 443 extension service technicians, agricultural technicians, and cooperative leaders to lead farmers in gender and age-sensitive learning-by-doing regarding the implementation, operations an	x	x					
Deliverable	l) 443 extension service technicians, agricultural technicians, and cooperative leaders/administrators trained		x					
2.1.3:	Development of supplementary learning materials and information on CC, ecosystem function and services, agroecology, agroforestry and forestry systems, and farm economics;	x	x					
2.2	Train agricultural producers to collectively revitalize and manage production landscapes through climate resilience-enhancing agroforestry, sylvopastoral and forestry systems for gender-equitable climate-resilient agriculture and ecosystem services							
2.2.1:	Establish or strengthen existing Farmer Field Schools (17) in the seven municipalities based on type of agroforestry, sylvopastoral or forestry system to be implemented and logistical and other consi	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	m) 17 Farmer Field Schools established						x	
2.2.2:	Implementation of 17 Farmer Field Schools and training of 15,549 farmers using the participatory research and learning-by-doing approach.	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	n) 15,549 farmers, of which 50% are female, trained in revitalization and management of production landscapes for climate-resilient agriculture and ecosystem services							x

Outcome 3: Effective governance to support climate resilience-enhancing production systems and ecosystem services								
3.1	Develop, discuss and analyze options for policy reforms to support implementation of agroforestry, sylvopastoral and forestry systems for landscape resilience through improved ecosystem services							
3.1.1:	Ten workshops with expert assistance and input (international and national experts) to facilitate inter-institutional analyses and discussions regarding policy objectives, needs and options for the m	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	o) Workshops/expert leading to analyses, discussions, options	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
3.1.2:	Definition and discussion of institutional modifications or adaptations in support of the different options for policy reforms to support landscape resilience through improved ecosystem services;		x	x	x	x		
3.1.3:	Development of specific proposals for policy reforms;		x	x	x	x		
Deliverable	p) Proposals for reforms of policy, regulatory, planning instruments		x	x	x	x		
3.1.4:	Discussion of reform proposals at national level.		x	x				
3.2	Establish a Landscape Resilience Fund to support adoption and implementation of agroforestry, sylvopastoral and forestry systems in support of landscape resilience through ecosystem service enhancement							
3.2.1:	Expert analyses of existing funds (FONADEF, SCF) and other funds both regionally and globally;	x	x	x				
3.2.2:	Ten workshops to analyze and develop options for a Landscape Resilience Fund to support implementation of landscape resilience policies on the ground;	x	x	x	x			
3.2.3:	Design of a Landscape Resilience Fund to support resilience-enhancing land use by farmers and producers' organizations;		x	x	x	x		
3.2.4:	Formal legal establishment of the Landscape Resilience Fund;	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	q) Landscape Resilience Fund established and operational							x
3.2.5:	Elaboration of communication strategy and materials, and dissemination.	x	x		x			x
Deliverable	r) Communication strategy and materials Workshops/expertise	x	x		x			x
3.3	Strengthen planning, governance and coordination at the landscape level in support of landscape resilience through enhancement of ecosystem services							
3.3.1:	Train 30 senior management staff from 10 local branches of established organizations (Asociacion Cubana de Tecnicos Agricolas y Forestales - ACTAF, Asociacion Cubana de Produccion Animal - ACPA, As	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	s) 30 leaders of local organizations trained to participate in local planning/decision making processes							x

3.3.2:	Multi-level review and analysis of landscape resilience policies and planning instruments as a framework for adaptive landscape management;	x	x	x	x	x		
Deliverable	t) Existing landscape planning instruments integrate climate adaptation and mitigation principles and considerations						x	
3.3.3:	Fifteen workshops to strengthen coordination in local landscape governance structures for climate change adaptation: Comision de Reforestacion, Grupo de Bahia, Comision de Cuencas Hidrograficas, Comi	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Deliverable	u) Local institutional staff trained to produce and negotiate agreements for governance of landscape resources							x
REPORTING								
	APR	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Baseline, during inception of the project	x						
	An interim evaluation (Mid-Term) report within three years from the start of the project implementation (first quarter of the fourth year)				x			
	Final evaluation report will be due within 6 months from the end of project implementation							x