

### QUICK FACTS

Funded by	Bread for the World (BftW)
Duration	2 years (April 2023 - April 2025)
Lead Organization	Climate Action Network Tanzania (CAN Tanzania)
Other partners	First Vice President Office Sustainable Agriculture Tanzania CAN Network Members



### BACKGROUND

Tanzanian coastal areas and Zanzibar islands have complex and dynamic systems in terms of both human activity and biophysical conditions. They carry a substantial proportion of the national population and support several community livelihood options. Unfortunately, in Zanzibar, the economy, and the livelihood sectors of 87% of the population are climate sensitive with high levels of vulnerability (especially agriculture, freshwater, settlement, fisheries, and tourism) and face environmental degradation. Other linked challenges include droughts, storms, temperature rise, strong wind speed, saltwater intrusion, coastal erosion and displacement, impaired drinking water and soil fertility, and floods. These climate change and variability challenges are resulting in significant economic costs, loss of life, poverty, and other human capital which compromise food and water security for most local communities. Therefore, the project contributes to developing climate resilience to local communities in Zanzibar.



### OBJECTIVES



Improved climate change adaptation practices in the selected project areas by 2025



Zanzibar political frameworks (Zanzibar Climate Change Strategy and/or Zanzibar Environment Policy strategies) have been updated in a participative manner and are coherent with the NDC.

### STAKEHOLDERS

- \* Community members (farmers and fish-folks)
- \* Local Government Authorities
- \* Tour operators and Hoteliers
- \* Research and Academia organizations
- \* Media and Journalists
- \* CAN TZ Network Members
- \* CSOs and NGOs
- \* Government institutions and policy makers
- \* Religious leaders

### EXPECTED OUTCOMES



To reach a wide variety of target groups, actors, and authorities with diverse perspectives on climate change, vulnerability experiences, and even skills. Thus, the project will address the issues at stake in a decentralized and inclusive manner, and it may lead to more collaborative approaches from which the local to national levels in Zanzibar may benefit.



Through its implementation, this project will attract a greater number of stakeholders and actors who will wish to participate in its implementation, thereby generating diverse expectations that may not be completely and satisfactorily met within the project lifetime.



Political dynamics may facilitate or impede project implementations in Zanzibar; the project will seek to ensure that political perspectives are well observed and considered to avoid political interferences and will seek to take advantage of the political situation to ensure that CAN Tanzania recommendations are well considered by decision-makers (politicians).