Inter-cluster Minutes
16th November 2016 | NDMO NEOC, Port Vila

LEAD	Shadrack Welegtabit		
NOTES	Lopanga Yerta		
ATTENDEES	Greg Vaughan		
	Peter Korisa		
	Patrick Haines		
	Paul Bourne		
	David Kipson		
	Paulo Malatu		
APOLOGIES			
AGENDA	1. Welcome (NDMO)		
	2. Previous minutes (NDMO)		
	3. Short term weather forecast (VMGD)		
	4. Country Preparedness Package (NDMO)		
	5. Very short update from clusters on recent activity (ALL)		
	6. New project update: Pacific Local Suppliers Engagement (Australian Red Cross)		
	7. Any other business (All)		
	i. Introduction of new NDMO Logistics TA		
DISCUSSION	1. Welcome (NDMO)		
Shadrack Welegtabit (Director - NDMO) welcomes everyone to the Inter-Cluster Meeting			
ACTIONS	RESPONSIBILITY		
None	None None		

DISCUSSION	2. Previous Minutes	
• The 18-Nov-2016 inter-cluster meeting minute was reviewed.		
Health cluster – dengue case		
Based on the health cluster meeting update from Greg -		
- there is a sharp increase in the dengue cases from 89-109 [especially in densely populated areas]		
 information campaign is in order – awareness/newspaper 		
ACTIONS	RESPONSIBILITY	DEADLINE
None		

DISCUSSION	3. Weather forecast (V	VMGD)	
Climate su	• Climate summary:		
• Th	 The 5 day outlook shows no signs of cyclones. 		
• Th	• There is a TL (Tropical low) North West of Fiji – too early to tell if it will form into a TC (Tropical Cyclone)		
• If	• If it forms to a cyclone, it will be a Category 1		
• He	 Heavy rain and rough sea is expected in the central and southern parts of Vanuatu. 		
ACTIONS	ACTIONS RESPONSIBILITY DEADLINE		
To put up	NDMO	If the low pressure forms into a cyclone	
appropriate			
advisory			
message			

DISCUSSION 4. Country preparedness package (NDMO)			
Not discussed			
ACTIONS	RESPONSIBILITIES	DEADLINE	
None.			

DISCUSSION 5. Short Update from clusters on recent activity (ALL)

• After 2 notices of the inter-cluster meeting, WASH cluster was the only one present and provided a brief update on its recent activities.

• WASH Cluster:

- Assessment
 - ✓ Set up a Standby assessment team (27 team members composed of NGO and Gov.)
 - ✓ Standby team to provide support to NEOC
 - ✓ Aim to conduct a refresher training but time does not allow
- Strategic documents in final phase
 - ✓ Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) finalized yet to launch
 - ✓ Construction Standard finalized
 - ✓ Drinking water quality finalized
- Water activity
 - ✓ Recruited provincial water coordinators can help to coordinate assessment
 - ✓ Progressing well water issues are back to normal [esp. Ambae & Pentecost] people are moving back to their homes.
 - ✓ West Ambae continues with drilling
 - ✓ North Pentecost's topography does not coop well with drilling
 - ✓ Monitoring water source at Mele Village
- Elnino fund
 - ✓ Distributed according to mapped activities
 - ✓ 20 tanks shipped to Torba
 - ✓ Used on small scale requests
 - ✓ NDMO Director proposed some of the fund to be used on the outstanding issue of freighting water tanks to Tanna
- A water committee has been formed based on gender equality.

ACTIONS RESPONSIBILITY		DEADLINE

DISCUSSION	6. New project update: Pacific Local Suppliers Engagement (Australian Red Cross)		
Not discussed			
ACTIONS	RESPONSIBILITY	DEADLINE	

DISCUSSION	7. AOB		
Introduced Paul Bourne - New Logistics TA			
ACTIONS	RESPONSIBILITY	DEADLINE	
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Meeting Adjourned: 11am – 16th December 2016