

PROJECT SUMMARY

Zimbabwe



PROJECT NAME

Technical Assistance for Raising Ambition and Operationalization of a Climate Finance Facility to Support NDC implementation in Zimbabwe

GRANT OBJECTIVE AND ACTIVITIES

This project will strengthen Zimbabwe's capacity for implementing its NDC and establish and operationalize the Climate Finance Facility (CFF). In preparation for the project, the World Bank participated in consultations with the Government of Zimbabwe and the NDC Partnership to raise ambition and accelerate NDC implementation in Zimbabwe ahead of the UNFCCC's NDC stocktake for COP26. In 2021, the World Bank will support Zimbabwe in conducting consultations and draft an expanded NDC report as part of the [NDC Partnership's](#) Climate Action Enhancement Package (CAEP). The World Bank will also support the Infrastructure Development Bank of Zimbabwe (IDBZ) to establish and host the CFF, which will focus on green infrastructure projects for both adaptation and mitigation. The IDBZ is undergoing the accreditation process to become a national implementing entity (NIE) for the Green Climate Fund (GCF). Finally, the project will support the implementation of Zimbabwe's NDC Partnership Plan (2019-2022) to increase capacities of the Ministry of Finance and Economic Development and key national stakeholders to access, mobilize and manage climate finance. This proposal is consistent with the World Bank's twin goals of ending extreme poverty and boosting shared prosperity by 2030, as well as the World Bank Africa Strategy for 2019-2023. The Strategy prioritizes support for climate change mitigation and adaptation, and advances efforts to adopt renewable energy, climate-smart agriculture, and green infrastructure.

COUNTRY FOCAL POINTS

Climate Change Management Department (CCMD), Ministry of Environment, Climate, Tourism and Hospitality Industry (METCI), Ministry of Finance and Economic Development (MoFED), Infrastructure Development Bank of Zimbabwe (IDBZ),

WORLD BANK GROUP PRACTICE

- Agriculture
- Energy and Extractives
- Environment, Natural Resources, and Blue Economy

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