

## Woreda-level participatory land use planning for pastoral areas in Ethiopia

**Project Title:** P663 - 5.1.1 Enhancing Tenure Security

**Description of the innovation:** Woreda-level participatory land use planning (WLUP) is a process undertaken by district-level government experts working with local land users to develop a land use plan for better managing and protecting rangelands and for Woreda development planning. Joint WPLUP has also been introduced to prevent rangeland fragmentation, learning from joint village land use planning in Tanzania. A drylands-specific land capability classification is included. PIM and LIVESTOCK provided significant technical support to the development of WPLUP.

**New Innovation:** No

**Stage of innovation:** Stage 4: uptake by next user (USE)

**Innovation type:** Social Science

**Geographic Scope:** National

**Number of individual improved lines/varieties:** <Not Applicable>

**Country(ies):**

- Ethiopia

**Outcome Impact Case Report:** <Not Defined>

**Description of Stage reached:** After the piloting stage and additional stakeholder consultations, the process was finalized and a manual produced. The manual was launched by the Ministry of Agriculture in 2019, followed by trainings.

**Name of lead organization/entity to take innovation to this stage:** ILRI - International Livestock Research Institute

**Names of top five contributing organizations/entities to this stage:**

- ILC - International Land Coalition
- GIZ - Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit / German Society for International Cooperation
- Oxfam
- MoANR - Ministry of Agriculture and Natural Resources (Ethiopia)

**Milestones:**

- In collaboration with policy makers, innovative tenure security-enhancing innovations are tested across relevant contexts in 5 countries (cumulative total)
- Staff from research, civil society and development organization staff are trained in Flagship 5 methods

**Sub-IDs:**

- 28 - Increased resilience of agro-ecosystems and communities, especially those including smallholders
- 25 - More productive and equitable management of natural resources
- 13 - Increased access to productive assets, including natural resources

**Contributing Centers/PPA partners:**

- ILRI - International Livestock Research Institute

**Evidence link:**

- <https://cgspace.cgiar.org/handle/10568/99262>

**Deliverables associated:**

- D13884 - Guidelines for establishing a monitoring system in grazing areas including physical baseline survey or participatory rangeland resource assessment (<https://cgspace.cgiar.org/handle/10568/109910>)
- D21112 - Innovations to help secure pastoral land tenure and governance (<https://tinyurl.com/yanr4ch3>)
- D3999 - Report on the different approaches to participatory rangeland management and analytical framework for measuring success of PRM interventions (<https://cgspace.cgiar.org/handle/10568/67916>)
- D3996 - Woreda Participatory Land Use Planning (WPLUP) in pastoral and agro-pastoral areas. Volume I: Manual (<https://cgspace.cgiar.org/handle/10568/99262>)
- D19448 - Launch of woreda participatory land use planning manual (<https://cgspace.cgiar.org/handle/10568/105545>)

**Contributing CRPs/Platforms:**

- PIM - Policies, Institutions, and Markets
- Livestock - Livestock