



**Program: Replenish Africa Initiative (RAIN)**

**Principal partners: The Coca-Cola Foundation (TCCCF) and Global Environment and Technology Foundation (GETF)**

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| <b>Country:</b>                   | Uganda                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <b>Funding:</b>                   | \$290,000 – TCCCF<br>\$230,000 – NWSC<br>\$10,000 – WSUP                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Location or Project Site:</b>  | <i>Bwaise II Programme</i><br>Bwaise II Parish of Kampala, Uganda                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Project Duration:</b>          | December 2010 – June 2011                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>Beneficiaries:</b>             | 15,000 low-income urban consumers                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Key Implementing Partners:</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Local Coca-Cola Bottler- Century Bottling Co., Ltd.</li> <li>National Water and Sewage Corporation (NWSC)</li> <li>WaterAid Uganda (WAU)</li> <li>Water and Sanitation for the Urban Poor (WSUP)</li> </ul> |

**Program Background:**

- Grant period :** 2010-2015 (6 years)
- Program Description :** RAIN supports a wide-range of water-related projects in response to Africa’s significant challenges in meeting the MDGs on water. Projects fall under the categories of water supply, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH); productive use of water; and watershed protection.
- Partnership :** In 2009, The Coca-Cola Company announced a \$30 million commitment over the next six years to provide access to safe drinking water to communities throughout Africa through its Replenish Africa Initiative (RAIN). Implemented by The Coca-Cola Africa Foundation, RAIN will provide at least 2 million Africans with clean water and sanitation by 2015.
- Implementation :** RAIN currently supports 42 projects in 30 countries across the African continent and by 2015 will launch over 100 water programs across Africa.

**Country Project Description:**

**Uganda:** Bwaise Urban Water Access Program

**Activities Summary:** Increase community access to safe and affordable water services for 15,000 urban poor in Kampala, improve levels of sanitation and hygiene practiced in the community, improve awareness in Bwaise II community of effective solid waste management processes, improve institutional capacity in pro-poor service delivery

**Status Update:** In Progress

**Impact:**

- Access to safe water and sanitation will improve the quality of life of 15,000 the residents through reduction in morbidity and mortality resulting from WASH related diseases. As a result of the good health, there will be an improvement in the socio-economic status of the community, boosting household incomes, higher school enrolment of children, as well as gender empowerment through the community mobilization efforts. Baseline of disease prevalence/disease burden and other HDI indicators will be taken and monitored through the project time frames.
- The project is expected to strengthen the NWSC pro-poor institutional and policy framework, as well as the collaborative mechanisms with KCC, the communities and the private sector.
- The Kampala Sanitation Programme – a US\$50 million Africa Development Bank funded programme extending the city sewer network – for Bwaise II to be reached with mains sewerage. If these plans come to fruition, the improved water supply to the Bwaise II community will enable effective use and performance of the system.
- Increase the consumer base of NWSC and ultimately the revenue collected as formal connections increase and illegal connections and water losses decrease.

