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**“Community Center for Development” territorial
cooperation NGO**



About us

Vision

Implement competitive, viable, honest and socially responsible activities addressed to public, non-governmental fields and private sector.

Mission

To be the leader in the field of developing non-governmental, international, business and community services and be a preferable partner offering consulting, educational, researching, program developing, evaluation services and competitive solutions.

Values

“Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO follows these principles in collaborating with partners and customers.

- Exceeding expectations of partners and customers
- Keeping permanent contact with partners and customers
- Trust towards partners and customers
- Responsibility and privacy
- Mutual understanding of customers' and partners' needs
- Team work, cooperation and individual efforts in overall activities
- Creative and individual approach, flexibility and quickness in implementing projects and providing services
- Organizing works efficiently
- Open and transparent working environment
- Integrating modern information technologies
- Providing continuous professional development

Staff

The main staff has proper professional education and has attended additional trainings in educational institutions both in Armenia and abroad. They obtained proper experience when working in frames of projects implemented by the organization and by cooperating with foreign experts. The head of the organization regularly implements evaluation of staff professional capacities and needs, encourages team work and organizes staff motivating events. The organization has local and foreign volunteers and work with contractual consultants and trainers on need basis.

Hasmik Azibekyan NGO President



Hasmik Azibekyan has more than 20 years' work experience in non-governmental and private sectors. Before starting her work in "Community Center for Development" territorial cooperation NGO she worked as Armenian Red Cross Noyemberyan branch Project Manager, Tavush Region Development program consultant, SME and agricultural field development team leader, as well as head of "Business Connections" Business Support international Center LLC. She managed numerous local and international projects. Hasmik has degrees in philology and economics.

Ani Harutyunyan Program Manager



Ani Harutyunyan joined "Community Center for Development" territorial cooperation NGO team in 2005. She previously worked in Noyemberyan High school as an English teacher and in Project Harmony Armenian filial as an Educational Coordinator in Tavush region. She managed a number of local and international programs, participated in many international trainings. She has a bachelor degree in English philology.

Lala Mamyan Financial Manager



Lala Mamyan joined "Support for Noyemberyan" NGO (renamed "Community Center for Development" territorial cooperation NGO) team in October, 2015. She previously worked in Navi-Noy LLC as an accountant. She has participated in a number of trainings. Lala has a Master's Degree in economics.

Ruzan Harutyunyan Project Coordinator



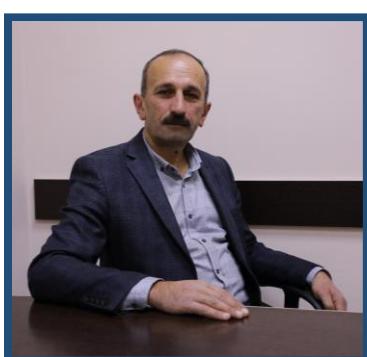
Ruzan Harutyunyan joined “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO team in 2019, as an investment expert. She previously worked in Armenian Rolan Bykov Foundation, first as PR Manager, later as Director Assistant. She was the Project Assistant of more than 10 local and international projects. She has a Bachelor’s Degree in Philology and Pedagogics and a Master’s Degree in Literary Studies.

Khachik Gishyan Resource and Community Mobilization Assistant



Khachik Gishyan joined “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO team in 2023 as Resource and Community Mobilization Assistant of “Smart Noyemberyan” project funded by USAID. Before joining the team, he worked in a number of community organizations. He has many years of work experience in the field of local government. He was the deputy mayor of Noyemberyan Community for more than ten years.

Armen Amiraghyan Field Coordinator



Armen Amiraghyan joined “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO team in 2023 as Field Coordinator of “Smart Noyemberyan” project funded by USAID. He graduated from Mechanical and Journalism faculties of Yerevan Polytechnical Institute. In 1999, he founded and still manages Noyemberyan Intellectual Education Club. He has many years of pedagogical experience. In 2016-2021 he was the assistant to the head of Noyemberyan community.

Roman Sargsyan
Youth program manager,
technical manager



Roman Sargsyan joined “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO team in 2016 as Capacity Activities Assistant of “Tavush Region Integrated and Balanced Economic Development” project co-funded by EU and RA Government. He has attended numerous trainings: web design and development, multimedia design, digital media development, business management etc.

Activity

“Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO expands activities in frontline Tavush region of Armenia and over a decade the NGO has been supporting and actively cooperating with Tavush region SMEs, community based and civic society organizations.

With the main goal of supporting Tavush region community social economic development, “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO provides assistance to 3 main target groups offering educational, consulting, research, informational and capacity development services and projects:

1. Community based organizations support

- Professional capacity development of local authority representatives through trainings and consulting.
- Improving community infrastructures, installing waterlines, repairing roads, providing furniture, equipment and other humanitarian aid to community based educational institutions.
- Health facilities capacity development through providing new services towards improving target group services and providing with new equipment.

2. Civic society support

- Professional capacity development of representatives from NGOs, civic active groups and farms through creating coalitions and cooperatives, providing professional trainings and consulting.

3. Small and Medium Enterprises support

- SME capacity development (trainings and consulting on management, marketing, strategy and business plans development, accounting, tax and labor legislation). We provide assistance to SME field representatives on developing international investment projects, exporting goods and finding foreign partners, and farmers-to establish product reprocessing enterprises and obtaining agricultural equipment.

Detailed information on implemented projects is provided in the proper section of the web site (ccd.am).

SERVICES

1. Consulting

1.1. Support to community structures

- Community sustainable development projects
- Community strategic planning development
- Community projects efficient management
- Community investment projects development
- Community hall staff professional skills development

1.2. Support to civic society structures

- NGO regulation development
- International grant projects development
- NGO strategic planning development
- Management
- Social enterprising model development
- Accounting and financing consultancy
- NGO staff members professional skills development

1. 3. Support to SMEs

- Business plan development
- Investment projects development
- Management
- Marketing
- Accounting and financial consultancy

1.4. Corporative social responsibility

- Strategic development of corporative social responsibility
- Empowering production supply network
- Developing goods and services quality standards
- Exporting goods and services

1.5. HR management

- HR management and strategy development
- Developing HR manual
- Developing organizational structure

2. Trainings

2.1. Support to community structures

- Development of regional local authorities' skills
- Community hall staff leadership skills development
- Revealing community needs
- Community mobilization methods
- Community development strategic planning

2.2. Support to civic society structures

- Project proposal writing skills
- NGO strategic planning development
- Management
- Social enterprising model development
- Accounting and financial management
- NGO staff members professional skills development
- Fundraising
- Project control and evaluation
- Logical framework

2.3. Support to SMEs

- Business plan development
- Investment plan development
- Management
- Marketing
- Accounting and financial management

2.4. Corporative social responsibility

- Strategic development of corporative social responsibility
- Empowering production supply network

2.5. HR management

- HR management and strategy development
- Developing HR manual

IMPLEMENTED PROJECTS

“Smart Noyemberyan” project



“Smart Noyemberyan” is a three-year project carried out by the “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO under USAID’s “Local Works Support to Consolidated Communities in Armenia” project.

The Project aims to increase the capacity and resilience of Noyemberyan Consolidated Community through strengthening its capacity and commitment to lead its development; and enhancing citizen engagement and oversight in Noyemberyan Consolidated Community decision making process.

“Smart Noyemberyan” project has the following target beneficiaries: Noyemberyan local population, general public of Armenia, local authorities, SMEs, ministries, international organizations, embassies, Noyemberyan visitors (tourists).

Project budget: 2,000,000 USD

Project duration: December, 2022 – August, 2025

“Improvement of social conditions of young families in Noyemberyan Community of Tavush region, prevention of emigration” Project



The goal of the Project is to support young families in Noyemberyan region of Tavush marz by establishing a rabbit farm and providing alternative means for income generation.

The beneficiaries of the Project are 30 young families living in Noyemberyan consolidated community of Tavush region, who have underage children in their care, are unemployed and are in search of a permanent job.

In the scope of the current activity, 30 families in the border settlements of Noyemberyan region of Tavush marz will be provided with an opportunity to establish a rabbit farm to be engaged in rabbit breeding. In the result, the young beneficiaries will have a permanent job with a permanent source of income, which will allow them to meet their socio-economic needs with their own means, and not to leave their homeland.

The project is funded by “UMCOR Armenia” Charitable Foundation.

Project budget: 15 995 000 AMD

Project duration: January 1 – October 31, 2022

“Improvement of Social Conditions of Arstakh War Affected People in Tavush Region through Capacity Building” Project



The aim of the project “Improvement of Social Conditions of Arstakh War Affected People in Tavush Region through Capacity Building” was to support individuals living in Noyemberyan, Berd and Ijevan communities of Tavush region, or their family members, who were affected by Artsakh events and face the problem of unemployment.

The Project participants had the opportunity to acquire knowledge and skills in one of the most popular modern professions - web programming, which they will effectively use to enter the huge labor market of this field full of opportunities. The Project also included consultations on financial management and accounting and psychological support component.

At the end of the Project, 40 participants received certificates for successful completion of the web programming course and were provided with computers.

The project was funded by “UMCOR Armenia” Charitable Foundation and implemented by “Community Center for Development” Territorial Cooperation NGO. Project partners were Gyumri Information Technologies Center and Fund for Armenian Relief Armenian Branch.

Project duration: March 1 – December 31, 2021

Project budget: 41 915 000 AMD

Dovegh Village Drinking Water Supply



The population of Dovegh village (Tavush region) has had problems with drinking water supply for years.

Since December, 2019, the CCD NGO has been trying to find ways to provide drinking water to Dovegh village: a number of partner organizations have been involved to fund the construction of the water line. In order to provide drinking water to the residents of Dovegh village, to the public, private and state-owned enterprises on a daily basis, a 2400m long water line is being built, which will connect the Stepanavan-Noyemberyan main water pipeline with the Dovegh village water pipeline. There is an internal drinking water network in the village.

The long-awaited drinking water supply became reality due to the joint efforts and investments of CCD NGO, "Veolia Jur" CJSC, World Council of Churches Armenia Inter-Church Charity Round Table Foundation (ART), "Tashir" Charitable Foundation, Noyemberyan and Koghb Municipalities. All the mentioned organizations provided financial support for the implementation of the works.

The staffs of Noyemberyan and Koghb consolidated communities, Tavush Governor's Office, and the specialists of "Veolia Jur" CJSC ensured their active participation in the assessment of the volume of supplied water and in the development of the water line construction plan. The construction works were carried out by Noyemberyan municipality.

The drinking water will be used by 550 residents of Dovegh village. The supply of permanent drinking water in the village will also ensure the reopening of existing plants and the establishment of new ones which will provide new jobs for the residents of the border village of Dovegh.

Tavush Region Integrated and Balanced Economic Development project



"Community Center for Development" Territorial Cooperation NGO in partnership with Lusadzor, Achajur, Sevkar, Sarigyugh, Nerkin Tsakhkavan and Koghb Pasture Users' Union Consumer Cooperatives within the framework of the EU – RA Ministry of Territorial Administration and Development funded Pilot Regional Development Programme

(PRDP) are implementing “Tavush Region Integrated and Balanced Economic Development” (TRIBED) project. The goal of the TRIBED project is to reduce poverty and support integrated and balanced economic development of Tavush Region. This goal will be achieved through: a) creation of new economic opportunities and jobs, leading to increased diversity and productivity of the economy in Tavush region; and b) increasing competitiveness of farmer cooperatives and SMEs, including opportunities for investment and trade.

As a result of the Action, the agricultural production will be diversified, better positioned in the market. The production standards will be enhanced, technologies will be renewed and the grounds for sustainable development will be laid. Many new SMEs will be established and registered, while the farmers will develop new competencies and their income will significantly increase. The Action also aims to promote the inclusive employment and will substantially contribute to the poverty reduction in Tavush region.

Project implementation period: January 2017 – December 2020

Project Budget: 1 626 333 EUR

“Capacity Development of Agricultural Cooperatives in Tavush Marz”



The main goal of the project is to develop the capacity of 6 agricultural cooperatives in the Tavush region (“Best Green Garden”, “Aygegortsner”, “Arfood”, “Hovani”, “Shamshadin Eco Meat”, “Tavush Eco Milk”) by improving production technical capabilities, professional knowledge and skills of the staff and to ensure competitiveness of agribusinesses. The cooperatives were all established within the framework of the Development” project co-funded by EU and RA Government and implemented by CCD NGO.

“Tavush Region Integrated and Balanced Economic Development” project co-funded by EU and RA Government and implemented by CCD NGO.

By enhancing the production capacities of the target cooperatives, the project thus supports more than 700 individuals and farms involved in horticulture and livestock: the cooperatives have assumed the role of locomotives in their specific areas becoming a sustainable and reliable consumer for the raw materials supplied by a lot of farmers.

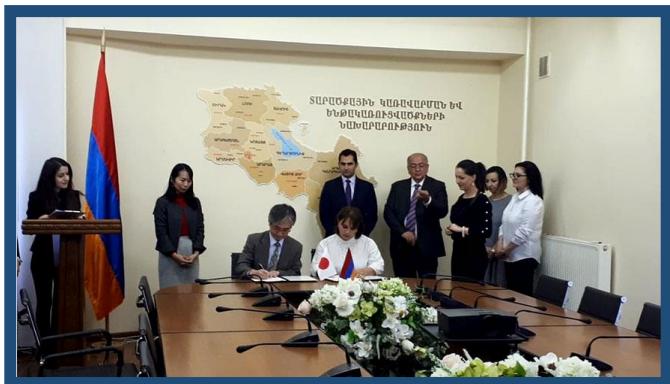
In order to increase the effectiveness of the technical assistance provided under this project, professional consultations will be provided to the members of target cooperatives, the staff engaged in the production and farmers working with them, throughout the project implementation period. Trainings on project and financial management will be organized for each cooperative.

This project is funded by UMCOR Armenia Charitable Foundation.

Project duration: February 1 – July 31, 2020

Project budget: 106 032 650 AMD

“Drinking Water Supply in Jujevan Village”



The project “Drinking Water Supply in Jujevan Village” is financed by the Embassy of Japan to Armenia. It will solve the problem with drinking water supply for more than 135 households (600 inhabitants) in Jujevan village.

Project duration: 6 months (2020)

Project budget: \$ 68,382

Improving living conditions of women farmers in Tavush region communities



In May 2018, with the financial support of “UN Staff 1% for Development Fund”, CCD NGO implemented the project of developing capacities of women farmers in bordering communities of Tavush region.

In scopes of the project, 700 hens of Super Harco breed were imported from Georgia and distributed among project beneficiaries – 20

unemployed women farmers from bordering Noyemberyan, Voskevan, Baghanis, Jujevan and Koti communities with 3 or more underage children.

Super Harco is a dual purpose bird: it is effective both as a meat and egg provider. It has black feathers and medium heavy body weight. Super Harco hens produce adequate number of brown eggs with modest feed consumption, therefore they are sustainable choice for small scale family farms. Taking into consideration the above-mentioned features, this breed was selected for the project, so that the small scale family farms will later be able to expand their farming and benefit from it in the form of eggs and meat.

Project implementation period: May 2018 – October 2018

Project Budget: 5266 \$

Strengthening Women's Involvement in Politics



“Community Center for Development” NGO implemented “Strengthening women's involvement in politics” project funded by European Endowment for Democracy organization in 2016. The EED support was directed to the civic society

development in the region, to overcome the gender barrier in the elections existing in the region. The initiative was formed to encourage rural women to run for Local Authorities elections on September 18, 2016. The main purpose of the project was to promote awareness and knowledge of the active women groups in rural communities through organizing core training courses on Public Speaking, Community Management and local government legislation. In frames of the project our experts developed pre-electoral programs, followed by booklets publishing for each of the candidate. The most significant achievement was the increased motivation and willingness of women to run for the LA elections. Out of 20 trained women 12 were elected as community council members.

Project implementation period: May 2016 – September 2016

Project Budget: 27 345 EUR

Armenian-Georgian Cross-Border Economic Development



The Georgia-based Civil Development agency in partnership with the Armenia-based “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO (CCD) and the Northern Branch of Eurasia Partnership Foundation within the framework of the EU-funded European Partnership Territorial Cooperation (EaPTC) are implementing a 16-month “Cross-border Economic Development” (CED) project.

The goal of the CED is to improve the living conditions of bordering communities in the Georgia’s Kvemo Kartli and Armenia’s Tavush regions. This goal will be achieved through:

- strengthening cross-border cooperation between the Kvemo Kartli and Tavush regions by attracting investments;
- strengthening cross-border cooperation between the Kvemo Kartli and Tavush regions by increasing transactions between business entities from both regions; and
- informing business entities in the target regions about cross-border investment and trade opportunities.

The project idea is based on the assumption that Georgian businesses now have improved access to the EU market, and Armenia has a tax-free access to the EEU market. In fact, an access to the EU market may be attractive for Armenian businesses that want to export products and are also interested in investing in the Georgian economy. Vice versa, the EEU market can also be attractive for Georgian businesses and trigger Georgian investments in Armenia. At the same time, engagement with two different global customs unions may also hinder direct cross-border trade relations between Armenia and Georgia. Having in mind the assumed impediments, the CED project wants to explore the opportunities that the current economic setting may bring to the Armenian and Georgian businesses, particularly those located in the Kvemo-Kartli and Tavush regions.

The CED project will commence with a Baseline Study to explore the investment opportunities with each other and with EU and EEU countries, as well as identify business entities in the

region that can benefit from the project. Two Agro-tours, one in each of Armenia and Georgia, will help the joint group of about 30 entrepreneurs from Armenia and Georgia to exchange information about business operations and problem-solving strategies. A Media Bus Tour will make it possible for the Georgian and Armenian journalists to jointly visit producers, processors and farmers in the cross-border region and report on economic cooperation opportunities between the two countries. An agricultural fair will exhibit products manufactured in the bordering regions of the two countries. The project partners will also provide business consultations to interested entrepreneurs; establish a user-friendly online platform for the project beneficiaries; publish a practical guide on how to develop business within the frameworks of the EU's Association Agreement and EEU's customs union; as well as will produce a catalogue featuring a map of agribusinesses located in the cross-border regions of Armenia and Georgia.

The partners anticipate that the implementation of the project will bring the following results:

- The knowledge of Georgian and Armenian regional business holders on new economic opportunities within the frameworks of the Eurasian Customs Union and the EU Association Agreement has increased.
- Links between Georgian and Armenian business holders have strengthened, and joint ideas are initiated to support local economic development.
- Georgian and Armenian business holders have had an increased access to business-related information on establishment/development of joint business activities.

Project implementation period: September 2015 – February 2017

Project Budget: 32 442 EUR

CSO Development Project- CSO DePo



Eurasia Partnership Foundation (EPF), “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO (CCD) Caucasus Research Resource Center (CRRC), Media Initiatives Center (MIC), Goris Press Club (GPC), and Martuni Women Community Council (MWCC), established a Consortium to implement “CSO Development Program” (DGP).

under USAID's Development Grants Program (DGP). The project implementation period is 2014–2019.

In frames of this project “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO has implemented research of Tavush region non-governmental and community based organizations' needs (74 organizations: non-governmental organizations, community halls, schools, kindergartens, farming cooperatives). Considering current needs we organized professional training and consulting for the project target groups. We supported partner NGOs to make grant project applications and apply to donor organizations. In frames of this program we implemented efficient experience exchanges for partner NGOs, directed to developing NGO capacities of establishing social enterprises. Currently in Tavush region bordering communities we supported to draw up projects for installing 40 km of water pipelines and constructing 4-5 playgrounds.

Project implementation period: June 2014 – August 2018

Project Budget: \$ 79 863

Professional Capacity Development for NGOs and Civic Active Groups



“Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, in frames of CSO DePo Project, implements projects addressed to Tavush region NGOs’ and civic groups representatives’ professional capacity development. In frames of this project in March 2015 Noyemberyan youth group members and high school students participated in trainings introducing FLEX program and its application process. The training was run by US Peace Corps volunteer Alissa Morson and 2011 FLEX alumni Hasmik Tonapetyan. In addition to professional consultancy the training participants got information on culture and lifestyle of the USA. The project is continual; the trainings will be held annually for new groups of applicants. The project is co-funded by “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, American Councils and US Peace Corps.

Project implementation period: March 2015 – up to now

Project Budget: \$ 3500

Social Enterprising Model in Tavush Region



The development of social enterprising today is a real opportunity especially for NGO field representatives to implement long lasting and sustainable activity. In 2015 “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO assisted partner “Noy Astgh” NGO to establish a rehabilitation center, which is unique in the area in its kind. The center was opened in Koghb community on April 24 and was provided with necessary furniture and equipment. 75-100 disabled people get free physical therapy services here. The center also provides paid services to

community members. The profit from these services “Noy Astgh” NGO uses to implement other social projects for the target group of the organization. Rehabilitation center opening was supported by “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, US Peace Corps volunteer Alissa Morson, Friends of Armenia organization, businessmen Samson Aboyan, Avet Ghazaryan and Pavlik Ghulijanyan.

Project implementation period: January 2015 – April 2015

Project Budget: \$ 7 500

Support to Bagratashen kindergarten



In August 2015, Tavush region Bagratashen village kindergarten was provided with new furniture. The kindergarten now has the necessary furniture for children to complete their daily educational

activities. The project was implemented with co-funding of “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, US Peace Corps and Bagratashen community hall. In frames of CSO DePo project “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO implements projects addressed to Tavush region rural community problem solving, capacity development of community and community based structures, involving additional investments.

Project implementation period: June 2015 – August 2015.

Project Budget: \$ 2 200

Playground in Movses



In frames of CSO DePo project “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO built a playground in Tavush region Movses frontline village, where 112 children of 3-12 age group live. The playground project was implemented by the initiative of “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO and co-funded by Movses community hall and “Focus on Children” organization.

Project implementation period: May 2015 – September 2015

Project Budget: \$ 4500

Support to Regional Schools



In frames of CSO DePo project “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO renovated Berdavan basic school restrooms on both floors of the building. In addition to renovation we also organized training for the schoolchildren on hygienic rules. The project was implemented with co-funding of “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, US Peace Corps, Berdavan basic school and community hall.

Project implementation period: May 2015- September 2015.

Project Budget: \$ 13 500

Partnership with Dilijan International School Students



In 2015 Noyemberyan area youth group 14 members had a discussion-meeting with Dilijan UWC school 12 students in “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO office. During the meeting high school students and youth group members got acquainted with Dilijan international school educational programs and admissions and learnt how to apply for them. Meantime their peers from Dilijan School were informed about the rural youth problems and arranged to organize joint projects. The participants also discussed human rights problem in the country and the ways to solve them. Currently these young people continue communication through social network. The project was implemented with the financial support of US Peace Corps, “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO and Dilijan UWC.

Project implementation period: March 2015 – up to now

Project Budget: \$ 1800

Trainings for Rural Community Youth



In frames of CSO DePo project “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO organized professional capacity development trainings for Tavush region NGOs and civic group members. In September 2015 similar trainings were organized in Noyemberyan area 5 rural communities. Training participant 25 young people got knowledge about developing grant projects and volunteering on community

problem solving. By the end of training the participants could develop 5 grant project proposals, which were sent to international donor organizations. The project was implemented with the financial support of US Peace Corps and “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO.

Project implementation period: June 2015 – September 2015

Project Budget: \$ 1500

NGO and Civic Active Group Members Capacity Development



“Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO in frames of CSO DePo project supports Tavush region NGOs and civic active groups to develop their capacities on the purpose of strengthening cross-border partnership and involving

additional investments to solve cross-community problems. In May-August 2015 Armenian Tavush region and Georgian Kvemo-Kartly youth group members had a meeting in Georgian town Bolnisi to discuss partnership projects. On the outcome of this meeting and further online discussions they developed one-year project and made a documentary film (with Armenian, Russian and Georgian subtitles), which is now available online, too. The project was implemented by co-funding of “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, WCC Armenia Round Table Foundation, World Vision Armenia and Media Initiative Center.

Project implementation period: May 2015 – June 2015

Project Budget: \$ 4500

Armenian-Georgian Partnership in Frames of Documentary Films Festival



In March 2014 an art exhibition and documentary film festival was organized in Noyemberyan town devoted to human rights protection. Representatives from Tavush and Kvemo-Kartly region NGOs and youth groups participated in the festival, which was addressed to strengthen partnership between civic active groups of the two regions. 34 Armenian and Georgian young people participated in the festival with their pictures and films about human rights.

The project was implemented by the financial support of “People in Need”, “Euroest culture”, “Czech Republic development cooperation”, “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO and “Bolnisi Language Center” NGO.

Project implementation period: January 2014 – March 2014

Project Budget: \$ 3500

Children Painting Contest “Reading around the World”



On April 17, 2013 “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO and US Peace Corps volunteer Skip Brewster co-funded and organized creative art contest titled “Reading around the World”. The contest was addressed to inspire interest in reading among younger generation. 56 students from 4 schools of Noyemberyan area participated in the contest. They depicted episodes from various literary works. 10 winners were rewarded prizes; the others were given participation certificates. Considering the enthusiasm and active participation of the children “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO staff decided to repeat the event annually, involving more schools to participate.

Project implementation period: February 2014 – March 2014

Project Budget: \$ 1200

Diabetic support center in town Noyemberyan



On June 27, 2012, on the initiative of “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, a diabetic support center was opened in “Arevhat and Ani” Center for Family Medicine Practice in town Noyemberyan. The center has now 37 members. Once a month (every second Saturday of the month) they meet to discuss and share their experiences, successes, listen to the lectures of invited doctors and specialists on special food diet and active lifestyle, they also do physical training, share the latest news and healthy food receipts. The services and membership of the center are free and organizational works are carried out on volunteer basis. The center is unique in its kind in Armenia and many individuals and organizations got interested in the initiative willing to experience it in their communities. In frames of the project glucose meters and strips were delivered to 500 diabetics in Tavush region. The project is continual and is implemented by “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, US Peace Corps volunteer Stuart Brewster and ROCHE Armenian branch.

Project implementation period: June 2012 – up to now

Project Budget: \$ 12 700

Tavush Region Agricultural Resource Management and Competitive Growth



Since 2012 “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO together with RA Agricultural Project Implementation Unit (APIU) implements activity addressed to developing farmers’ capacities and competitive growth, as well as provide targeted sub-project investments in Tavush region rural communities. These projects will strengthen the cooperation between producers and processing companies, promote food security and exporting. In frames of this project we implemented research of Tavush region rural farmers’ needs (particularly animal breeding) and evaluated farmers’ competitive advantages on continuous bases. 23 farming cooperatives are already formed; roads between villages and pastures are partially repaired, and farmers are provided with agricultural machinery and means of transportation. With the purpose of developing farming household capacities, we do fundraising. The means will be directed to the implementation of targeted sub-project activities: promote agricultural goods production and processing (paying particular attention to food security and using renewable energy resources). The project is implemented with the financial support of RA Ministry of Agriculture and the support of RA Agricultural Project Implementation Unit Office and “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO.

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Project implementation period: September 2012 – up to now

Project Budget: \$ 220 000

European Educational Projects Resource Center in Noyemberyan Town



“Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO implements continual activity addressed to professional capacity development of NGO and civic group representatives in Tavush region, providing opportunities to participate in international educational exchange programs. In frames of this program in

October 2014 we established European educational projects resource center in Noyemberyan high school. On this purpose we organized training for Noyemberyan area youth group members and high school students to develop skills for applying to European educational exchange programs. In addition to getting professional consultancy, they were also informed about the lifestyle and cultural features of EU member countries. The project is continual; every year we organize pre-application training for the new groups of applicants before the exchange programs announcements. The project is implemented by co-financing of “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO and Eurasia Partnership Foundation Youth Bank.

Project implementation period: September 2012 – up to now

Project Budget: \$ 3500

Renovated waterline in Bagratashen



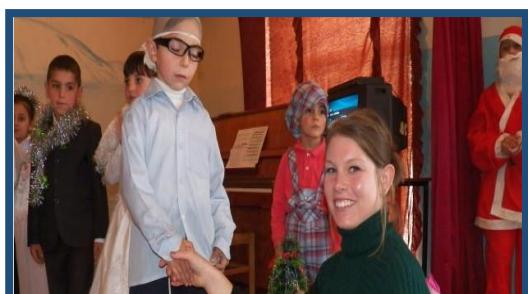
In September 2010 “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO helped Bagratashen community to obtain and install water pump and metal pipes to solve drinkable water problem for 3200 people living in the village. One of the vital activities of our organization is developing capacities of

community structures and solving rural community problems. Bagratashen waterline was renovated by co-funding of “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, US Peace Corps and Bagratashen community hall.

Project implementation period: March 2010 – September 2011

Project Budget: \$ 35 789

New Year's traditional events in Noyemberyan area schools and kindergartens



Since 2010 “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO regularly sponsors New Year events in Noyemberyan area frontline rural community schools and kindergartens. Every year Santa Clause and Snow Maiden visit educational

institutions with their Christmas gifts and wishes. This annual project is co-funded by “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO and US Peace Corps.

Project implementation period: December 2010 up to now

Project Budget: \$ 7800

Professional capacity development trainings



“Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO regularly organizes trainings for Tavush region NGOs, civic active groups and SME representatives to develop their professional capacities. The trainings cover the following topics: Capacity development of local authorities, Leadership skills development of community hall staff, Community needs revealing, Community mobilization methods, Community development

strategic plan development, Project proposal writing skills, NGO strategic plan development, Management, Social enterprising model development, Accounting and financial management, NGO human resources professional skill development, Fundraising, Project monitoring and evaluation, Logical framework, Business plan development, Investment project development, Marketing, Corporative social responsibility, Strategy development.

Since 2005 we have organized 62 trainings covering these topics with 495 participants. Trainings are held with the financial support of “Community Center for Development” territorial cooperation NGO, SMEs, Eurasia Partnership Foundation.

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