

Rimba Raya

Impacts on the UN Sustainable Development Goals





Indonesia has the largest number of threatened mammal species in the world and the fourth largest total across flora and fauna species types. Adjacent to Tanjung Puting National Park, Rimba Raya provides an important natural buffer which strengthens the management capacity of the park. With the latest GPS technology, mobile phones are used to collect data during field surveys for biodiversity monitoring.



2 ZERO HUNGER

Training on the growth of cash crops such as fruit trees offers communities an alternative source of income. Improved fishing technologies and agricultural training also helps improve food security



The project is also supporting the construction and stocking of two community poultry egg farms, and will offer local residents technical training to ensure the longevity of these ventures. Manure from these egg farms will be used as a fertiliser for the community vegetable gardens - another of the project's community-based programmes.



7 AFFORDABLE AND
CLEAN ENERGY



The project develops solar energy access for the communities, providing electrification to a relatively remote area. A pilot project is under construction in village community centres, which act as schools, to provide reading light and enough voltage to charge mobile phones.



By minimising land use change, the project is helping to prevent downstream flooding. Through local partnerships it is also training communities to manufacture and sell inexpensive water filtration devices, to provide clean drinking water.



9 INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Two villages have built community centres which offer facilities for park and project staff as well as community organisations. The centres will supply news and radio communication facilities, libraries and social and agricultural training programmes.





3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



The project's programmes around distributing water filtration devices help increase the accessibility to clean drinking water which has a positive impact on health. A floating health clinic has also been funded to enable improved access to healthcare across multiple communities.



The project has also established a scholarship fund that will be used to enhance educational access by funding the education of 3,750 community students for the next 10 years. Funds will also be used to provide 75,000 writing books.



The project is focused on increasing environmental awareness amongst youths and adults in the project area; this includes education on reducing hunting activities and forest fires, and protection of important bird areas. Additionally, park personnel have access to training and capacity-building programmes to increase knowledge sharing around sustainable practices to avoid deforestation.

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