

MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND
AGRICULTURE OF GEORGIA
Georgia Resilient Agriculture, Irrigation and Land (GRAIL) project co-
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Stakeholders Consultation Meetings

Environmental and Social Commitment Plan, Stakeholder Engagement Plan, Labor Relations Management Procedure and Accommodation Framework Documents

In the comprehensive assessment of Georgia's agricultural sector conducted by the World Bank, potential avenues for providing efficient and precisely targeted support to agriculture, with a special focus on small farmers and agribusinesses, have been recognized. This objective can be realized through concerted efforts in two specific agricultural sub-sectors: land and water resources. Hence, to effectively address the prevailing significant challenges, it is imperative to execute comprehensive and integrated investment projects within the agricultural sector, with a specific emphasis on water and land resources

In light of the foregoing, the Government of Georgia has formally petitioned the World Bank for a funding allocation of 150 million US dollars to facilitate the execution of the **Georgia Resilient Agriculture, Irrigation and Land (GRAIL) project**. The World Bank loan is structured with a 50% contribution from the World Bank and an equivalent 50% co-financing commitment from the Principality of Georgia. The primary objective of this project is to address irrigation and land management challenges in designated regions while fostering the sustainable growth of the agricultural sector through the provision of grants and co-financing opportunities."

Within the framework of Georgia Resilient Agriculture, Irrigation and Land (GRAIL) project, it is planned to introduce/review the environmental and social documents listed below.

Environmental and Social Commitment Plan, (2) Stakeholder Engagement Plan, (3) Labor Management Procedure, (4) Resettlement Policy Framework.

We inform you that the meetings will be held in November 2023 on the dates and locations indicated in the table:

The Schedule of Meetings:

#	Drainage/Irrigation Scheme	Municipality	Time and Date of Meetings	Address/City
1.	Shavgele Drainage	Khobi Municipality	08.11.2023-14:00	Khobi,#189 Dadiani st.
2.	Tiriponi Irrigation Scheme	Gori Municipality	10.11.2023-12:00	Gori,#15G.Peradze st.
3.	Zemo Alazani Irrigation Scheme	Akhmeta and Telavi Municipalities	15.11.2023-12:00 Akhmeta 15:00 Telavi	Akhmeta, #49 K. Cholokashvili st. Telavi, #16 Erekle II st.
4.	Tashiskari Irrigation Scheme	Khashuri Municipality	17.11.2023-14:00 PM	Khashuri, #2 Tabidze st.
5.	Zeda Arkhi Irrigation Scheme	Bolnisi Municipality	01.12.2023-14:00 PM	Bolnisi, #106 S. Saba st.
6.	Narekbvavi Irrigation Scheme	Mtskheta Tianeti Municipality	06.12.2023-12:00	Dusheti, #27 Rustaveli st.

Electronic versions of the discussed documents are available on the website of the Ministry - <https://mepa.gov.ge/Ge/PublicInformation/34061>, on the website of municipalities, the announcement about the consultation meeting is posted on the bulletin boards of municipalities.

Printed copies of the documents for initial review are obtainable at the **Georgia Resilient Agriculture, Irrigation and Land (GRAIL) project** office, situated at the following address: Ministry of Environment Protection and Agriculture of Georgia, 6 Marshall Gelovani Avenue, Tbilisi, as well as at the respective municipal office.

If you have any inquiries or feedback, please do not hesitate to reach out to us through the contact details provided below:

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