Project title: PONASI2 - Sustainable landscapes and inclusive supply chains

Project place	Project cost	Role in the project	Technical and financial sponsors	Dates
Burkina Faso	840 000 €	General Coordination	CERDE - Centre d'Etudes et de Recherches sur le Droit de l'Environnement, EU - European Union	July 2021 - July 2024

Project's goals and results

Main goals

In the continuation of the PONASI project, the objective here is the achievement of a sustainable management and a social and economic valorization of natural resources of the PONASI landscape, promoting the development of the local economy

Specific objectives

- **SO1.** Commitment to **sustainable management** of forest resources
- **SO2**. Development of all-season income-generating activities for the benefit of women and a significant contribution to the State's commitments in carbon capture

Beneficiaries

- Inhabitants of 4 villages of the 3 rural communes of **Bieha**, **Guiaro**, and **Nobere** located between the Protected Areas
- An estimation of 150 villages and 60,000 inhabitants in addition to the 30 villages supported by PONASI and the 20 others by WAKANDA

Results

- R1. Development of forest areas through effective and sustainable community management and use of forest ecosystems
- R2. Sustainable rural economy developed through a structuring of inclusive sectors at the local level (establishment of inclusive sectors for women and youth in targeted villages)
- R3. Project management and communication provided and inter-municipal cooperation strengthened

Activities

- A1. Standardization of a legal, legitimate, fair and equitable community management model
- **A2.** Development and consensual approval of documents for community regulation
- A3 Promotion of optimal production and organized comercialization of forest products and services from village conservation areas
- **A4.** Development of an information kit on forestry jobs (development of income-generating forestry activities through market gardening and other agricultural sectors)
- A5. Support for the development of improved dolo stoves (mapping, choice of species and establishment of productive water sources and adequate watering devices)
- A6. Community involvement for the rehabilitation or reforestation of forest areas (3090ha)
- A7. Identification and protection of market gardening areas and supervision of intensive production on 4 ha (support for marketing, rainfed crops adapted to the agro-ecological transition)
- A8. Soil and biomass inventory and carbon assessment in village forests and conservation areas
- **A9.** Support for the development of **inter-communal cooperation**, socio-cultural activities and promotion of solidarity in the periphery of the PONASI PAs (steering committee, mutual solidarity), solar system for household electrification...