



ENVIRONMENT AFRICA-ZAMBIA



Environment Africa is an environmental non-governmental organisation that was established in 2011 in Zambia. Its establishment was as a result of the high rates of rhino poaching in the parks and its impact on the well-being of animals and the environment. It was established to bridge the gap that existed in the environmental sector in order to raise awareness and promote sustainable use of natural resources. Environment Africa seeks to promote a better environment that uplifts the livelihood of current and future generations.

Environment Africa works with children, youths, farmers and schools around Zambia. Children and youths are sensitized on living green and youths are specially encouraged to engage in eco-friendly businesses. The farmers are encouraged to engage in environmentally friendly farming practices and lodges are encouraged to use eco-friendly products.

WHAT THEY DO

- **Environmental education.** They carry out environmental awareness in communities and several schools. Environment Africa forms environmental clubs in schools that spread awareness on conservation of forests and animals as well as promotion of environmental child rights. They have created over 30 environmental clubs in schools around Livingstone.
- **Environmental right advocacy-** they advocate for youth and children's participation in environmental decision-making processes.



- Construction of child and environmentally friendly water and sanitation facilities in schools and communities lacking clean water and sanitation.



- **Encouraging climate smart agricultural amongst farmers-** they encourage households and schools to own and manage vegetable and fruit backyard gardens.
- **Promoting environmentally sound waste management practices** and advocating for efficient environmental policies that address water and air pollution as well as land conservation and wildlife protection.
- **Engaging in tree planting.** They plant trees in the outskirts of Livingstone where there are few trees. It is a fact that trees play a fundamental role in providing oxygen, storing carbon, stabilizing the soil and giving food and shelter to people as well as animals.

PROGRAMME ACTIVITIES

20 schools visited and sensitised on environmental conservation.

Garbage collection in Maramba and Mbita market.

Climate smart agricultural project.

Construction of school toilets

Tree planting



SUPPORT NEEDED

- Funding on their recycling project. The recycling project is an initiative aimed at managing waste by encouraging people to scout for used plastic bottles which they will sell to the organisation. These bottles will then be recycled.
- Implementing a programme that will support and encourage more members of the community to make sound decisions that will conserve the environment.



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