



Handing of farming equipment to producer organizations

About fifteen producer organizations supported by NHPC in order to promote local agricultural production.

Since September 2017, NHPC has been involved, with the support of the Training and Advisory Development Organization (ODECO- Organisme de Développement de Formation et de Conseil), in supporting producer organizations in the Project area with a dual objective:

- enable them to meet the increased demand for food products engendered by the start of the Nachtigal project
- contribute to local economic development.

In recent months, training has been provided on the management and the operations of cooperatives and Community Interest Groups, on the marketing of products, along with technical training on the production, conservation and processing of maize, cassava and yams.



Florence Ardorino, NHPC's Director of Environment & Social Affairs talking with local authorities

This support also includes the handing of farming equipment

Determined in consultation with the producers' organizations, farming equipment needs have been identified; they include mills, rappers, freezers, atomizers, digital scales...

These equipment were presented at a ceremony held on 17 January 2019 in Batchenga, in the presence of the

Sub-Divisional Officer, the Deputy Mayor of Batchenga and His Majesty the Second Class Chief of Batchenga.



Les sourires étaient sur tous les visages

This is an encouraging step for a support program that will continue.

The conclusions of an assessment workshop to be held at the end of January will be taken into account in organizing the next phase of the support program.



During the ceremony, women's associations sang an energetic song to express their gratitude to the Project

Cooperatives and Community Interest Groups supported by NHPC in the Batchenga, Mbandjock and Ntui Councils:

- AEB – AEN KOMFEG – AFIMAB
- AFMABA – AGRELIK – ERA
- FEMDYNBA – GICAN – GICEN
- ISSOLA TROPIC - JADYN – KHABIA
- PAPREM – SCOOPORC - SOCODEPA