

POWERING FOOD SECURITY: PROGRESS ON THE GALANA KULALU PROJECT

Significant progress has been recorded in the Galana Kulalu Food Security Electrification Project, a flagship national initiative supporting large-scale irrigation and agro-processing. The project, currently at 39 per cent completion, involves the construction of substations, transmission lines, and associated infrastructure across Kilifi and Tana River counties. Beyond supporting agricultural production, the project is also enabling electrification of public institutions and communities along the corridor. This integrated approach ensures that the benefits of the project extend beyond food security to broader socio-economic development.



Part of REREC's Team giving a brief on the progress of the project.

POWERING RARIEDA: ELECTRIFICATION EXPANDS OPPORTUNITY IN SIAYA COUNTY

Residents of Rarieda Constituency in Siaya County are experiencing a major boost in access to electricity following the commissioning of multiple rural electrification projects in the area. The Osewe Village project in North Uyoma Ward has connected over 96 households, while additional projects in Orengo and Maranginya villages have extended electricity to 321 beneficiaries.

The projects, commissioned by the Cabinet Secretary for Energy and Petroleum alongside local leadership, form part of the Government's broader agenda to deliver reliable and affordable



CS Opiyo Wandayi during the project commissioning

electricity to all Kenyans. Access to power is expected to unlock economic opportunities, support small businesses, and improve service delivery in education and healthcare. For the residents, this marks a transition toward improved livelihoods and long-term socio-economic transformation.

EXPANDING ACCESS IN WESTERN KENYA: ELECTRIFICATION GAINS MOMENTUM

Efforts to bridge the electricity access gap in Western Kenya continue to gain momentum, with key projects commissioned in Bungoma County and new initiatives rolled out in Trans Nzoia. In Webuye East and Kimilili constituencies, electrification projects are connecting households to the grid, supporting enterprise development and improving quality of life.

In Trans Nzoia County, upcoming projects in Cherengany and Kiminini constituencies are expected to connect over 160 households, following extensive public sensitisation forums. These engagements ensure communities are informed and actively involved in project implementation, reinforcing sustainability and shared ownership of development outcomes.



CS Opiyo Wandayi during the project commissioning in Bungoma County

REREC has intensified electrification efforts in the Coast region, with major projects launched and commissioned in Kilifi County. Projects in Dabaso, Matsangeni, and Kahingoni are set to connect over 300 households, while additional initiatives in Malindi will benefit more than 600 households.

These interventions are part of a broader strategy to expand access to electricity and stimulate economic growth across the region. Improved access to power is expected to enhance business activity, strengthen public services, and elevate living standards for communities along the Coast.

OVER 900 HOUSEHOLDS TARGETED IN KILIFI



Energy PS Alex Wachira and REREC CEO Dr. Rose Mkalama during the project launch in Malindi.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT STRENGTHENS ELECTRIFICATION ROLLOUT

Community engagement remains central to successful electrification, with REREC conducting sensitisation forums across multiple counties including Kiminini, Busia, Nyamira, and Nakuru. These forums provide critical information on project scope, timelines, and expected benefits, while also outlining service delivery standards and complaints handling mechanisms. By actively involving communities in the implementation process, REREC is fostering transparency, strengthening public trust, and ensuring that projects are both impactful and sustainable. This approach reinforces the Corporation's commitment to citizen-centred service delivery



REREC has continued to enhance service delivery through targeted staff training and institutional strengthening initiatives. Sensitisation sessions on the Citizens' Service Charter and complaints handling mechanisms have been conducted across several regions, equipping staff with the tools to deliver efficient, transparent, and accountable services. These initiatives are aimed at improving responsiveness to customer needs, strengthening governance frameworks, and reinforcing public confidence in the Corporation's operations.

SERVICE DELIVERY THROUGH INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITY BUILDING

