



**TANZANIA
SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT
PLATFORM**

ESTABLISHING ROADMAP-ACTION POINT TOWARD CSO'S VOLUNTARY NATIONAL REVIEW (VNR) 2022-23.



Tanzania Sustainable Development Platform is responsible for coordinating CSOs in implementing, monitoring and reporting Sustainable Development Goals. Specifically, the Platform seeks to document civil society organizations' contributions in the implementation, follow up and monitoring of Sustainable Development in Tanzania, facilitate the sharing of knowledge, experiences, best practices and innovations emerging from civil society organizations.

TSDP has successfully coordinated 500 civil society inputs during the 2019 Voluntary National Review (VNR) which led to the first ever CSOs VNR Report presented during the High Level Political Forum in New York, United States. However, when the process to develop the Five Year Development Plan III kicked off in 2020, UNA Tanzania and the Tanzania Sustainable Development Platform coordinated CSOs and Young people to collect recommendations to inform the process.

Some of ongoing works by UNA Tanzania through the Tanzania Sustainable Development Platform are; **Simplified/popular version of the FYDP III, A Toolkit for Localization of the SDGs through FYDP III implementation in**

LGAs and Protocols to integrate civil society data as part of official statistics.

Platform has conducted a multistakeholder dialogue with the title “Stakeholder coordination for Tanzania Development Vision 2050 consultations and 2023 Voluntary National Review”, which could also be termed as an official launching of VNR 2023 processes. However, the purpose of this Multi-Stakeholders dialogue was to set up a roadmap and action points for CSOs VNR 2023. The participants of the session involved representatives from various Civil Society Organizations.

The objective of this Multistakeholder was to ensure effective and inclusive CSOs participation in monitoring and developing Tanzania Vision 2050 together with developing a Roadmap Action Plan for preparation and consultations towards Tanzania’s CSO Voluntary National Review 2023.

Key results from the multistakeholder Dialogue included

- Emphasis on actively engaging the vulnerable groups (Children, Youth, Women and PWDs) in reporting of SDGs
- Members representing various CSOs were able to effectively participate and give inputs that will facilitate VNR processes
- Stakeholders were able to share knowledge, ideas, and experience on the implementation of Sustainable Development Goals in Tanzania.
- Participants were able to establish a roadmap-action point towards CSOs Voluntary National Review (VNR) 2023



RELEASE OF THE SIMPLIFIED VERSION OF NATIONAL FIVE YEAR DEVELOPMENT PLAN

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Policy Forum, United Nations Associations of Tanzania, and Tanzania Sustainable Development Platform (Convened by UNA Tanzania) in cooperation with the Ministry of Finance and Planning (MoFP) realized the importance of community involvement in the implementation of FYDP III, which led to the developing of the Simplified/Popular Version of the National Five Year Development Plan III. However, the government encourages citizens to participate, visualize and implement economic activities in line with FYDP III's priorities.

This measure will enable citizens to participate in the implementation of National Plans and motivate them to initiate and own economic activities in their areas to address the challenge of income poverty. In addition, the Government will continue to raise awareness to the public on opportunities arising from FYDP III through the media, journals, and conferences. The accountable and equitable use of public resources will not be achieved if citizens are not active players in the development ecosystem i.e., from the planning level to execution up to the oversight or monitoring level.

This activeness will only be possible when citizens are well informed on the national development plans and how they align with the local development. Thus, in supporting the government's aspiration of involving communities (citizens) as the country embarks in implementing its Third National Five-Year Development Plan, PF, UNA and TSDP intends to augment ordinary citizens' voice by, among other things translating this plan into simple language for easy comprehension by ordinary citizens.

The purpose demonstrates Civil Society's role in supporting the government towards raising awareness to the public on opportunities arising from FYDP III and the contribution they will offer in attaining developmental goals as demystified in the plan.

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The Economic and Social Council forum on financing for development follow-up recommends that the Economic and Social Council transmit to the high-level political forum on sustainable development convened under the auspices of the Council the following intergovernmentally agreed conclusions and recommendations

RESOLUTIONS FROM HIGH LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM 2022



The economic and Social Council recognizes the urgent need to support, in particular, those who are vulnerable or in vulnerable situations, including women and girls, youth, persons with disabilities, older persons, indigenous peoples, local communities, refugees, displaced persons, and migrants, to protect human rights for all, and to ensure that no country or person is left behind. Reaffirming commitment to increase quality, sustainable investments in essential public services for all, including health, education, energy, water, sanitation and hygiene. ECOSOC will also strengthen social protection systems to reduce inequalities, eradicate poverty, build resilience to climate change and shocks, reduce disaster risk, support just and inclusive transitions and promote fair, equitable, inclusive and sustainable growth. As well as expanding investment in social protection floors as a percentage of national budgets and extend social protection for all, especially child-sensitive and gender-responsive social protection, including workers in the informal and emerging sectors of the economy and those who intend to reintegrate into the workforce. ECOSOC will commit to improved monitoring of social protection coverage disaggregated by sex, age, disability and other characteristics relevant in national contexts, and further, commit to helping children catch up on learning lost during the pandemic in the short term and recognize the

need to address the lack of adequate financing for national education transformation efforts

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SDGs GLOBAL WEEK 16TH-25TH SEPTEMBER 2022

The Global Week to #Act4SDGs is a global mobilization taking place during the high-level week of the UN General Assembly in September, to show world leaders that people all around the world are committed, dedicated, and inspired to take action on the SDGs. This year's mobilization will focus on the key themes of **Climate, Justice and Peace** and mark **the mid-way point of the SDG Agenda**.

People around the world will be joining in solidarity to show there is hope beyond the pandemic, climate emergency and global conflicts, and that we can collectively #FlipTheScript and show that change is possible. Together, we can keep the promise of the SDGs. Now in its sixth year, Global Week has grown from strength to strength. Our mobilization ambition for 2022 is to inspire millions more people to take individual and collective SDG action with an overall target of mobilizing 1 billion actions by 2030.

All actions will be captured and visualized in our global SDG map which can be filtered down by country, region, SDG, and sector, allowing us to report back at key UN milestone moments to show how collective action can lead to great change around the world.

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