

Sekondi-Takoradi Metropolitan Assembly City-Wide Settlement Upgrading Fund (STMA-CSUF)



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THE STEERING COMMITTEE
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Dear Sir/Madam,

LETTER OF SUPPORT: SUBNATIONAL GOVERNMENT PILOT PROGRAMME

STMA-CSUF is pleased to offer its support to the Sekondi-Takoradi Metropolitan Assembly (STMA) in its bid to be considered in the Pioneers' tier of the subnational government pilot program.

STMA-CSUF is a Ghanaian registered and independent, non-profit local financing facility formed by the United Nations Programme on Human Settlement (UN-HABITAT) and the STMA to facilitate access to finance for low-income housing and slum upgrading projects for the urban poor in the Sekondi-Takoradi Metropolis.

As an organization which is continually striving to ensure equality in the delivery of municipal services, provision of affordable housing and participation in decision-making by the poor, vulnerable and excluded in the Metropolis through advocacy and resource mobilization, we believe STMA's participation in the pilot program will greatly strengthen the strides it is making in guaranteeing transparent and accountable governance.

We are confident the selection of STMA will foster an enduring relationship between the Open Governance Partnership programme and the STMA thereby promoting information sharing and good governance practices in the Metropolis and beyond.

Sincerely,

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(BOARD CHAIRMAN)