# NATIONAL ADAPTATION PLAN (NAP) APPROACH:

An integrated approach to adaptation to promote climate-resilient national, social and economic development with an emphasis on community- and ecosystem-based adaptation initiatives and building capacity of the government to advance the NAP process.

Led by Rwanda's Ministry of Environment in partnership with the Rwanda Environment Management Authority (REMA), the Rwandan NAP process has received support from UNDP-UN Environment NAP Global Support Programme (NAP-GSP). Since the launch of the NAP process, Rwanda has leveraged Green Climate Fund support to develop climate-resilient settlements for families living in northern Rwandan areas prone to climate impact by supporting community-based adaptation planning and livelihoods diversification. Rwanda is also going to launch the GEF funded four-year Project "Building the capacity of Rwanda's government to advance the National Adaptation Planning Process."

## **KEY OBSERVED & ANTICIPATED CLIMATE CHANGE IMPACTS**



Landslides



**Food insecurity** 



**Droughts** 



**Flooding** 



Soil erosion



**Increasing** temperatures

# PRIORITY SECTORS FOR ADAPTATION



Sustainable food production



Soil conservation



**Waste water** irrigation



**Integrated land** use planning and management



**Afforestation** 



**Disaster risk** reduction programmes



**Integrated pest** management





**Vector-based** disease prevention



**Improved forest** management



Integrated water resource management

### NAP PROCESS MILESTONES

2017

2018

2019

Launch of Rwanda's National **Adaptation Plan** process

Rwanda receives USD 32.8 million from Green Climate Fund to **strengthen climate** resilience in Gicumbi District, Northern Province

Approval of the Project "Building the capacity of Rwanda's government to advance the National Adaptation Planning Process" by GEF



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