

Sustaining Livelihood through Rainwater Harvesting 2023

1. Name of Funder Rotary Club Colombo Central
2. Project description

R.M. Wimalasena of Deegalthanna, Amunumull, Welimada, Badulla was provided with sustainable water supply system through rain water harvesting. Wimalasena is a Samurdhri beneficiary farmer who is effected by drought. Rain water harvesting system will provide him and his family water for domestic purposes as well as to maintain home garden cultivation. His family consisting of the wife, daughter, son in law and 2 grandchildren. Wimalasena is the sole provider for the family since his son in law who is hearing impaired is out of work and awaiting an operation.



3. What are the expected long-term community impacts of the project? R.M. Wimalasena will have adequate water supply to maintain his plant nursery and home garden. This will give his family additional income from the produce sold as well as supply of vegetables for his home need. His son in law who is hearing impaired was trained on installation of rainwater Harvesting systems and is now have hired for installation works in other part of the country. Thereby his capacity is built will have steady livelihood in the future.

Lanka Rain Water Harvesting Forum co-ordinated and facilitated the installation of the rain water harvesting system free of charge and trained Wimalasena's son in law to install rain water harvesting systems

4. Financial Report (Club must retain original receipts for all expenditure items.)

	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Actuals</u>
<u>Income</u>	Rs	Rs
District Grant received	195,467.00	195,467.00
Total	195,467.00	195,467.00
<u>Expenditure</u>		
PE Tank 5000L –Slon with transport	131,515	134, 340
PVC & Other Items	17, 952	20, 452
Skill Mason Payment	5,000
Installation charges of Base and Valance Board	46, 000	36, 000
Total	195,467	195,792
Surplus / (Deficit) (325)



RWH under construction by the trained mason (Son in Law)





