

### NAKURU ROSA PROJECT



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# NAKURU MUNICIPALITY

- 1. Is the fourth largest town in Kenya after Nairobi, Mombasa and Kisumu
- 2. It is an agro-based industrial town and the capital city of Rift Valley Province
- 3. It lies 160Km North-West of Nairobi city
- 4. The town started as a railway station in the beginning of the 20th century, 1905
- 5. It gained Municipality status in 1952
- 6. It is situated on an altitude of 1859 M above sea level
- 7. Covers an area of 290 Sq Km. 188 Sq km. is in the National park and 102 Sq Km. is the urban area.



### **Population growth in Nakuru**



#### **SANITATION CHALLENGES IN NAKURU**

Waste Management
Domestic waste
Council collects – 30%
Private Sector collects – 30%
200 tons mixed waste in a day

- Water Requirements 75,000 Cubic meters/Day
- Production 35,000 Cubic meters/Day
- Less than <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Supply to the city



#### **Poorly Managed Storm Water Drains**



### Poor Solid waste management



# Sewer blockages



# **Unplanned settlement structures**



# **Other Challenges include**

- Uncontrolled construction and development
- Low sewer coverage and adverse effect of pit latrines as the only sanitation option in the low income areas
- Insufficient supply of drinking water and its contamination
- Low environmental awareness among the population on sustainable environmental practises
- Low/ inefficient enforcement of environmental bylaws
- Inadequate management of solid waste
- Poor storm water drainage system

#### **IMPLEMENTATION PLAN**

#### INTRODUCTION

- Nakuru Rosa team have divided implementation for the pilot projects into phases (Phase I,II & III) though the phases my overlap.
- Phases depend on various parameters including income levels, socio-cultural factors and strategic logistics.
- The designs and preparation of BQs for phase I projects are complete and undergoing legal approvals.



# **Implementation of Pilot Phase I**

Site 1: Residential Plot – 28 households. 3UD toilets, a soak pit, a urinal, and wetland



#### Site 2: Hilton Settlement

**100-150 Users 2 UD, Hand wash basin & a urinal** 

# **Two Shallow Pits In The Settlement**









**General Notes** 1.All dimension are in mm 2.Squatting slab is precast concrete 1400x1100x50mm thick reinforced with wire mesh. Mix 1:5 cement: 3.100mm compacted hardcore 4.75mm plain concrete on plastic dpc 5.Rear Steel door 900 x 700mm 6.Standard door with frame 1980 x 7.150 mm masonry walls 8.100mm dia pvc pipe vent, extending 1000mm above roof 9.Roof pitch 200mm 10.GI sheet gauge 30 on 75 x 50 purlin on 75x50 rafter on 75x50 wall plate. 150x25mm timber fascia board 11.Vault dimensions 900 x 1100 x 700 12. Double composting vault 500x1100x700mm

#### **Egerton/MCN ROSA Project**

**UD- Toilet at Church & Nursery** School at London estate

Edward W. Muchiri

Building Inspector, MCN

Engineer/Architect, MCN

#### Site 4: Church and Nursery school



50 church members & 30 pupils 3UDs toilets: 1 for men, 1 for women, 1 for children & soak pits.





# Financing

- At the pilot stage there is no willingness to contribute money for the construction by landlords/ house owners
- However, they are ready and willing to contribute in labour and materials.
- Piloting will be 100% financed by ROSA but for up-scaling and sustainability some micro-finances have been identified that can give soft loans/revolving funds.

#### ROSA'S ACHIEVEMENTS SO FAR IN NAKURU

- ROSA conducted a Baseline Survey covering the entire municipality between March and August, 2007.
- Findings from the baseline study were analyzed and have been used in the development of various draft versions of a Strategic Sanitation and Waste Plan (SSWP) for Nakuru, with the final draft due in November.
- Currently research is on-going in WHO guidelines, O&M and Settlement Structures Grey water and on Financing of sanitation some of whose preliminary findings have been used in the implementation.



#### Implementation/Piloting



# Pilot Unit at a Church/Nursery school





5 male urinals

# ROSA team members at the official opening of the new toilet facility



The Nakuru ROSA team has developed several Information, Education and Communication (IEC) materials including posters, brochures, A0 canvas banners, UD toilet models and calendars for awareness creation on sustainable sanitation



A0 Canvas banners explaining ROSA concepts

#### More IEC materials





#### ROSA 2008 Calendar

Posters and UD toilet models and banners

#### Awareness creation workshops on Sustainable Sanitation (EcoSan)



Awareness workshop at a High school

Community awareness creation at London/Hilton

### **International Exhibitions**

- ROSA team members participated in the Eastern Africa Water Association (EAWA) Exhibition in Kisumu city, Kenya 13<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> June, 2008. where it emerged the overall best exhibitor winning a Trophy
- Egerton University Research week and International Conference, 16<sup>th</sup> -18<sup>th</sup> September, 2008



EAWA Trophy

# **International Conferences**

- The team has attended and participated in a number of conferences including:
- Sustainable Sanitation Alliance (SuSanA) Conference, 16<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> February, 2008 at Durban, South Africa
- Moi University 4<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference, 29<sup>th</sup> July-2<sup>nd</sup> August, 2008 at Moi University Eldoret
- Egerton University 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Research week and International Conference, 16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> September, 2008.

## **EAWA Exhibitors**



The team that represented ROSA in the Exhibition

### **Institutional Set up**



# Partners involved in Sanitation

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### Local Sanitation Initiative group

# **Implementation Challenges**

- Awareness and acceptability
- Cultural barriers to new concepts of ecological sanitation
- Unplanned settlement structures
- Financing implementation
- Operation and maintenance at community level
- Up scaling of sanitation

# **THANK YOU**