#### Development and Implementation of OSS-FSM Bylaws - a case of Lusaka, Zambia

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# Outline

- Introduction Lusaka
- Sanitation situation
- Why Regulate Sanitation? And related laws.
- What is the process for By-Law formulation?
- Enforcement mechanisms
- Challenges and Way-forward.



### Location









## Introduction

- Lusaka population
- Growth rate
- People living in Peri-urban Areas
- Water service coverage
- Estimated Sanitation coverage Offsite sanitation Onsite sanitation

**Open Defecation** 

1.8 million people (CSO 2014) 4.9% (CSO, 2014) 70% 80%

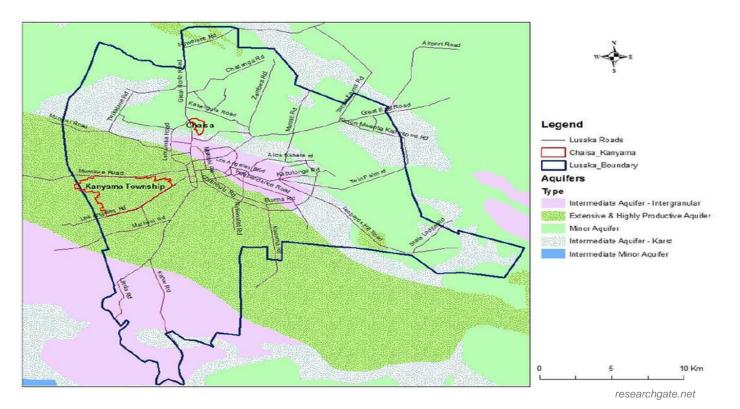
Sewer	10%
Septic tank	16%
Pit latrines	70%
4%	





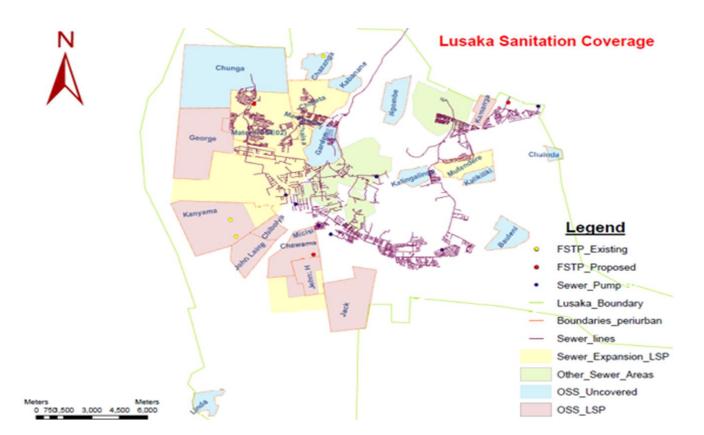


## Ground water vulnerability map





#### Sanitation coverage map





#### Sanitation situation in PUA



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#### **Protection of Public Health**



#### Protection of Natural Resources



#### Restore dignity in Society



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- The Public Health Act CAP 295 1
- The Local Government Act CAP 281 2.
- The Water Supply and Sanitation Act No. 12 of 1997 3.
- The Urban Regional and Planning Act No. 3 of 2015 4.
- The Environmental Management Act No. 12 of 2011 5.
- The Water Resources Management Act No. 21 of 2011 6.



## **OSS By-Law: Bridging The Gap**

Mainstreaming new technology(s) in Onsite Sanitation facilities (OSS).



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## **OSS By-Law: Bridging The Gap**

 Regulate the Faecal Sludge Management service chain.



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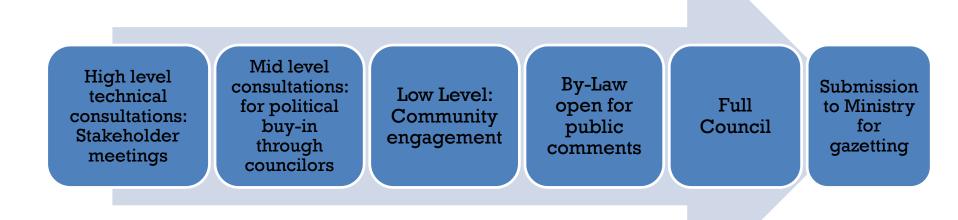
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#### **Process of By-Law Formulation**





- Lusaka City Council: Monitoring selection and construction of approved OSS facilities, enforcement of safe emptying
- **ZEMA:** Transport and treatment
- **NWASCO:** Protection of consumer rights, ensuring economics of activities
- WARMA: Protection of (ground) water resources
- **ZABS:** Enforcement on standards of products and procedures prior to construction







- Lack of coordination between enforcement agencies
- Inadequate information flow

Human resource and logistical challenges





Creation of a robust and integrated MIS system

 Vigorous health education and sanitation marketing campaigns

Community engagement for acceptability

#### Ubusaka – Chimbusu

# Dignity of a home is based on the clean state of your toilet.

Thank you