



GEF-Satoyama Subgrantee Highlights Report

Organization Name:	GIF
Country:	Seychelles
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<Highlight 1>: Project vehicle was purchased
With assistance from GEF Satoyama and several local co-founders we managed to purchase a Nissan nv200 project vehicle. Although already in use, we will be having a big media event in Q2 to showcase the handover on national television and newspapers in collaboration with local co-founders.

<Highlight 2>: Project assistant was recruited
After an initial delay in finding a suitable candidate, Mr Frank Volcere has been recruited to assist with project implementation. He has started work on October 3rd.

<Highlight 3>: Draft materials have been developed (threatened species ID guide, questionnaires)
In order to inform our project partners about the species of interest, a draft species ID guide was created that will be refined throughout the project based on addition of new or removal of species as proposed by fishermen. The first draft of the questionnaires, both for current and older fishermen has been developed and will be trialed during Q2

Photos



(Unofficial) handover of the project vehicle, Seychelles. ©GIF/Jennifer Appoo