



GEF-Satoyama Subgrantee Highlights Report

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<Highlight 1>: Training and exposure trip by organizing a common training and exposure trip for community leaders, including men, women and youth leaders from the 3 communities

Community leaders and members from 3 communities came together in Mae Yod community because they agree to arrange the training and exposure trip there. More than ten people from 3 communities which included men, women and youth leaders, particularly from Mae Yod many members of the villagers are involved in the training process included elders (Sharman), women group members and youth group (both men and women).

The main content of the training are to understand the philosophy, concept or idea behind the project by item by item respectively of 5-6 components and the way how to implementation the project.

Not only about the project but also they know and aware on the rights of indigenous people based on United Nation Declaration on the rights of Indigenous peoples (UNDRIP) included Free Prior Inform Consent (FPIC) and CBD article 8j (support indigenous knowledge and practice) and article 10c (Customary law and practice). In the same time they also know and aware of the framework of Cabinet Resolution of the Thai Government on "The Recovering the life style of Karen People in Thailand" August 3rd 2010.

Leaders and member of the communities included men, women and youth (both men and women) have generated awareness, knowledge and skills on how to implement the project particularly on about the sustainable management of their natural resources, including the common, understand the approach of the project, project plan and its implementation, they are aware and clear approach on how to implement the project.

<Highlight 2>: Forums for community leaders, women, youth groups and networks for 3 communities to raise awareness, knowledge and skills on sustainable NRM and to have common approach and project implementation plan

These forums are the forums of the three communities, they have done separately by one by one, and that means there are 3 forums of the three communities.

The result of each forum based on the report in details:

The leaders and members more than 60 persons (included men, women and youth) attend this meeting. The meeting focuses on to clear understand of all components of the project and each component need to develop action plan for implementation. After half day exchange and learn from each other to understand and aware of the whole 4 components of the project, we have divided in to small group who select his or her own interesting component, each member of small group have develop action plan practically based on their experiences. The results come out with four set of action plan for implement for this project.

Then Leaders (women and men) and community members (included men, women and youth/both men and women) came back to plenary report the action plans by one by one and the floor raise questions, share and exchange to each other, and come out with set of knowledge related to governance and management that can be applied in their own community context. Community organizations unite on common needs, perspectives and understanding, including of the project framework and agree on strategy and work plan as consensus to their work plan strategy.

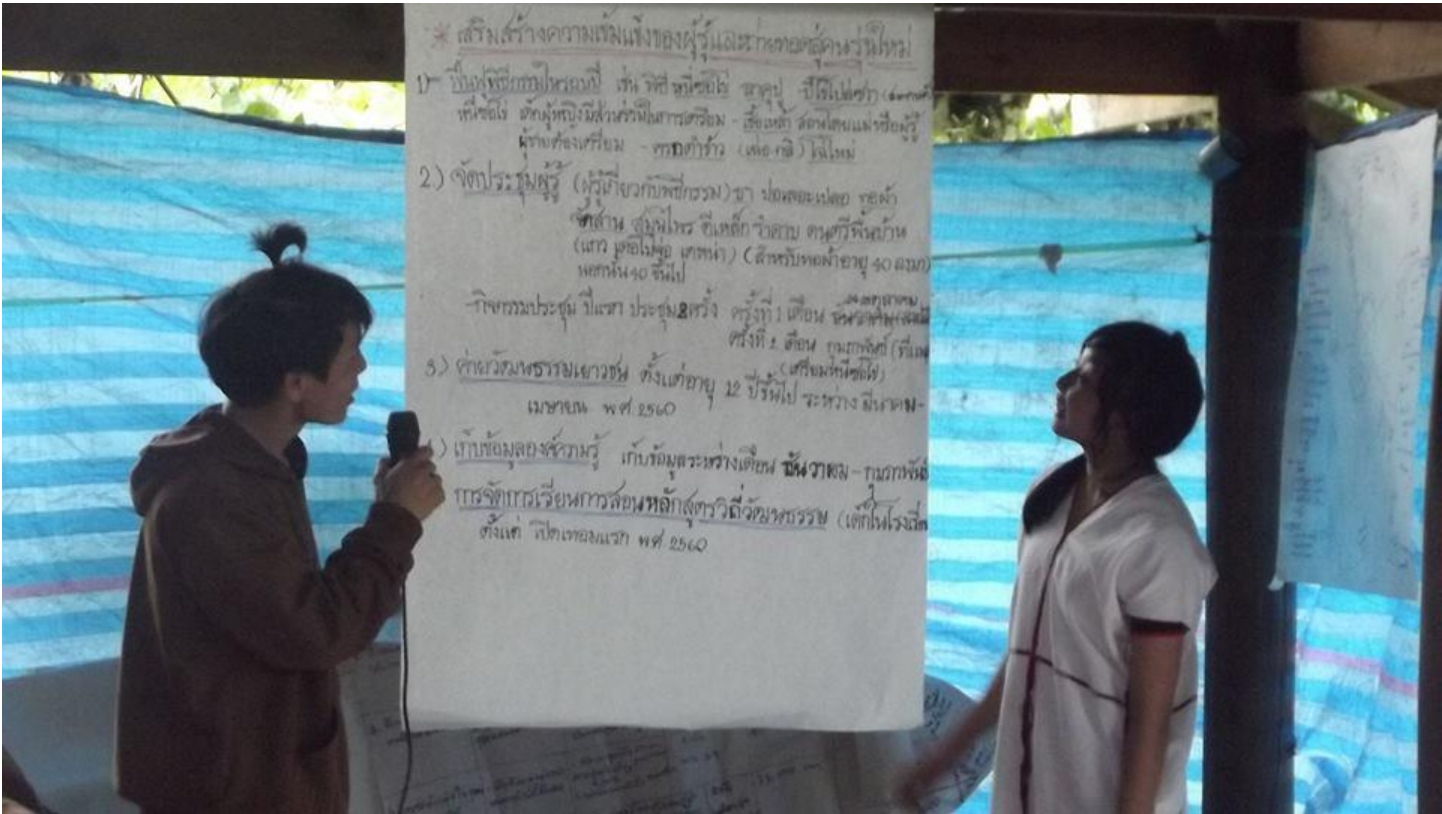
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Women leader have done the report at Mae Um Pai community



The leaders include women, men and youth in the meeting in Mae Um Pai



The youth (both young boy and girl) have reported the results of the small group meeting during the forum in Mae Yod Khee