



## GEF-Satoyama Subgrantee Highlights Report

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Country:	Madagascar
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### <Highlight 1>: Highlight during patrol activities

Please add a summary/explanation

One *Eulemur fulvus albifrons* was found in a trap during boundary markings at Anjiahely. As a result, an information session was held by WCS agent, Josset, to the local population to explain the regulations concerning hunting of lemurs



Photo 1 : The patrol team found a lemur on a trap

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<Highlight 2>: Marking boundaries in the forest in the project area

WCS has renewed the missing boundary marks in collaboration with local communities.



Photo 2 : Putting up red paint to mark the boundary of the Park  
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<Highlight 3>: Follow-up and technical assistance to organic clove farmers

GEF Satoyama team made a visit at the forest restoration of Vohitaly in order to see the realizations on the ground. Yoji NATORI (Manager, GEF-Satoyama Project, Conservation International Japan) and Devon DUBLIN (Project Coordinator, Global Environment Facility - Satoyama Project Conservation International Japan) decided to plant local endemic species in the site.



Photo 3 : WCS and Satoyama team at the Vohitaly Forest Restoration Site  
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Photo 4 : Yoji NATORI (Manager, GEF-Satoyama Project, Conservation International Japan) and Devon DUBLIN (Project Coordinator, Global Environment Facility - Satoyama Project Conservation International Japan) have participated in planting endemic trees in the forest restoration site  
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<Highlight 4>: Follow-up and technical assistance to organic clove farmers

As noted during monitoring missions, local population has shown good commitment in the project. Clove farmers maintain nurseries according to technical guidelines and plan to increase the number of seedlings



Photo 5 : Cooperative members are maintaining clove and cocoa nurseries  
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<Highlight 5>: Improved Rice Farming System with agricultural tools for lead farmers

The cropping season begins this quarter. Following awareness-raising session on Improved Rice Farming System, 85 rice farmers have accepted to change their farming practices. We may expect a reduction in the number of application for clearing permits starting in October.



Photo 6 : A man is accompanied by his wife in weeding and maintenance of rice fields, using improved rice system  
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