



## **PAUTHO VISION FOR WOMEN EMPOWERMENT**

**(VIWE) UGANDA LTD**

**MONTHLY REPORT**

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### **Introduction**

This report explains the activities that were carried out in the month of April and we would like to tell the team that within this month, we had visitors from Germany that is Thomas, Pauline, Chris and Martina who moved around to also monitor how different groups and individuals who are beneficiaries of PAUTHO are running the projects they started using the revolving fund which was given to them in form of soft loans.

### **Activities**

#### **Monitoring of projects**

As our routine, we moved and checked some of the groups and individual projects, and here are some of our observations;

There is gradual improvement of livelihood among some of our consistent and hardworking members. Some of the members started with small projects and as we write to you now they are

growing big every passing moment as their soft loan level too increases. For instance; Lunyolo Scovia from Watsombe women's group started with a small retail shop, she later added on a restaurant and then butchery, her projects are doing well and she is constructing a permanent house for business from the profits made. As attribute her success to PAUTHO loans. Another member in the name of Wanyenya Petwa from Buyaka 'B' integrated group in Bungwanyi parish started with selling silver fish in small quantities from her first loan, but now she has opened up tailoring shop in Bumakika Trading Centre. (She is dealing in; selling silver fish, tomatoes, bananas and tailoring) hence improving standards of living.

Co-operation and spirit of togetherness are always observed among our beneficiaries. They stand with each other in times of need, by providing emotional, material and financial support. This was evidenced when a member from Shikundu women Ambanilakho group was struggling to raise her loan remittance but one member covered her up.

Good progressing reports from our members have created a lot of awareness among the community and this has prompted many other new groups to show interest and wish to be considered by our organization.

As PAUTHO organization, we have somehow bridged the gap of unemployment among the vulnerable women. Due to the financial support we have extended, as many women in the community are now engaged in Income Generating Activities.

### **Loan Recoveries**

As per the list attached, we gladly report to the team that our members are indeed very co-operative in repaying back their soft loans to the organization. Amidst financial crisis, we were able to recover some good amount of money from our beneficiaries. Though there are some few members who are still struggling to repay back their soft loans and this is due to understandable factors like sickness, paying school fees for their children etc.

### **Loan Disbursement**

We have always extended the services nearer to the people (members) who are beneficiaries in form of soft loans to groups who qualify to work and move with us towards the achievements of our goal as an organization and this being one of the activities amongst others that we are

rendering to the community , we would like to report that we disbursed some amount of money to individuals (staffs) and groups like; Nabikhoso 'A' group, Shikoye Isango women group and Mausirula and work group among others. As our role, we offered financial guidance to the beneficiaries as they accessed their soft loans.

### **Conclusion**

We deeply express Buch-Aktion for their enormous and tireless support rendered towards the sustainability of the organization through meeting its set objective of empowering vulnerable women in the community of Bukende Sub County.

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