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Legitimization

SCINAP attended a meeting, at the MLHHS, on the preliminary report of the New Dar es Salaam Master Plan. It is still undetermined as to when the final draft of the Master Plan will be out. However, we do know that the consultants are in the process of conducting consultation meetings with various stakeholders. SCINAP's hope for the month of April is to go out and visit some of the zoned areas, which have been identified by the municipalities for UA activities. After which, SCINAP aspires to collaborate with stakeholders to host an UA Stakeholders Feedback Workshop. The workshop will provide different stakeholders the opportunity to voice their questions and concerns about the legitimization process. This workshop will also provide the consultants, who drafted the Master Plan, the opportunity to collect valuable feedback in which to improve on the implementation and long term impact of the New Dar es Salaam Master Plan.

SCINAP Peer Exchange

The report on the SCINAP Peer Exchange, which was held in late February, is now finished and ready for distribution. Please contact me if you are interested in having a copy. I will be able to provide you with a soft copy of the report.

TaFoGa Net

During the Peer Exchange; TaFoGa Net established networks with NEFSALF and will be sending representatives to a training workshop and Forum meeting at the end of April 2012. We will update you on their lessons from Nairobi.

TaFoGa Net is looking to increase its members!!!! It is calling out to committed Urban Farmers throughout Dar es Salaam. If you are a passionate and determined farmer, looking to get involved with an influential and active Farmers Network, please contact TaFoGa Net's Secretary Fred Njegeja at: njegeja@gmail.com, telephone: 0787810226.

They will be excited to hear from you!!!!

Compost for Agriculture – Go Organic!!

SCINAP is assisting community groups such as, Kisiwani Environmental Group in Buguruni and Vijana Mazingira in Ubungo, to start composting projects. The compost will be tested for quality by the University of Ardhi. If you are interested in buying quality compost and cultivate organic fruit and vegetables, please get in touch with us!

In closing

We hope to make these newsletters informative and insightful. If you have any suggestions for ways in which the newsletter could be improved, or have any information on urban agriculture you would like to share, please feel free to contact us. Thank you for your continued interest and support for urban agriculture in Dar es Salaam. We are grateful for the opportunity to engage with you.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN URBAN AGRICULTURE IN DAR ES SALAAM
WE APPRECIATE YOUR TIME AND SUPPORT

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