

#### Project Features

Project name:	Rural Water Supply and Sanitation Projects
Project code:	EE-2004-01
Objective:	Facilitation of community planning and management of water supply and sanitation facilities
Project focus:	Water Supply
Location:	Ingunga and Kondoa District, Tanzania
Implementation agency:	EEPCO
Funded by:	Ministry of Water (WB)
Project duration:	11/2004 – 11/2006
Project leader(s):	John Ngeme, Edmund John, Godwin Maleko, Alfred Shayo
No. of beneficiaries:	84026 people



#### Detailed Project Description

The overall objective of RWSS projects is to improve and sustain access to water and sanitation services in rural communities through a decentralized, district-based implementation and management model. In Igunga and Kondoa Districts, EEPCO implemented demand-responsive and sustainable Community Water Supply Services in 20 villages.

Project activities included:

- Provision of basic drinking water and sanitation facilities
- Strengthening of community capacity for planning, implementing, operating and maintaining their facilities. Formation and training of Water User Associations (WUA) and WatSan committees
- Integration of water supply and sanitation with hygiene education to maximize the project's health benefits
- District-level capacity building for District Councils, the private sector and NGOs
- Promotion and provision of rural water supply and sanitation facilities which are appropriate, affordable, and acceptable to their users