

Community energy resilience strategies in response to disasters, 3rd December 2020



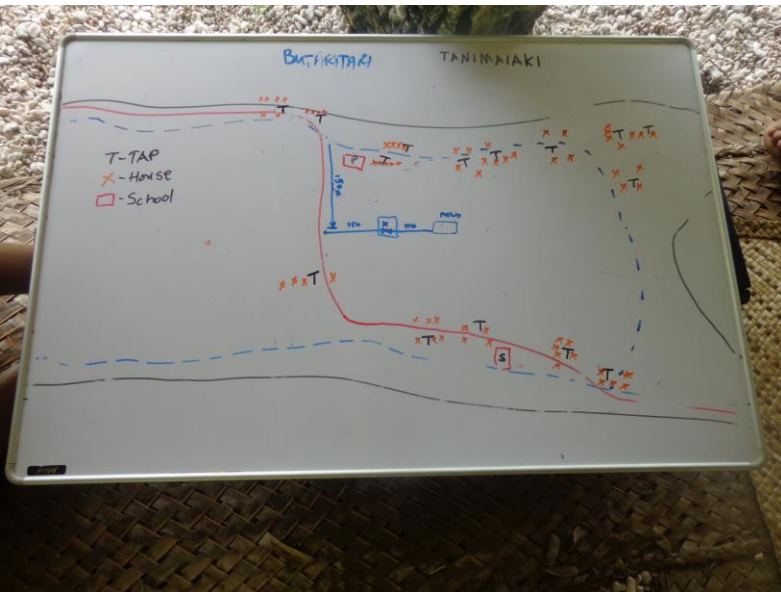
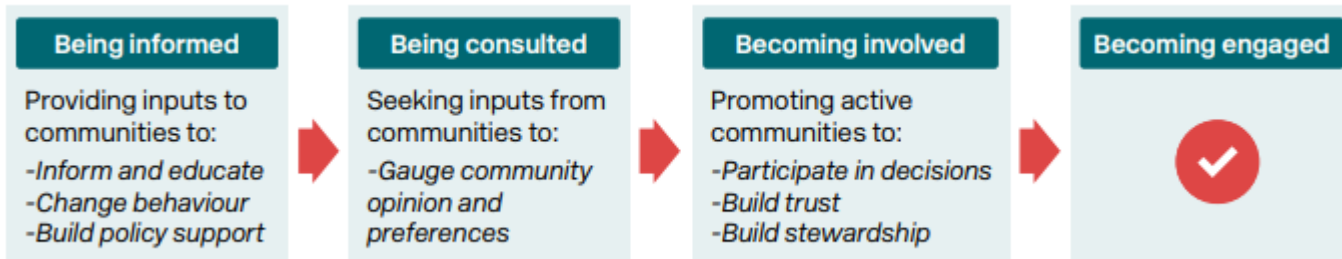
Community Engagement Process

(Community engagement in the Water and Sanitation experience)

- ❑ **Who makes up the community?**
 - Men, **Women**, **Youths**, community leaders and other key people in the community
- ❑ **Why involve community?**
 - **Ownership** and **Sustainability** of the community managed infrastructures

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❑ Level of discussion with the community?

- Community expectations, designs, community contribution, local knowledge, local capacities, land boundaries and agreements, timeframes, community by laws

❑ Tools and approaches used in the community consultation process

- PRA (Participatory rural appraisal)
- Transect walk
- Maps
- Pictures
- Technical feasibility information



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❑ Challenges of an extensive community consultation :

- Costs, delay in timeframes, availability of team members, delay in expenditure rates

❑ Outcomes of a successful community consultation :

- Community action plans, signed land agreement, bylaws for the infrastructure, agreements on the management committee and roles, additional information for design purposes, community involvement