

NORTHEAST SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE (NesDi-RNBA)



Theme:
“Celebrating the Past for Glorious Future”

Date : 26th October 2022 (Wednesday)

Venue : RBCC Centre Church Imphal

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A note

FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR NesDi-RNBA



Heartiest greetings to everyone in this historic event of NesDi-RNBA celebrating its 37th Anniversary in the year 2022-2023 themed **“Celebrating the Past for Glorious Future”**! On the occasion, with the blessings and guidance of God, we are observing the 37th Anniversary on Wednesday, 26th day of October, 2022 as a mark of celebrating the work and lives of people impacted by RNBA. The Development and Relief wing of RNBA was established in the year 1985 and has been actively working with the communities since then. Our efforts have now culminated in being impacting to 368 villages and more than 93,113 households in 16 districts of Manipur, one district each in Assam (Cachar) and Nagaland (Peren). I am truly joyful for the fact that this is possible with the trust and support of the communities in Manipur and Northeast India - the one we serve - our donors, partner NGOs, government officials, and well-wishers.

The predecessors of Northeast Sustainable Development Initiative (NesDi-RNBA) have brought us here with their courage, resilience and determination against the innumerable challenges. The labour and wisdom of Mr. Thuankubui Pamei, the first leader & Mr. Mumai Pheiga, the second leader have built the foundation of NesDi-RNBA and entrusted me to continue our engagement in immediate relief and social development of the people in Northeast. We deeply appreciate our past leaders for their selfless service, integrity, courage, determination and faithfulness in the service of the oppressed communities. We are committed to take the legacy forward towards brighter and glorious future. The true meaning for us to celebrate the 37th Anniversary is to learn from the past, celebrate the present and imagine a future together.


I am aware that social changes have happened in Manipur and Northeast India with and without NesDi-RNBA. I believe there is more to be done. There are many areas needed to be improved in the days to come by focussing resources and energies of all stakeholders to bring about sustainable development. Therefore, it is vital that we rise up and sail into the future with vigour and zeal towards attaining the organisation's vision of building Self Reliant Societies Ensuring Peace, Prosperity, Justice and Sustainable Development. At NesDi-RNBA, we continue to learn and equip ourselves to address the same issues in different ways and we are committed to the people's welfare.

I am immensely happy and excited to be with all the stakeholders on this auspicious occasion. I would like to acknowledge my heartfelt gratitude to the generous donors Bread for the World, Azim Premji Foundation, NABARD, NECBDC, MSME and other various agencies. Our recent association with the Veddies Foundation is noteworthy for their support to us. Institutions & individuals like FMSF, CPA, PRIA, INDIAdonates, Cadasta, SeSTa, Mr. Pranab Ranjan Choudhury, Mr. Pradyut Bhattacharjee, Mr. Armstrong Pame (IAS), Mr. H. Worshang (IAS) and many others who make all our works possible.

It would be incomplete without the tireless efforts and commitment of all the staffs (new and old) of NesDi-RNBA through these years. My sincere thanks to all the RBCC churches, Board Members, well-wishers, communities, Partner NGOs, CSOs, VDCs, FBOs, Financial Institutions and other agencies for walking the path with us.

Once again, I, on behalf of the organizing committee of the 37th Anniversary and NesDi-RNBA, extend my deepest gratitude for all the unstinted support you have rendered throughout all these years. May we continue to make this journey together.

With heartfelt gratitude,



Dimgong Rongmei
Executive Director,
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MESSAGE

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It is my immense pleasure to congratulate RNBA on its 37th anniversary. It is worthy to mention the comprehensive community service and all your efforts and accomplishments in serving the poor and needy in all districts of Manipur for the last 36 years. It is not just an organisation anniversary, it is an anniversary of community partners and all stakeholders that grew strong defying the odds. The development models RNBA contributed will have huge impact in the community development process of Manipur. Happy 37th Anniversary ! Wishing you many more years of unparalleled success and unrivalled community services for the people of Manipur, Northeast India and our nation.

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MESSAGE

I am happy to learn that Rongmei Naga Baptist Association (RNBA)/NesDi-RNBA, Social Mission RBCC is celebrating its 37th Anniversary on the 26th Day of October, 2022 under the theme *"Celebrating the Past for Glorious Future"*.

RNBA is an autonomous organization with a mission and objectives through comprehensive holistic development approach with multi angle intervention on natural resource management, land rights, sustainable livelihood, nurturing & building local institutions, enhancing human capacity, communication and resources by using committed toward serving the needy people in the communities that we are being part of.

Celebrating the 37th Anniversary is to take the challenge upon ourselves to follow the footsteps of the past leaders. This celebration is an appropriate occasion to re-consider their integrity, courage, determination and faithfulness in the service of the oppressed communities.

I, once again, extend my warm greetings to the Rongmei Naga Baptist Association (RNBA)/NesDi-RNBA, Social Mission RBCC on the occasion of the 37th Anniversary and convey my best wishes for grand success of the celebration.


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MESSAGE


It is a moment of great joy for me, to congratulate the RNBA in the 37th Anniversary on 26th day of the October 2022 under the theme “Celebrating the Past for Glorious Future”.

I am pleased to see RNBA’s remarkable developmental works for the communities under the visionary leadership of Mr. Thuankubui Pamei, Mr. Mumai Pheiga and Mr. Dimgonglung Rongmei, emerging as a leading development organization in the Northeastern Region of India.

Happy to learn RNBA works on grounded models and strategies to bring about sustainable development in Manipur and Northeast India through Forest Restoration with Locally Important Species, Sloping Agricultural Land Technology, Land Tenure Certificate a framework for customary land tenure system of tribal in Manipur and northeast India, Reviving Government School, System of Rice Intensification based on its six principles, Do No Harm (Local Capacity of Peace Project) since mid-1990s and continuous relief intervention.

Once again, great to learn that RNBA working with all communities and partners organizations, across religious and ethnic diversities, works with Tribal, Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups, and other marginalized communities focusing on enhancing Natural Resource Management, Land Rights, Sustainable Livelihood, Sustainable Agriculture, Nurturing & Building Local Institutions for the development.

I wish RNBA and its leadership a great success in the future endeavour too.



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MESSAGE

Imphal
07th October, 2022

I am pleased to learn that NesDi-RNBA is celebrating its 37th anniversary on the 26th day of October, 2022 under the theme "Celebrating the Past for Glorious Future."

It is heartening to learn that NesDi-RNBA has been contributing significantly towards nation building and nurturing human values through rendering efforts in the service of the oppressed and the marginalized section of our society which has been well received and recognized by the people. I would like to take this opportunity to further encourage each and every one behind these endeavours to continue rendering their selfless and noble services for the sustainable development of our community.

On this auspicious occasion, I would like to congratulate the Board and its members for the commendable services rendered throughout the years and wishes many more successes in the years to come.

Extending my best wishes for the grand success of the celebration.

(JANGHEMLUNG PANMEI)

Mumai Pheiga
Former Secretary
NesDi-RNBA



Message

I extend my felicitation with immense pride and joy to the Development & Relief Department, RNBA, on the celebration of its 37th anniversary to be marked on the 26th of October 2022 under the theme “*Celebrating the Past for Glorious Future*”.

As I reflect upon my journey with RNBA, I cannot help but feel nostalgic. The day on which my office bade me an affectionate farewell also happened to be the ‘*Silver Jubilee*’ of my service in the organization. It was emotional as well as coincidental. However, in retrospect, I think it was designed with a purpose.

Thirty-two years ago, RNBA created a space for me to serve as a Secretary in the Development and Relief Department. I started as a lone worker, equipped with no knowledge of development or institutional building and with no budget. The initial years of my office were highly challenging. The challenges stemmed broadly from two accounts- first, the conservative and fundamental form of organizational ownership, and second, the desperate need to gather financial support for the organization. Confronting these challenges became a routine task in the office.

Over the years, Development & Relief Department was built brick by brick on the foundations of justice and human ethos. At one point, the organization worked with over 100 villages on various issues such as relief, food security, livelihood, and land rights etc. Moreover, the organization has also produced good leaders in different communities.

I was given an excellent opportunity to serve God by serving individuals and communities that needed help. I consider my fortune of having had the privilege to work with brilliant professionals and competent colleagues. I was able to bring bread and butter to my family and groom my children through working with RNBA. Therefore, I owe my gratitude to this organization.

I wish I could have contributed more to RNBA. Though my role was insignificant I sincerely hope one will consider it as a mustard seed- the smallest of seeds sown to become a tree bountifully growing on the ground of Justice and human ethos. Moreover, I genuinely believe in the fact that we live in a world that is in a state of flux – a dynamic world of changing systems and financial conditions. But with time we can adapt to the changes without losing sight of our core values of ‘Justice & Fraternity’. As long as the organization’s attitude towards its staff, communities, authorities, and donors operate from these core values - I’ll deem myself repaid by RNBA.

My sincere respect to all the noble and generous donors who have been supporting the organization financially along with their ethical guidance. The names that need mention amongst many others are; EZE-EED-Bread for the World, TATA Trusts, NEICORD, Canada High Commission and IGSS. Without their support, it would not have been possible for RNBA to reach this milestone. I hope the organization achieves more such milestones in the future.

In addition, I personally thank all my good friends who are working with RNBA as development partners. I wish them all success and good luck.

I pray to the Almighty for the grand success of the 37th-anniversary celebration of the Development & Relief Department, RNBA.



Mumai Pheiga



Edda Kirleis
Brot für die Welt,
Germany

Message



Nicole Derbinski
Brot für die Welt,
Germany

On the occasion of the 37th Anniversary of RNBA we are sending you felicitations from Brot für die Welt in Berlin, Germany

Our thoughts and prayers are with you for this important event, which is a great opportunity to highlight our longstanding and trusted partnership that serves as a pillar of working for the development of the poor and marginalized in Northeast India since more than 25 years. RNBA is an outstanding Association in Northeast India. We as your development partners strongly cherish your deep commitment for the development of poor and marginalized communities in NEI irrespective of their creed and caste. Your development wing has become a cornerstone in development activities with so many NGOs, churches and communities and a trusted partner of BfdW, equally working as development wing of the German protestant churches.

Through your engagement, you are contributing to God's vision of a just society and follow Jesus's option for the poor and excluded.

This anniversary is a wonderful opportunity to appreciate this important contribution.

Thanks to all your members, colleagues, partners and members of diverse communities in Manipur and Nagaland who contribute to social change making a difference in people's lives.

May your work continue to be blessed.

Nicole Derbinski & Edda Kirleis

Pranab R. Choudhury
Consultant, RNBA & Partners



MESSAGE

It is a moment of great pride for me, writing this message, in the context of the 37th Anniversary Celebration of RNBA on the 26th day of October 2022. I am fortunate to have accompanied RNBA, almost half of the journey, for last 16 years.

It is highly gratifying to see a dream seen a decade and half ago with erstwhile Director Mr Mumai Pheiga, has started fructifying now under the leadership of Mr Dimgonglung Rongmei, in form of RNBA emerging as a lead development organization in the Northeastern Region. Having seen RNBA operating from a small 2-room office with couple of projects, to find her, now leading inter-state, networked and large projects in partnership with government, financial institutions, corporate and national and international donors is highly fulfilling.

While many may see RNBA as faith-based organization from its name, I have watched it working with all communities and NGO partners, across religious and ethnic diversities, that Manipur boasts. Starting with environment and development as a mandate way back in 2006, it was definitely ahead of many in thinking this interdisciplinary reality. Since then, it has pioneered many developmental concepts and introduced promising and impactful innovations in the region that includes, participatory planning, social audit, integrated village development through local institutional building, land tenure mapping and land rights certificates for long-term land uses, climate resilient livelihoods, forest food regeneration and integrated farming systems etc. Recently, we have agreed to venture into novel development pathways around carbon and ecosystems services and nature-based solutions.

It is a matter of great satisfaction for me, to have been an accompanier of RNBA in this challenging yet highly satisfying journey. Experimenting and co-travelling new and adaptive development paradigms has been quite indulging while monitoring their interaction and impact on ground has been very enriching. I wish RNBA all success in its journey to make sustainable and just development for the region a reality, led by resilient community.

Pranab R. Choudhury

About Rongmei Naga Baptist Association (RNBA)

Established in the year, 1985, initially, as a church based organization with its Development & Relief Department secular in nature. The Development and Relief Department of the organization was constituted for rendering magnanimous services towards humanitarian. In 2021, the Development & Relief Department was christened as RNBA and the council of churches were restructured as Rongmei Baptist Churches Council (RBCC). RNBA now has achieved complete autonomy from the churches to further our secular efforts in social development initiatives for the welfare of the people. The Board of RNBA has decided to brand RNBA as Northeast Sustainable Development Initiative (NesDi) as RNBA implying our intentions to expand our work beyond Manipur. RNBA currently works with Tribal, Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups, and other marginalised communities focusing on enhancing Natural Resource Management, Land Rights, Sustainable Livelihood, Sustainable Agriculture, nurturing & building local institutions & CSOs/NGOs in Manipur, Nagaland and Assam.

The first leader of RNBA was Mr. Thuankubui Pamei followed by more than two decades of leadership under Mr. Mumai Pheiga till 2015. Mr Pheiga entrusted Dimgonglung Rongmei with RNBA since then till present. Dimgonglung Rongmei remains the Executive Director, NesDi-RNBA.

Why RNBA is Celebrating its 37th Anniversary?

Since its establishment, the Development wing neither the now autonomous organisation haven't observed its anniversaries or any other event which marks the joyous celebration of our work with its stakeholders. We organise the 37th Anniversary celebrations to reflect on our work, share with you our deeds and hope to move forward with your support for years to come and for lives to impact.

An organisation which has influenced thousands of lives for nearly four decades haven't found an opportunity to celebrate its efforts. We believe, time is right, especially after three gruesome years of pandemic (2020, 2021 & 2022) to share our journey with everyone. NesDi-RNBA is celebrating its 37th Anniversary on the 26th day of October, 2022 on the theme "Celebrating the Past for Glorious Future". The true meaning for us to celebrate is to learn from the past, share and celebrate our efforts so far and imagine our future with you. This celebration will also be a turning point for us at NesDi-RNBA with a prospect of growth and expansion in Northeast India.

Learning from the past

In nearly four decades, RNBA has come up with various development models and strategies to bring about sustainable development to the geography and politics of Manipur and Northeast India in particular. Some of the models are:

1. Forest Restoration with Locally Important Species (FORLIS):

Tribal or indigenous people have a deep cultural tradition of conserving natural forest near the village settlement area for various reasons. In Rongmei, it is called “Rambou”. However, there is a decline in cultural practices due to aggravating external factors. After several rounds of consultation and discussion with the Tribal elders and leaders, RNBA came up with an idea of forest restoration along the concept of Rambou by regenerating locally important species like agar, *Canarium strictum* Roxb, *sugandh mantri*, tree bean, cane & bamboo, wild fruits and vegetables where income, nutrition (food basket), ecosystem services, biodiversity conservation is enhanced while natural forest cover is conserved. For instance, *Canarium strictum* Roxb, known by common names including black *dhup*, *Raal*, *Raaldhup* and black dammar, a tree species where its resin are collected. Traditionally people collect resins from few trees in natural forest where one can generate Rs. 30,000 – 40,000/ year/plant. Since these are not foreign species which could bring changes to the ecosystem, the idea came up “If we can regenerate 1000 plants of locally important species with high economic worth, we collect only the resins from the trees, forest will remain intact, and income will enhance, let’s do it...”. That’s how we decided to take up the idea of FORLIS. This model also aims at promoting ecopreneurs among the youth.

2. **Sloping Agricultural Land Technology (SALT)** is a sustainable alternative for sloping land agricultural systems like jhum/shifting cultivation. It is also known as Contour Hedgerow Intercropping (Agroforestry) Technology (CHIAT), is a system in which dense hedgerows of fast growing perennial nitrogen-fixing tree or shrub species are planted along contour lines thus creating a living barrier that traps sediments and gradually transforms the sloping land to terraced land. The nitrogen-fixing hedgerows lining the terrace help improve soil fertility through nitrogen fixation at the roots and incorporation of the hedgerow trimmings into the soil. The hedgerows both markedly reduce soil erosion and contribute to improving and/or maintaining soil fertility. The technology was developed by the Mindanao Baptist Rural

Life Centre, internationally known by the name of its sister affiliate Asian Rural Life Development Foundation (ARLDF), on a marginal site in Kinua Kusan, Mindanao Island, Philippines.

RNBA adopted the model in the 2000 & 2001 at Siangai (Perengba) supported by Canada High Commission, however, due to many reasons the model was dropped and the communities continued jhum/shifting cultivation. RNBA conducted assessment and evaluation for a project supported by BftW by Mr. David Gandhi. With his expertise, he identified gaps, developed a context-specific model for Northeast India and promoted SALT in Aben. RNBA is scaling up the model to other areas of Manipur hill districts.

3. Land Tenure Certificate (LTC)

The land in the hill is not documented and is purely under customary regime. There are no legal framework and legal institutions around land in the hills. When and if issues around land arise they are addressed in the customary court. The law of the land changes from village to village and from one governing authority to another. Hence, the customary land tenure system in Manipur and northeast is quite diverse and complex. As a result codification of customary land tenure system is not possible at a state or regional level.

There is a need to address land related conflicts and land tenure security for all. With increasing insecurities around land and its use, intra-village conflicts may rise. Land Tenure Certificate is a framework where land can be documented and a record can be developed as per the existing diverse customary land tenure systems. We do this by building trust with the local authorities; consent of every household and by using modern technologies like GPS/GIS. We ensure that even women of the household are included in the land tenure documentation thus securing them in the absence of their husband/father. Thus we have developed a framework where security can be introduced to customary land tenure system of Tribal people in Manipur and Northeast India.

We foresee that the land records will also be a document of evidence for the communities to solve land related conflicts.

- 4. Reviving Government School:** The idea of reviving government schools was seeded in 2013 since the personal involvement of Executive Director, Dimgonglung Rongmei in his native village, Taodaijang. For the Taodaijang Jr. H/S in Bwanruangh Taudaizaeng, Nungba, Noney, Manipur, he initiated public consultation with all villagers & DI of Tamenglong ZEO office. Villagers also organised separate emergency general meeting on the matter of reviving government school where he insisted that all children of the village must stay back to study in the public school. By 2014, the school revived with 80% of the village children attending the school.

Some significant value addition were that local institutions contributed both in monetary and service like cleaning the school campus done by women society; providing refreshments for the faculty and; village authority and SMDC were responsible and held accountable for the overall functioning of the school. The idea is to involve all key stakeholders of the village and collectively revive government school. It was evident that government school can be revived with active involvement of the community members.

- 5. System of Rice Intensification (SRI)** – This system is based on 6 principles: 1) Young seedlings between 8-12 days old (2-3 leaf stage) are transplanted to preserve potential for tillering and rooting ability; 2) Careful planting of single seedlings rather than in clumps that are often plunged in the soil; 3) Wider spacing at 25x25cm planting rather than in rows; 4) Use of cono-weeder/rotary hoe/power weeder to aerate the soil as well as controlling weeds; 5) Alternate wetting and dry method rather than continuous flooding in the field; 6) Use of organic manure or vermicompost / Farm Yard Manure.

RNBA promoted around 21,000 farmers across the districts of Manipur with the support of Tata Trusts from 2009 – 2014. Many farmers are still following although by compromising one or two of the above mentioned principles. The method is simple yields high productivity and is a sustainable farming practice.

- 6. Do No Harm (Local Capacity of Peace Project)** - In the mid-1990s, the Local Capacities for Peace Project (LCPP) was launched to investigate the relationship between aid and conflict. The Project is a collaborative effort involving international and local NGOs: the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC), Catholic Relief Services (CRS), World Vision (WV), UN agencies, and European and American donor agencies (USAID, CIDA, SIDA). Spearheaded by Mary B. Anderson of the Collaborative for Development Action (CDA), the LCPP set out to answer the following question: how can humanitarian or development assistance be given in conflict

situations in ways that, rather than feeding into and exacerbating the conflict, help local people to disengage and establish alternative systems for dealing with the underlying problems? Lessons learned from the field experiences of aid providers working in conflict situations around the world were compiled into a booklet, and more recently into a book (Anderson 1999). RNBA is following the 7 steps of Do No Harm framework in order to enhance peace and harmony in the state of Manipur.

Secretary/Executive Director, NesDi-RNBA

Sl.No.	Name of Secretary	Serving Years
1	Mr. Thuankubui Pamei (Finance Secretary & In-charge of Development & Relief Department)	April, 1985- December, 1990
2	Mr. Mumai Pheiga (Secretary, Development and Relief Department, RNBA)	January, 1991- March, 2015
3	Mr. Dimgonglung Rongmei (Executive Director, NesDi-RNBA)	April, 2015- till date

Core Values of NesDi-RNBA

1. Trust
2. Excellence
3. Grounded
4. Courageous
5. Continue Learning
6. Respect
7. Love

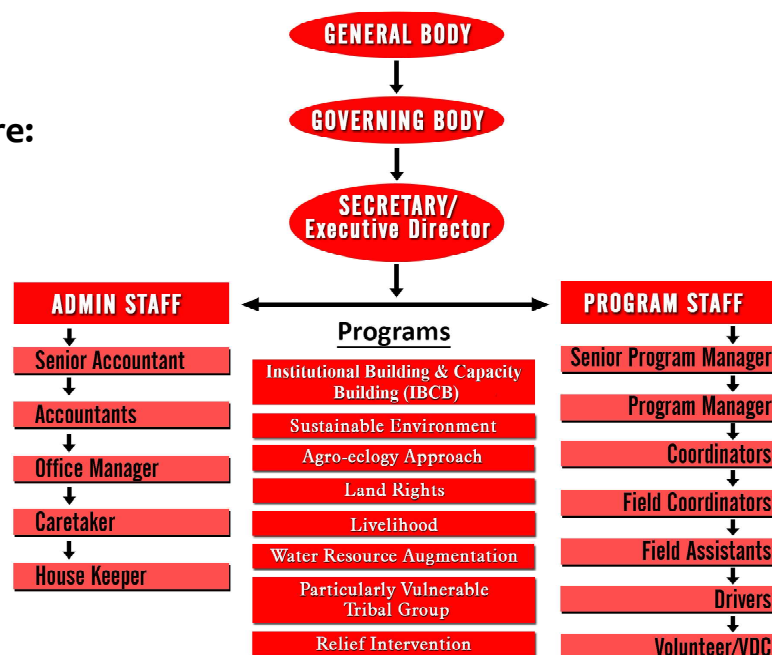
Mission of NesDi-RNBA

- Promoting Sustainable Ecosystem and Agricultural Practices.
- Ensuring Social Justice and Development to Tribal & PVTG, other Backward Classes and poor & vulnerable families by
 - ☞ Promoting Sustainable Livelihood
 - ☞ Enhancing Human Capacity through Formal, Non-Formal and Informal Education
 - ☞ Nurturing Vibrant Institutions
 - ☞ Enhancing Health Care and
 - ☞ Engaging with Children, Youth & Women

Objectives of NesDi-RNBA

Key Objectives of RNBA	Key Verticals of RNBA
☞ To conduct workshop, seminars, consultation and trainings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustainable NRM and Livelihood • Rights of the vulnerable (tribal, PVTG, women, disabled person) • Enhancing Human Capacity • Communication & Resources • Institutional Building and Capacity Building (ICB)
☞ Building local institutions	
☞ Rights and entitlement	
☞ Organizing skill and knowledge	
☞ Natural resource augmentation	
☞ Sustainable agricultural practices	
☞ Engaging community to enhance livelihood, health, sanitation and environment	
☞ Economic empowerment of youth and women	
☞ Land rights in tribal land tenure system	
☞ Engaging youth and local institutions for good governance	
☞ Advocacy and lobby for vulnerable	
☞ Engaging child care and development programs	

Organizational Structure:



Our approach: E3 Models

Entitlement: RNBA is securing land rights and through land mapping and formalizing Land related documents for target communities. RNBA is also working on connecting the target communities with different government schemes as well as banking and other financial services, especially through formation of women's SHGs. RNBA is also involved in advocacy to get other small and vulnerable tribes recognized as PVTG by the central government

Economic Advancement: RNBA is promoting income generation through sustainable, climate-efficient and organic farming practices for beneficiaries once their land is secured. RNBA is also promoting income generation via traditional arts of the PVTG communities, Bamboo and Cane crafting. The organization is augmenting production via technology infusion as well as promoting market linkages for a higher profit margin for the target beneficiaries.

Empowerment: RNBA is working towards long-term empowerment of their target communities, through promotion of good governance via forming and capacitating Village Development Committees, Youth Groups and other Community Based Organizations. They are also actively working in building capacity for smaller NGOs working on the ground around them. RNBA is also promoting empowerment for the community by working to provide quality education for the children of the target communities through their two schools.

Our thematic focus:

1. Natural Resource Management: agro-ecology, regeneration of forest plants enhancing food basket and economic gains.
2. Land Rights: long term land use, land mapping, land tenure certificate.
3. Livelihood approach: homestead system with integration of livestock.
4. Farming Systems: integrated farming system, System of rice intensification, diversion based irrigation.
5. Education: Reviving and supporting government and aided schools
6. Institutional building: Village Development Committee (VDC), Self Help Group (SHG), Youth Club, Farmer Producer Organisation (FPO).
7. Relief intervention.

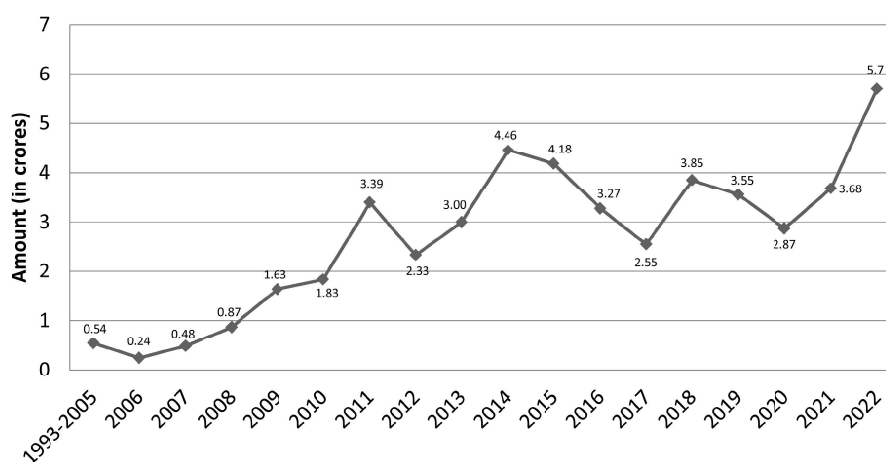
List of Donors:

Foreign – 08 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Bread for the World (BftW), Germany ➤ Canadian High Commission, Canada ➤ Canada Fund for Local Initiative (CFLI), Canada ➤ Water Aid London, United Kingdom ➤ Mission Manipur Australia (MMA) ➤ Indo-German Social Service Society (IGSSS) ➤ Emmanuel Hospital Association (EHA), Delhi, India ➤ Church's Auxiliary for Social Action (CASA) 	Indian – 10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Azim Premji Foundation (APF), Bangalore, India ➤ Tata Trusts, Mumbai ➤ SELCO Foundation, Bangalore, India ➤ Caritas India ➤ Habitat for Humanity India, India ➤ Foundation for Social Transformation (FST) Guwahati, India ➤ Orissa Development Action Forum ➤ North East India Committee on Relief & Development (NEICORD) Shillong ➤ Veddis Foundation, India ➤ INDIAAdonates
Institutional – 01 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD), Regional Imphal 	Government – 03 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ SFURTI, supported by Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India ➤ North East Cane and Bamboo Development Council (NECBDC), Assam ➤ Hill Area Development Programme (HADP), Noney District Administration

Ongoing projects and name of donors

Sl. No.	Name of Project	Donors Name
1	Enhanced Ecosystem, Livelihoods Resilience and Durable Peace in the state of Manipur (March 2020-April 2023)	Bread for the World (BftW), Germany
2	Inclusive Land Tenure Security and Ensured Sustainable Livelihood for Tribals and PVTG of Manipur (August 2021- August 2024)	Azim Premji Foundation (APF), Bangalore
3	Cane & Bamboo based furniture and utility product cluster project in Tamenglong, Manipur (Ongoing)	SFURTI/MSME Govt. of India
4	Springshed Based Watershed Management Programme (ongoing)	NABARD, Regional Office, Imphal
5	Promoting Sustainable Livelihoods in NE India, Cane & Bamboo Cluster Development Project (ongoing)	North East Cane & Bamboo Development Council (NECBDC)
6	Supporting Manipur State Rural Livelihood Mission (MSRLM) in 4 districts of Manipur (Imphal East, Tamenglong, Senapati and Churachandpur) (due to start from November 01, 2022)	Veddis Foundation

Tapped Funds from Donors



Partner Organisations in District Wise (Past & Current)

<u>Bishnupur - 03</u> 1. Action for Rural Development & Women Empowerment (ARDWE) 2. Plain and Hills Development Organisation (PHDO) 3. People's Resource Development Association (PRDA)	<u>Chandel - 01</u> 1. Rural Education and Action for Change-Manipur (REACH-M)
<u>Churachnampur - 02</u> 1. Rural Aid Services (RAS) 2. Rongmei Christian Development Society (RCDS)	<u>Senapati - 02</u> 1. Integrated Rural Management Association (IRMA) 2. Maria Banchi Social Care mission (MBSM)
<u>Imphal East - 03</u> 1. Organisation for Rural upliftment (ORU) 2. Resource Upliftment Centre for Human Interest (RUCHI) 3. Yeomen Extension Service (YES)	<u>Jiribam - 01</u> 1. Peoples' Endeavour for Social Change (PESCH)
<u>Nagaland - 01</u> 1. Rongmei Baptist Association (RBA)	<u>Pherzawl - 01</u> 1. Evangelical Assembly Church (EAC)
<u>Tamenglong - 06</u> 1. Development Agency for tribal People (DAPT) 2. People Action for Social Change (PAST) 3. Rongmei Naga Baptist Association (RNBA) 4. Zeliang Baptist Fellowship (ZEF) 5. Zeliangrong Baptist Association (ZBA) 6. Liangmai Naga Baptist Association (LNBA)	<u>Tengnoupal - 02</u> 1. Centre for Women and Girls (CWG) 2. Weaker Section's Development Council (WSDC)
<u>Thoubal - 01</u> 1. Integrated Rural Development Society (IRDSO)	<u>Ukhrul - 02</u> 1. Action of Women in Development (AWID) 2. Volunteers For Village Development (VVD)

Geographical presence of RNBA: With the generosity of our donors, RNBA led partners are able to work with communities across districts in Manipur and other Northeast states

State:	District	No. of Village:	No. of Family:	Male:	Female:	Total
Assam	Cachar	4	210	750	74	2,123
Manipur	Manipur Valley					
	• Bishnupur	47	3,680	12,880	13,616	26,496
	• Imphal East	25	1,193	3,491	3,492	6,983
	• West	10	780	2,213	2,125	4,338
	• Kakching	10	785	2,221	2,214	4,435
	• Jiribam	7	373	1,119	1,112	2,231
	Manipur Hills					
	• Chandel	12	685	2,005	1,098	3,103
	• Churachandpur	32	1,824	5,473	5,469	10,942
	• Kamjong	20	1,190	3,342	3,340	6,682
	• Kangpokpi	9	563	1,873	1,871	3,744
	• Noney	55	3,250	9,750	9,732	19,482
	• Pherzawl	5	289	1,102	1,005	2,107
	• Senapati	10	650	1,952	1,948	3,900
	• Tamenglong	93	7,624	26,987	26,972	53,959
	• Tengnoupal	10	5,60	1,689	1,682	3,371
	• Ukhrul	10	575	1,732	1,725	3,457
Nagaland	Peren	16	1,1292	4,016	3,977	7,993
Assam, Manipur & Nagaland (Total)		368	93,113	76,464	75,229	1,51,693

Direct benefit

Total No. of villages : 368

Total No. of families : 93,113

Total No. of population : 1,51,693 (76,464 male & 75,229 female)

Total population of Indirect benefit: 6,06,772

NesDi-RNBA Staffs 2022

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