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LIST OF ABREVIATIONS

LC-	Local Council
CBF- Con	nmunity Based Facilitator
PWD-Pec	pple with Disability
FIG	Figure
DRDIP	Development responses to displacement impact project
NRC Now	vegianRefugee Council
HIV H	uman immune virus
AIDS	Acquired immune defiance syndrome
FEB Febru	lary
PDM	Parish development model
PDC	Parish development committee
i.e.	That is to say
CBA	Cost benefit analysis
DCA	Dan church aid
FGS	Farmer groups
OWC	Operation wealth creation
CSAClima	ate smart agriculture
UMFSNP	Uganda multi-food security nutrition project
ACF	Action against hunger
CDO	Community development officer
AO	Agriculture officer

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ABSTRACT

Community outreach is one of the course units in the BSA curriculum at Busitema University. This course unit is done in the second year, second semester, the major objective of this course unit is acquisition of extension skills where a student is expected to enter into the community, identify several problems faced by farmers and give various solutions or a contribution towards problem solving in the community. I conducted my community outreach with Kululu sub county local government –yumbe district.

During community reach I was attached to the department of production and marketing this was followed by orientation where I was first introduced to the subcounty technical staff and the politician and later I implemented the activities such as; Training of farmers on selected field crops and other government programs like parish development model so as to equip farmers with general knowledge and skills in identifying and solving problems now and then, Field verification exercise with the aim of ascertaining the ready fields ready to receive seeds Distribution of pomology seedlings, bean seeds, cassava cuttings which improved on technology adaption within the subcounty, Pits prepared for the planting of banana (matoke) with the aim of improving food security and house hold income follow-up of activities implemented none governmental organization like DRDIP, NRC, WELT HUNGER ZOA, establishment of woodlots for restoration of environment, joint monitoring of projects to check on the progress (implementation status), data collection for proper planning ,formation of committee in various project like WE ARE ABLE for proper coordination of the project, pests and disease management this was to increase production and productivity of field crops, technical back stopping on excavation of valley tank to trap runoff (ground water) which ensured continuous production of crops majorly vegetables such as tomatoes, watermelon and cabbage In conclusion the short period of time spend at kululu sub county local government triggered and shaped me in the areas associated with the dynamics of local government work. Not only did I gain knowledge and practical skills, but I was also given chance to share practical hands on knowledge experience with the field community farmers I do recommend the management should prioritize and increase on the budget allocated for their farmers so as promote production and productivity of technologies

CHAPTER ONE.

1.1Background of Kululu Sub County

Kululu Sub County Local Government has 49 villages with 10 parishes and got its sub county status in 2010 curved from mother sub county Kuru Sub County

Kululu Sub County was located in south east ofYumbe District with a total land area of 4780 sq. km. It is bordered by Obongi District in the east,Ariwa Sub County in the South, Bijo Sub County in the west, Romogi Sub County in the North and OdravuSub County in south west. It has ten parishes: Komgbe,Yoyo, Dradranga, Akuru, Ovumzoku, ,Ewafa, AjujiDongoloto, Logbodo, Kulacha The Sub county headquarters is located in Luzira village, Yoyo parish along Lomunga- Obongi road and it is about 6km from the district headquarters.

1.2.Vegetation

Vegetation cover consists of woodland on the rocks and hillsides whereas the plains have grassland cover. There are also shrubs in their natural occurrence on the plains and hill slopes consisting mainly of stunted trees.

1.3. Climate

The climatic pattern of the area is characterized by two seasons; the dry season and the wet season. Traditionally the dry season ran from December to early March which is followed by peaks of downpour in April and August. These months are simply peaks, otherwise a rainy spell that subsides in October/November paving way for the dry season. During the dry spell, a cold dry windy weather is concurrently experienced.

1.4.Beneficiaries of Kululu sub county

The beneficiaries are the CBF, PWD, HIV/AIDS group, Adult and Youth groups.

1.5. Visions:

To transform, literate, health and productive community for sustainable socio-economic development by 2030

1.6. Mission statement:

To help the community through effective and efficient services which focus on national and local priorities and contribute to the improvement in the quality of life of the sub county