Indigenous Peoples Assistance Facility (IPAF) Cameroon Project
Case study of Wum Community Based Organization
Wum CBO and Council
The issue

Conflicts between farmers and grazers over resources and a negative perception towards each other;

- Water contamination (attributed mostly to livestock activities at water sources)
- Blocked access to water points/sources
- Land encroachment and trespassing into farmland by livestock a major source of conflict for farmers and for grazers its farmers invading and trespassing on their grazing land
Initiatives to address challenges

- To strengthen the institutional and technical capacities of existing and emerging community based organizations (CBOs) created and run by the indigenous Mbororo-Fulani pastoralists of the North West Region of Cameroon in order to render them more effective in representing and protecting the collective interests of these pastoralists.

- To facilitate the Mbororo-Fulani pastoralists’ participation in decision making at local government (council) level within the framework of the ongoing decentralization process that will devolve more development management and decision-making powers to the local councils.
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