

## **CONCEPT NOTE**

### **Theme: Celebrating SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO & PARTNERS impact in Empowering Communities in Rwanda**

#### **1. Background**

**Following 25 years of consistent and faithful involvement in building Communities in Rwanda, SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO Rwanda looks forward to celebrating with its key partners and friends, its exciting Journey toward empowering Communities in Rwanda and in the Region**

#### **IN A NUTSHELL:**

- Founded in 1992 by Mr. Jean Baptiste Sengayire
- Affiliated to the Glorious Cross of St Francis of Assisi (Franciscan Movement)
- One of the Home-grown Leading Organizations active in the arena of Vulnerable Children and Women, HIV, Technical And Vocation Training and Entrepreneurship
- Headquartered in Kicukiro District, Kigali City

#### **QUICK OVERVIEW OF SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO RWANDA'S IMPACT THROUGH THE CONSISTENT SUPPORT OF OUR PARTNERS AND FRIENDS:**

##### **Community Health Programme:**

- **111 Cooperatives** of Community Health Workers (CHW) supported
- **30,000 people** accessed health care and nutrition support

##### **Cooperatives and Gender Promotion:**

- **4414** (mostly women) impacted through our Cooperatives and gender promotion in Kicukiro and Gasabo Districts,
- **3840** Groups Leaders trained on gender mainstreaming
- **250 ISGLs** (Internal Saving and Lending Groups) were supported

##### **Family integration of Orphans:**

- **300** children were integrated into families
- **3,000** orphaned and vulnerable children supported

##### **Agriculture:**

- **35,000** households received seeds and small livestock
- **104** farmer field school received training

To achieve these impacts and more SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO has worked with different partners including MOH/Global fund (CCM-Rwanda) in HIV/AIDS, and Malaria prevention, family planning and impact mitigation for vulnerable groups. SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO also worked in partnership with USAID/Global Communities in the HIGA/UBEHO program- in the field of HIV and Health promotion, Orphans and Vulnerable Children, Economic Strengthening, Food Security, and Nutrition; Catholic Relief Services also supported activities in Nutrition. The German based NGO-KBF e.V. & Rhenanie Palatinat supported activities in Education. KBF e.V. also supports activities on Orphans and Foster Families. WDA supports in Technical and Vocational Education and Training; GLIA in HIV prevention and Agriculture, while World Connect supports vulnerable women (street vendors in economic strengthening).

It is in that regard that SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO in partnership with Rwanda NGOs Forum on HIV/AIDS & Health Promotion and plans to hold a community empowerment salute with Partners and stakeholders. The event will bring together representatives from Government, CSOs, Private sector, Development partners, Finance Institution and Research Institutions. It aims at contributing to a greater support and engagement of SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO to meet the needs of a sustainable Rwandan Community.

## 2. Objective

**The overall objective** is to contribute to a greater support and engagement of SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO with key stakeholders to meet the needs of a sustainable Rwandan Community.

### **Specific objectives include:**

1. To showcase the positive impact of SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO and its partners activities in Rwanda
2. To gather momentum for sustainability of initiated activities for a dignified and active Rwandan community

## 3. Expected Results

- 1) SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO and Partners are updated on the status of their interventions in Rwanda.
- 2) SINAPISI-RWANDA NGO and Partners demonstrate commitment to support program sustainability.

## 4. Date and Venue

The event will take place at KIGALI SERENA HOTEL on December 9<sup>th</sup> 2017 from 5.00pm to 8.00 pm