



New-wave social interventions for shared water security: insights from Africa

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WRM institutions
the duty bearers

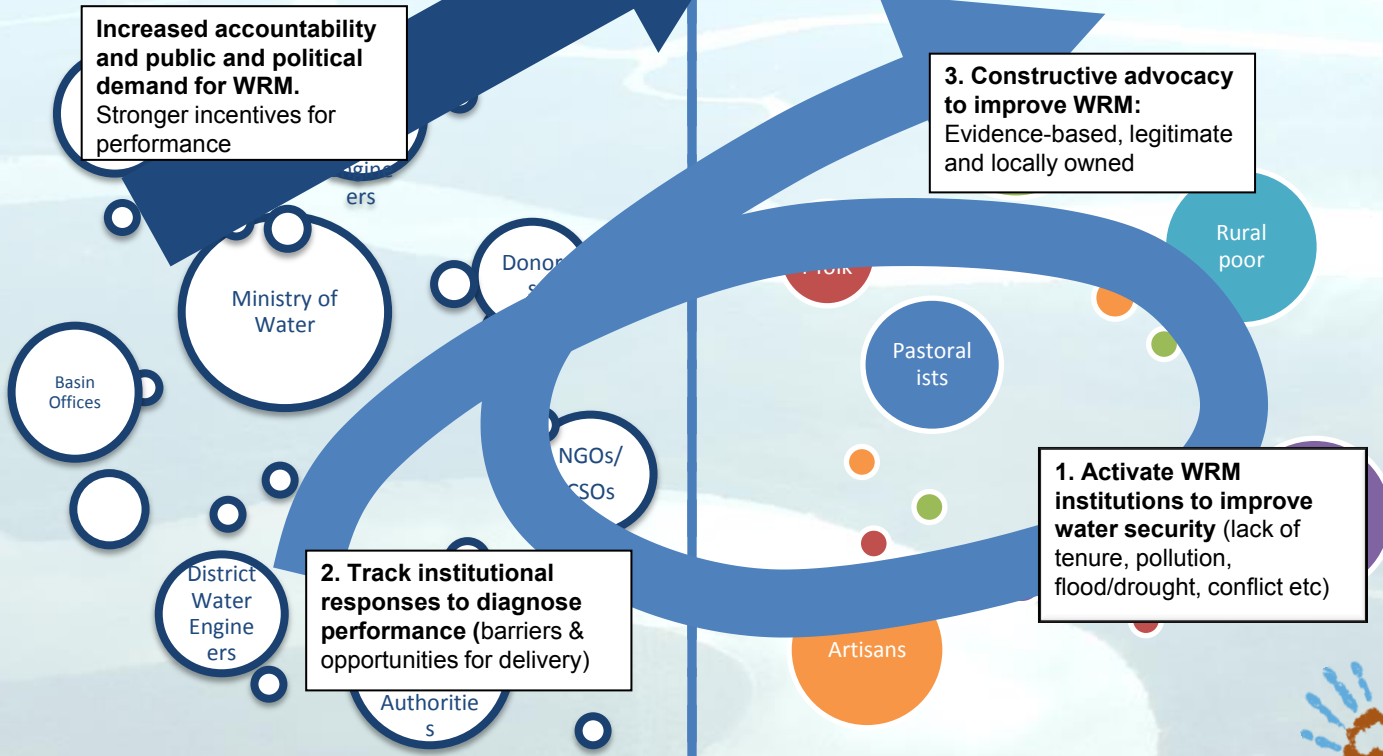
Vulnerable water users
the rights holders

Increased accountability and public and political demand for WRM.
Stronger incentives for performance

3. Constructive advocacy to improve WRM:
Evidence-based, legitimate and locally owned

1. Activate WRM institutions to improve water security (lack of tenure, pollution, flood/drought, conflict etc)

2. Track institutional responses to diagnose performance (barriers & opportunities for delivery)



Fair Water Futures: Theory of Change

Applying citizen agency and social accountability to activate pro-poor water resource management & water security for poor communities in East Africa





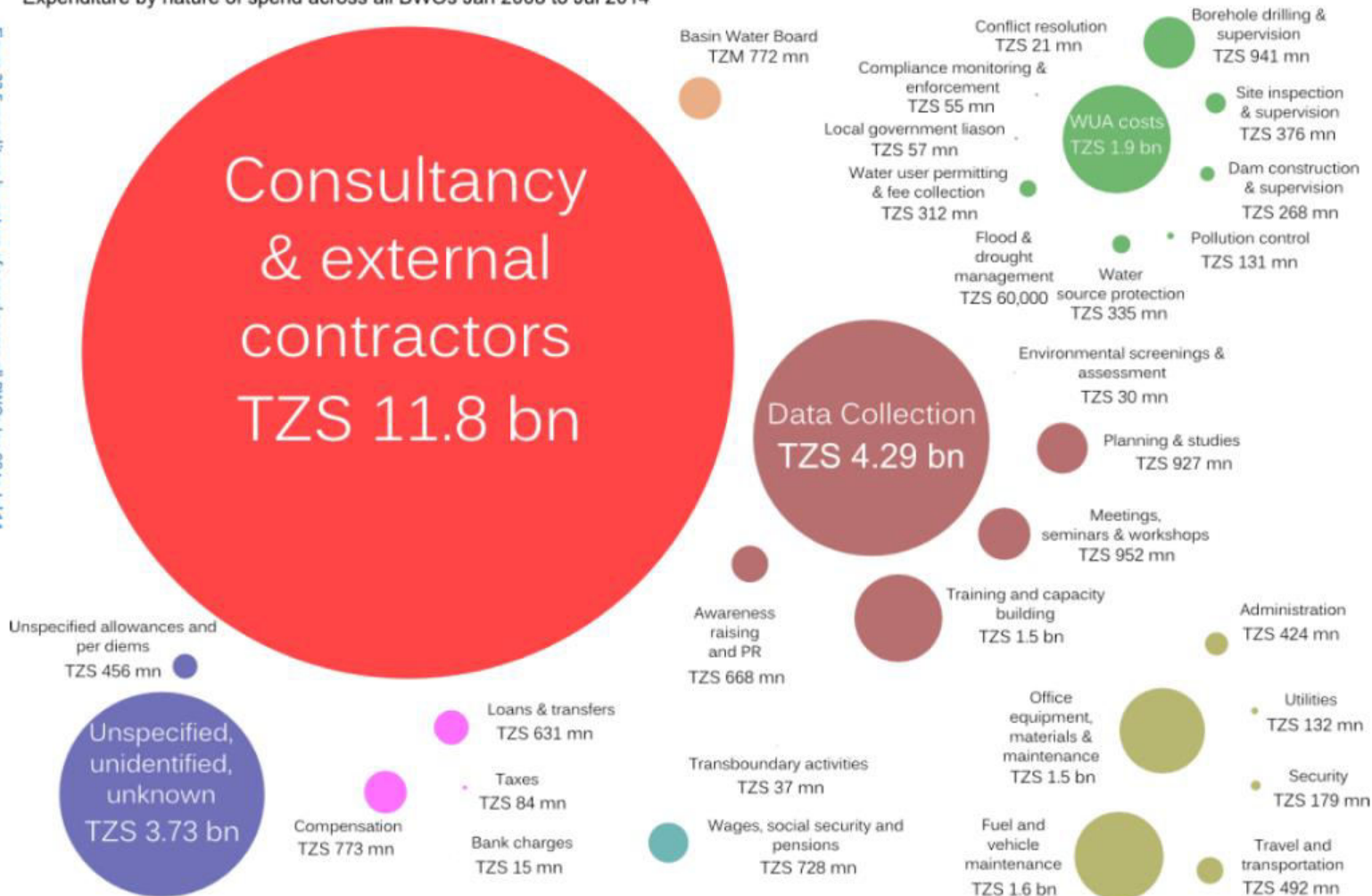






Expenditure by nature of spend across all BWOs Jan 2008 to Jul 2014

Figure 23 Expenditure by nature of spend across all BWOs Jan 08 to Jul 14



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Uhakika - achievements

- 250 000 reached with action to improve water security at <£1/head
- Mashahidi model, ownership by partners, beneficiary evaluation and strong relationships with MoW and donors
- Traction for early advocacy:
 - Enforcement training and warrants for Basin staff
 - Minister publicly committed to national review of permitting process and pollution enforcement
 - United platform for national advocacy on water security
 - National TV and media interest and coverage
- Scaling in Kenya, Zambia (Malawi, Rwanda, Uganda planned)

Uhakika - challenges

- Translating advocacy, action and tenure to greater water security
- Reaching the most vulnerable
- Conflict mitigation
- Engaging with the INGOs
- The tyranny of allowance culture
- Politicisation
- Detangling attribution

Uhakika - achievements

You have brought new information about pollution and the law which will help us to protect the health of this community.

Kigogo Ward Councillor, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

For the first time people are demanding their rights on water. This will help things change.

Praxeda Paul, Wami Ruvu Basin Water Officer, Tanzania

Uhakika has raised the political profile of water resource management in Tanzania

Lukas Kwezi, Water Advisor, DFID

Shining a light on performance, on how money and resources are used has not happened before. It is a big step forwards.

Secretariat, Donor Partner Group on Water