Addressing the Land Information Requirements of the Urban Poor - *Piloting STDM in Uganda*

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Outline of Presentation

- Background and objectives
- Enumeration Process
- Initial Results
- Achievements, Lessons and Next Steps





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Long Term Objectives

- 1. To pioneer a tool that will begin to address land information management requirements in hitherto neglected areas
- 2. To build capacity in the use and application of land information systems based on free and open source software packages







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Immediate Objectives

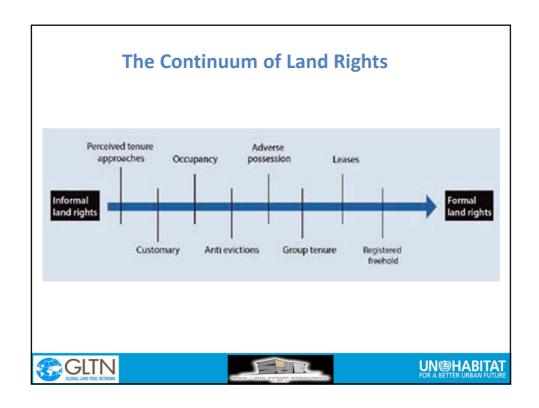
- 1. To pilot the Social Tenure Domain Model (STDM) and document the process
- 2. Identity capacity development requirements around its use for wider learning and application











Who are involved in the pilot?

Implemented by:

- Ministry of Land, Housing and Urban Development
- Municipality of Mbale
- Slum Dwellers International
- UN-Habitat/GLTN
- Actogether (NGO)
- Slum Federation (national and local)
- Community Leaders and Members

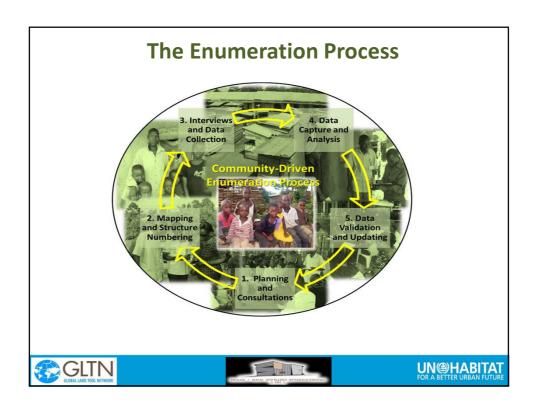
Supported by:

- Cities Alliance
- FIG Foundation (including Trimble)
- Co-financed by UN-Habitat/GLTN and SDI









Planning and Consultations

- Planning with stakeholders
- Community awareness, sensitization and mobilization









Mapping and Structure Numbering

- Produce initial maps using satellite imagery or Google Map
- Using the initial map, enumerators number all structures with a unique code
- Map community facilities (e.g. water points, etc.)







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Interviews and Data Collection

- Enumeration Teams, usually accompanied by local leaders and municipal officials or elders, conduct house to house interviews and filling the agreed questionnaire.
- Enumerators also collect supporting documents and take photos
- Update initial maps (e.g. new structures)







Data Capture and Analysis

This stage involves:

- Data entry
- Updating of digital map
- Integrate data on STDM system
- Undertake analysis
- Produce reports and print-outs (as necessary)
- Data exporting from STDM







Secondary data capture

Supporting Documents

Documents and others evidence collected in the slums as proof to claims

- Receipts;
- IDs;
- Marriage certificate;
- Family photos
- Rent agreements;
- Voters ID.
- Audios or speech
- Video clips







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Data Validation and Updating

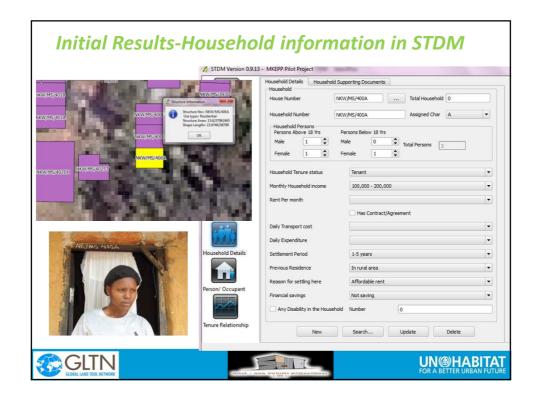
- Collected data are displayed and validated by community members; Update the STDM data as appropriate
- Continuous updating and maintenance by community members



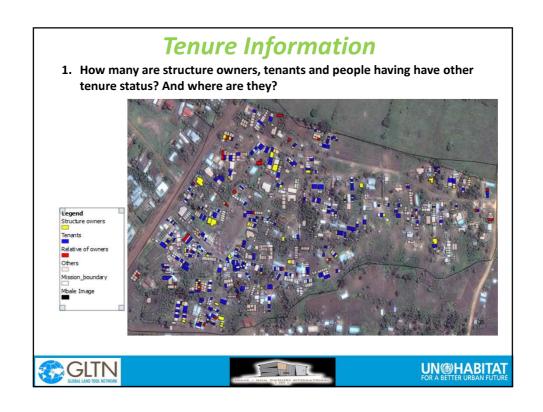








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More information

Age-disaggregated data: how many are between the age of 7-12 years old?

	Category		Total
Gender	Men	Women	
Mission/ Bufumbo	102	104	12%
%	10%	6%	6%

How many are studying?

	Category		Total
Gender	Men	Women	
Mission/ Bufumbo	84	80	10%
%	8%	3%	4%





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Role of the youth

1. Planning: producing community maps, work with local leaders

2. Sensitization: Communicate information (Sensitization process at community levels)

3. Technology users. Operating equipment (GPS, Camera, Computers)

4. Leadership: Part of cluster leadership







Notable achievement

- The youth emerge champions in STDM work
- Local leadership in full support of the community
- Community identified priority project in their locality.
- Higher authority embrace the work and ready to scale up
- STDM learning center established in the national federation office.











Key Lessons

- Project is a good model for partnerships
- STDM from concept to implementation; it is technically sound, has multiple usage and simple to use
- Combination of pro-poor land tools (STDM, participatory enumeration) is doable, effective and useful
- Ownership by the community of the process is key
- Capacity development is a catalyst for sustainability; experience opens up scaling up opportunities
- Pro-poor solutions have huge potential to impact on the lives of the poor









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Next Steps

Data updating and validation

- Data Validation in the community centers
- Pursue Priority Project activities to be implemented with relevant authorities
- Data analysis and reporting
- Learning Center to be used for further STDM work





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