

THAKETA CLIMATE ADAPTATION



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BACKGROUND

CALL FOR ACTION CHIEF MINISTER
YANGON REGION (2018)

SUPPORT YANGON TO STRENGTHEN
CLIMATE RESILIENCE

FOCUS ON WATER SCARCITY AND
FLOODING AND BOTTOM-UP CLIMATE
ADAPTATION APPROACHES

ASSIGNED TO THAKETA TOWNSHIP AS
PILOT AREA

PREPARATIONS STARTING IN JANUARY
2019



10 local experts
13 international experts

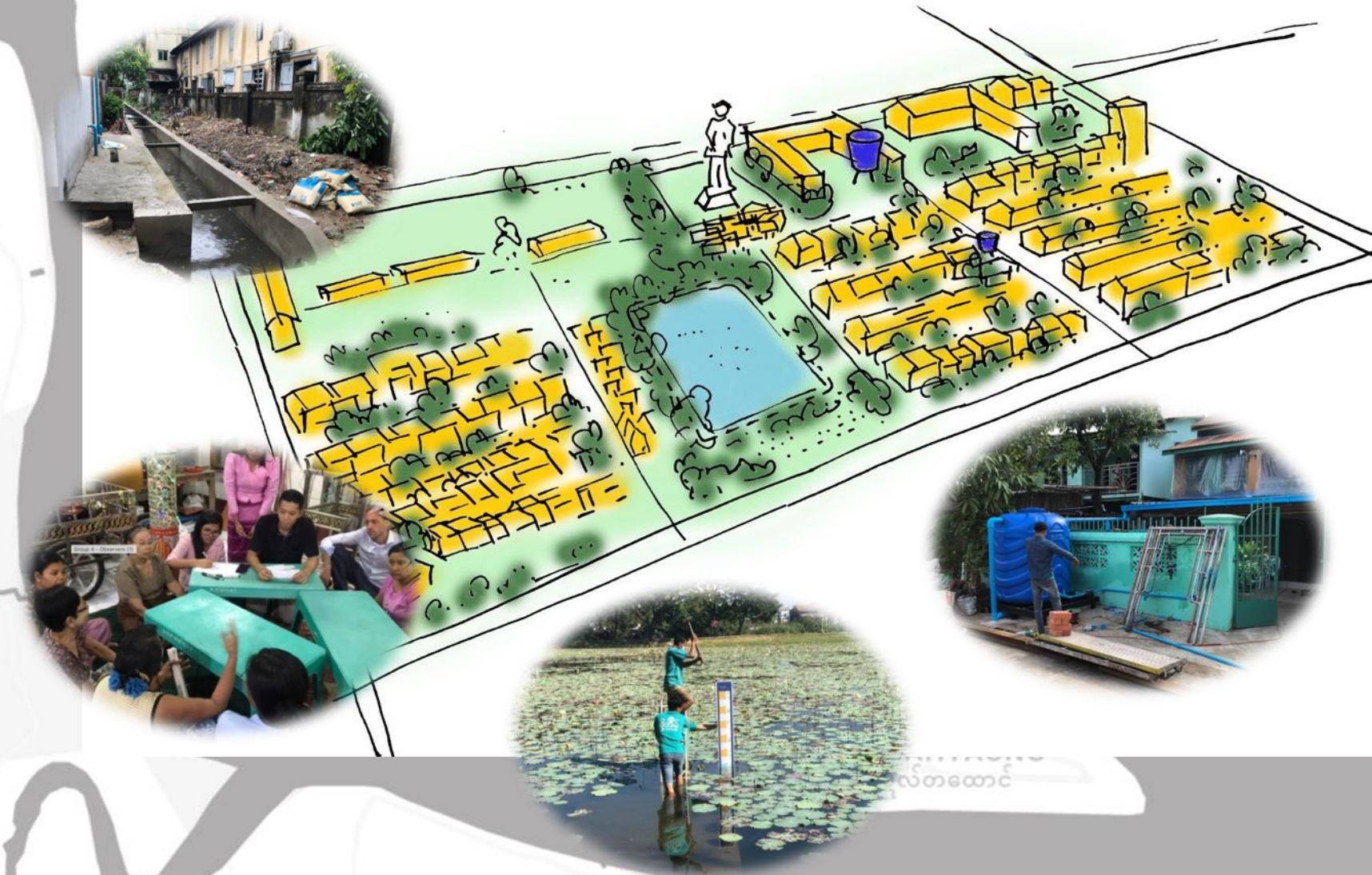


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WARD 5 - QUICK FACTS

- 7,156 people / 960 households
- Lower middle income
- No piped water supply
- No connection to sewer
- Poor drainage system
- Pollution
- Extensive flooding
- Awareness & education
- Household rainwater harvesting
- Drainage clean-up & re-design
- Water filters
- Placemaking
- Mobile water app
- Water kiosk
- Monitoring
- more...



DO

Scope projects as part of a socially inclusive process, not the other way around



DO

Approach social inclusion as an organic process (not as a linear, task-driven activity).



DO

Speak the “language” that connects with different groups of people



DO

Align with people's dreams and ambitions; create win-wins (don't preach 😊)



DO

Seek out the voices you can't hear

<https://www.myanmarwaterportal.com/news/1908-ants-in-yangon-saving-rainwater.html>



