

Proposal Summary

Climate Change and the Urban Poor

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Summary	A mayors' task force has been initiated by the World Bank President to take stock of our understanding of the linkages between urban poverty and climate change; to identify good practice examples where shelter and services for the urban poor have improved while vulnerability to risk, climate change and carbon emissions have been reduced, and proposing policy and investment programs that benefit the urban poor and scale-up good practices. This study will provide substantive input to the task force and has strong commitment for follow up thus far by several key Mayors.
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Objectives	Activities
Improve the understanding of the linkages between urban poverty, climate change and disaster risk management.	<p>1) Preparation of study – a) Commission technical background papers; b) Carry out analytical work; c) Develop framework and carry out city level case studies; d) Report production and Dissemination</p> <p>2) 3 Country Case Studies – a) Preparation of country case studies to provide empirical evidence on what cities are doing with regard to urban poverty and climate change. The case study will be based on an Urban Risk Assessment, and cover institutional, technical and financial stocktaking.</p>

Submission		Implementation	Budget and Time	
Submitted by: World Bank	CA Sponsor: World Bank	Implemented by: World Bank CA Monitor: Gunter Lorenz Meinert	Request to CA: \$ 200,000	Duration: 18 months
			Co-Financing: \$ 230,000	
			Total Budget: \$ 430,000	

Expected Impacts
Identify options for cities aimed at addressing urban poverty and reducing vulnerability to climate change.