Agenda

Displacement and urban solutions in the Horn of Africa

12th April, 8.30 am- 4.15 pm, Royal Orchid Azure Hotel, Westlands, Nairobi

8.30- 9.00: Welcome and introduction
Aude Galli, ReDSS Coordinator and Pauline Skaper, RVI Project manager

9.00- 9.15: Opening remarks
Nina Berg, Deputy Head of mission, Danish embassy

9.15- 10.45: Panel 1: Urban planning and support to local authorities to respond to urban displacement
10 min per panelist to present key issues and recommendations followed by 45 min plenary discussion. 
Moderator: Caroline Njuki, Head of the Forced Migration Pillar, IGAD

- Municipalities and local district authorities responding to influx of urban displaced: Case study from Baidoa- Mayor Watiin Ali- Mayor of Baidoa, South West Administration
- Working with municipalities to address urban planning and forced evictions
  Teresa Del Ministro, Land Programme Manager, UN HABITAT
- Cities of Refuge: Bringing an urban lens to forced displacement challenge
  Makiko Watanabe, Senior Urban Specialist (East Africa), World Bank
- Planning an integrated urban settlement- Kalobeyei Integrated Socio-Economic Development Program (KISED)- Shoman Mohammed, Senior Operations Manager, UNHCR

10.45- 11.15: Tea break

11.15- 1.00 Panel 2: Area based planning and coordination in urban contexts
10 min per panelist to present key issues and recommendations followed by 45 min plenary discussion
Moderator: Eunice Ndonga-Githinji, Executive Director RCK

- Integrated development approaches to address urban displacement and IDA 18
  Joanna de Berry, Senior Social Development Specialist, World Bank
- Challenges and opportunities in accessing services for urban displaced in Nairobi
  Elizabeth Mukami, Economic Recovery and Development (ERD) Coordinator, IRC
- Area-based programming and coordination in urban contexts
  Matteo Frontini, Programme Coordinator Specialist, UNDP
- Strengthening targeting in urban areas: Use of settlement based approaches in Kampala
  Louise Thaller, Programme Lead, AGORA-IMPACT
2.00-3.15 Break-out panels

Participants will break into 2 groups. 10 min per panelist to present key issues and recommendations followed by 45 min plenary discussion. Rapporteurs from each panel will then report back at plenary.

Panel 1: Protection and access in urban contexts

Moderator and rapporteur: Jebiwot Sumbeiywo, Deputy Country director, IRC

- Urban violence, exploitation and protection challenges faced by urban displaced
  Marie-Astrid Blondiaux, Protection Coordinator, ICRC

- Social Protection in Urban Areas: Analysis of trends and opportunities
  Allison Oman, Senior Regional Nutrition and Food Security Officer, WFP

- Building social cohesion and trust among urban displaced and host communities
  Natasha Leite De Moura, Regional Armed Violence Reduction Specialist, DDG

- Obstacles and challenges to the protection of migrants in urban and border settings
  Nassim Majidi, Director, Samuel Hall

Panel 2: Informal/Formal economies and lure to the cities

Moderator and rapporteur: Pauline Skaper, RVI Project manager

- Refugees economies in Mombasa and Nairobi
  David Kang’ethe, Country Director, DRC Kenya

- The lure to the city: Rural to urban migration in Ethiopia, Kenya and Uganda
  Ronald Kalyango, REF Lead Researcher, Uganda

- Eastleigh and beyond: the Somali factor in urban Kenya to understand the role of social norms and networks
  Holly Ritchie, Researcher, Thrive Kenya

3.15-3.45: Feedback from rapporteur and plenary discussion

3.45-4.00: Closing remarks

Peter Burgess, Head of ECHO Regional Office, Eastern and Southern Africa