PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION REPORT

Project ID:	11676
Project Name:	CAR Inclusive and Resilient Cities Project
Countr(ies):	Central African Republic
Implementing Agency:	World Bank

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I. Overview

A. Description

Project name
CAR Inclusive and Resilient Cities Project

Country
Central African Republic

GEF ID	Implementing Agency
11676	World Bank

Executing Entity
Ministère de l'Urbanisme, de la Réforme Foncière, de la Ville et de l'Habitat

Trust Fund	Project Type
LDCF	FSP

PIR Submission	Fiscal Year , PIR Number
9/15/2026	FY 2026 , 1st PIR

Objective
To improve access to climate-resilient infrastructure and basic services in selected cities

B. Ratings and Disbursements

Implementation Progress	Development Objective
Satisfactory	Satisfactory

Overall risk
High Risk

Project Financing	Cumulative Disbursement
10,000,000.00	576,264.00

C. Key Dates

CEO Endorsement/Approval	Agency Approval
6/11/2025	7/22/2025

Implementation Start	First Disbursement
7/22/2025	

Expected MTR 7/31/2028	Actual MTR
Expected Completion 8/31/2029	Actual Completion

II. PROGRESS STATUS AND ISSUES

A. Progress: Information on progress and outcomes of project implementation activities

The GEF-LDCF Additional Financing of US$9.175 million is progressing, all AF dated conditions have been met and expressions of interest to be launched in April 2026 and Nature-based Solutions works expected to commence in January 2027.

B. Challenges: Information on challenges of project implementation activities

The Overall Risk Rating remains High, consistent with the challenging operating environment in the Central African Republic. The SORT flags Political and Governance Risk, Institutional Capacity, Stakeholder Risk, and Security Risk — all at High — with security conditions remaining volatile and capable of disrupting field missions and contractor mobilization. Mitigation measures include close coordination with MINUSCA, sustained technical assistance to the PIU and MURFVH, and the Contract Management Team providing real-time quality assurance on key procurement activities.

C. Stakeholder Engagement

N/a (Activities have not started; technical studies are expected to start by the end of September)

D. Gender Equality

N/a (Activities have not started; technical studies are expected to start by the end of September)

E. Knowledge Management

N/a (Activities have not started; technical studies are expected to start by the end of September)

III: Minor Amendments

CONTEXT	
Result Framework	
Components and Cost	
Institutional And Implementation Arrangements	
Financial Management	
Implementation Schedule	
Executing Entity	

Executing Entity Category	
Minor Project Objective Change	
Safeguards	
Risk Analysis	
Increase of GEF Financing up to 5%	
Co-Financing	
Location of Project Activity	
others	

IV: Geographic Coordinates of Project Activities

Location Name	Latitude	Longitude	GeoName ID
Bangui	4.363155	18.576850	

Location Description:

Activity Description:

Location Name	Latitude	Longitude	GeoName ID
Berberati	4.262100	15.789291	

Location Description:

Activity Description:

V. ANNEX

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