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ACTIVE WOMEN FROM BARTANG VALLEY GBAO GOT INTRODUCED TO THE BASIS OF SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

26th of September in Khorog town Public Foundation CAMP Tabiat introduced group of active women from Bartang Valley, Rushan district, GBAO got introduced to Ecosystem-based Adaptation (EbA) and Joint Forest Management (JFM)

Specialist of CAMP Tabiat Qumriya Vafodorova met with women from villages Nuris, Rukhch, Savnob, Roshorv and Bopasor and told them about fund activities under the projects "Ecosystem –based Adaptation to Climate Change in High Mountainous Regions of Central Asia" (EbA) and Adaptation to Climate Change Through Sustainable Forestry in Important River Catchment of Tajikistan (CAFT). She explained to the participants the basics and benefits of the approaches of the EBA and JFM for the people and nature of Gorno-Badakhshan. It was emphasized that these approaches contribute both to the conservation of natural resources and to the improvement of the living standards of the local population. This is evidenced by the results achieved during the implementation of projects of EbA and CAFT in GBAO, mentioned Q.Vafodorova.

The meeting was held as part of a study tour of a group of active women from the Bartang valley who are members of the «Clean Energy and Women on the Roof of the world» project.

During this trip, organized by the Ecological Organization «Little Earth» with the support of the US Forest Service, the participants visited a number of villages in Rushan and Ishkashim districts, as well as Khorog town.

The EbA project is implemented by the German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ) in Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan and Tajikistan on behalf of the German government. In Tajikistan, CAMP Tabiat is a partner of GIZ in the project.

The CAFT project, funded by the German Development Bank (KfW), is executed by the Forestry Agency under the Government of the Republic of Tajikistan. The international consultant for the project was selected from the members of a consortium of non-governmental organizations - Caritas, Switzerland, which is the lead partner, as well as CESVI and CAMP Tabiat.

