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Introduction- Historical Perspective

Since 2002, USAID's Humanitarian Assistance Office (HAO) has funded food security projects in Zimbabwe in response to a series of droughts in Southern Africa. Using Food for Peace (FFP) resources, USAID projects include:

- C-SAFE led by World Vision with CRS and CARE from 2002-2010.
- Promoting Recovery in Zimbabwe (PRIZE) program led by CRS with ACDI/VOCA and CARE from 2010 -June of 2013.
- Seasonal Targeted Assistance through World Food Program.



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Building on Past Accomplishments

USAID activities promote resiliency and improve communities' ability to mitigate shocks. Since 2002, USAID has provided almost 1 billion dollars in humanitarian assistance to vulnerable Zimbabweans. In addition to the provision of food assistance, past accomplishment include:

- Construction and development of dams,
- Community gardens and livestock dip tanks.
- Enhanced market linkages and value chains,
- Established rural savings and loan groups,
- Promoted conservation agriculture, seed security, and improved livestock practices.



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USAID/Food for Peace Development Program Amalima and ENSURE

USAID funds two FFP Development Programs, addressing the underlying causes of food insecurity in targeted districts. Amalima, led by CNFA (\$43 million), and Enhanced Nutrition, Stepping Up Resilience and Enterprise (ENSURE), led by World Vision (\$55 million), started in June, 2013. Through Amalima and ENSURE, USAID/Zimbabwe will:

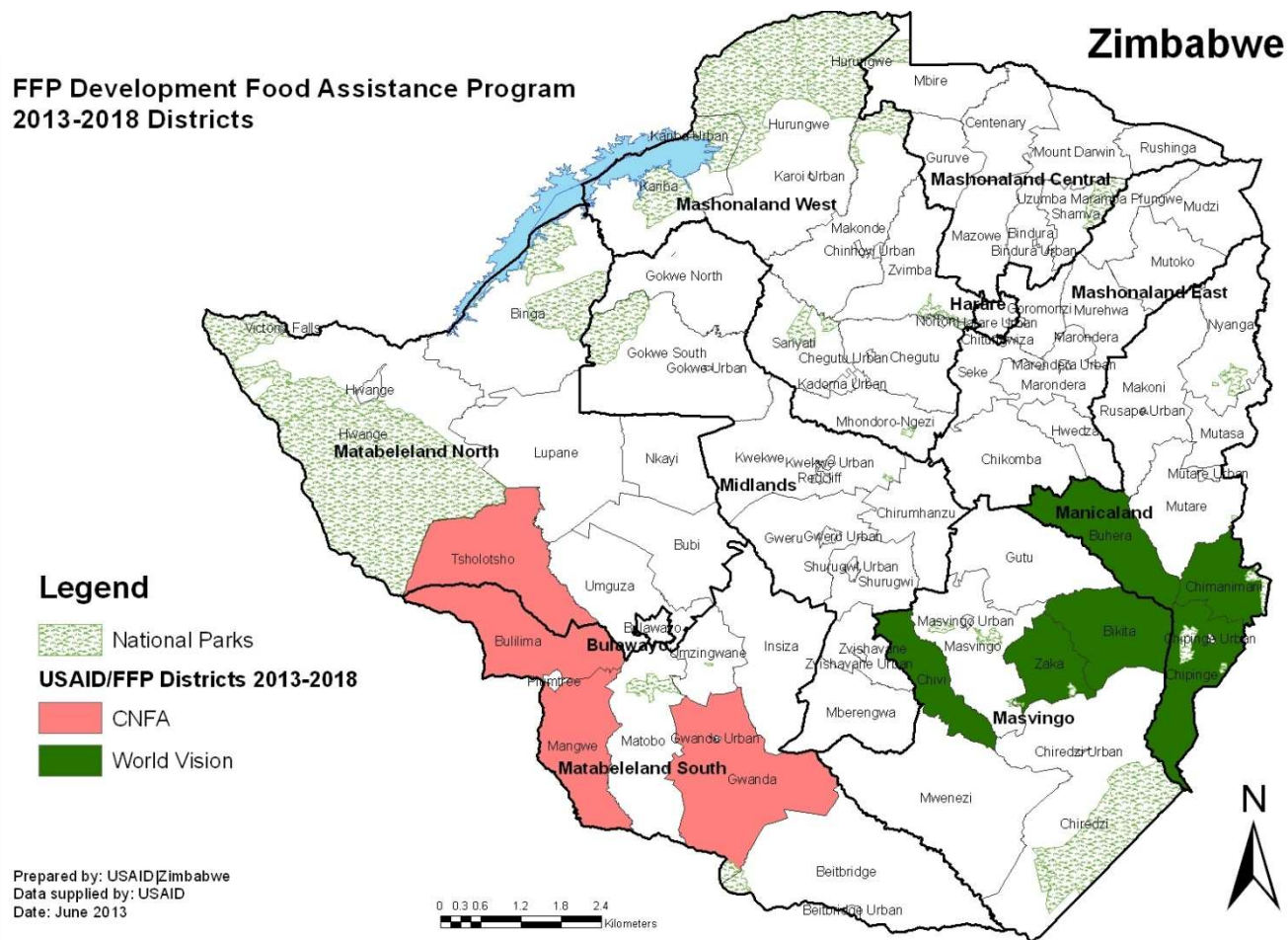
- Assist vulnerable households in arid and semi-arid areas to build resilience to future food security related shocks
- Promote positive nutrition behaviours aimed at reducing chronic malnutrition among children less than five years of age.
- Promote diversification of livelihoods options.
- Promote sustainable natural resource management and production



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Geographic Coverage of Development Assistance Program

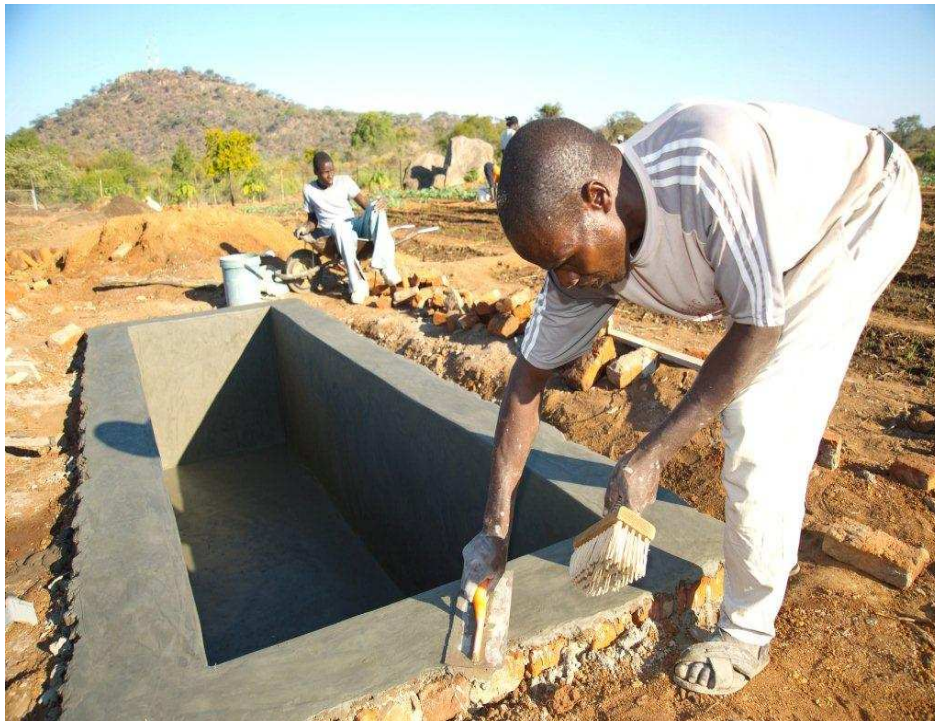




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Type of intervention in pictures

Creation Of Small Irrigations



Construction Of Small Dam





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Improved agricultural production and marketing

Improved agricultural prod



Improved livestock marketing





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Thank you!! Twalumba!! Tatenda!!