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Région Drâa - Tafilalet  
Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council

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**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrman, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

**Errachidia, November 15, 2023**

**Government Letter of Support: Call for new members to OGP Local 2023.**

On behalf of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council (DTRC), we are honored to submit our application for the membership to the OGP Local program, as part of our commitment to consolidating the principles of citizen participation, access to information and public accountability in the way our council operates and is managed.

By joining OGP Local, we endorse the Open Government Declaration and commit to its principles.

As members of Local OGP, we intend to enlarge our path for more collaboration and learning, and to work together as partners with non-government stakeholders to develop an Open Government Action Plan for 2024 and implement its pillars, as well as integrate open government values into our local OGP process and ensure that it is transparent, participatory, and accountable.

Following the various national strategies and to effectively apply the relevant legal obligations to the regions, DTRC has embarked on a series of processes that put citizen participation at the top of its priorities. Since the first months after the election, our council has set up its consultative bodies with the aim of encouraging the involvement of citizens and associations in drawing up and monitoring the Regional Development Program.

Accordingly, DTRC has set up 3 consultative bodies made up of civil society players:

- A Consultative body for the study of issues relating to the interests of youth;
- A Consultative body, in partnership with civil society actors, responsible for studying regional affairs relating to the implementation of the principles of equity, equal opportunity, and the gender approach;
- A Consultative body, in partnership with the region's economic actors, is responsible for studying regional economic affairs.

In addition to these consultative bodies, DTRC has made citizen participation the driving force behind progress in drawing up its development plan, by organizing consultative meetings with citizens and civil society in the region's 5 provinces.



In line with global trends in the use of communication technologies for citizen participation, and to promote the use of the Internet in relations between users and administrative authorities, DTRC launched an open-source digital platform for citizens. This assures the involvement and participation of a wider cross-section of the local communities in formulating the content of the Development Plan through their projects' proposals which are urgently needed for the prosperity of the region and the future of its generations.

In this aspect, our council has signed up for the TASHAROC program in partnership with the General Directorate of Territorial Communities and the Association of Regions Morocco's Regions in 2022, under the theme "Capitalizing on Communication, cooperation, and Citizen Participation Tools - Regions", opting for the " Citizen Jury" mechanism. It was implemented successively in five provinces of the region, highlighting the issue: "Strengthening the social and solidarity economy and promoting local products". It enables citizens and civil society to put forward recommendations relating to employment and building capacity for players in the social and solidarity economy sectors.

More importantly, DTRC is committed to strengthening participatory democracy by joining the Moroccan Network of Open Territorial Communities (REMACTO), created in 2022 and bringing together 12 regions, 4 provinces, and 50 communes. REMACTO is a space for the promotion and exchange of transparency, accountability, citizen participation, and digitalization practices, to support sustainable regional development to reach the goal of openness.

The "Openness Program of the Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council 2024-2025", is co-created with civil society, and aims above all to reinforce trust between the citizens and the regional council through modern tools for communication, transparency, accountability, and citizen participation. This led DTRC to adopt its openness program during the October 2023 Ordinary Gathering.

We are therefore aware that by joining OGP Local, we become part of a global community of governments and civil society striving to innovate, catalyze progress, and promote learning within and between affiliated members of its thriving community. Our council will be actively and keenly participating in the achievement of common goals and meeting the mutual interests of your prestigious organization. It will be a platform to share expertise, inspired initiatives, unprecedented solutions, and best practices for better promotion of the values of open government.

When DTRC successfully wins the golden membership of the Local OGP as part of the 2023 call, Ms. Ibtihaje CHAOUI is currently our region's focal coordinator, and will be devoted to leading the Local OGP process locally and collaborating with the OGP Support Unit. Also, we will mobilize the necessary human, financial, and technical resources to co-create, proceed and implement all commitments included in the action plan.



We hope this letter will inspire you to allow our council to convince you of its relevant vision and fruitful cooperation opportunities. We would like to thank you very much for your time and consideration and we look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely

**Mr. Hrou ABRO**  
**President of Drâa-Tafilalet**  
**Regional Council**

Le Président du Conseil de la Région  
Drâa-Tafilalet  
**Hrou ABROU**



### List of Letters of Support for Non-Governmental Stakeholders

Number	Organization Name	Name of the organization's point of contact	Title of the organization's point of contact	E-mail from the organization's point of contact	Website of the organization	Gender Identity
1	Space Athina Association	Youssef SBAIL	Advisor	espaceathe@gmail.com	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/espaceathe86">https://www.facebook.com/espaceathe86</a>	Man
2	Civil Forum Association for Development and Human Rights	Mahammed FARIH	Treasurer of the Association	fcddh2015@gmail.com	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100063820854514">https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100063820854514</a>	Man
3	Drâa-Tafilalet Investors Forum Association	Aziz SAADA	President of the association	fidr.ass@gmail.com	Nothingness	Man
4	Assafae Association for Sustainable Development	Sanae KANDOUSSI	President of the Association	assafae.assoc@gmail.com	Nothingness	Women
5	Alkasbah for culture and arts, Zagora	Abdelaziz Errachdi	CEO and executive manager	azizrachdi.nv@gmail.com	<a href="https://web.facebook.com/ficapzagara/?locale=fr_FR&amp;_rdc=1&amp;_rdr">https://web.facebook.com/ficapzagara/?locale=fr_FR&amp;_rdc=1&amp;_rdr</a>	Man
6	Tifounassin sources for the environment and tourism and sustainable development	Rkia OUIDANI	President of the Association	assotifounassin@gmail.com	Nothingness	Women

7	Federation of Associations of Greater Boumalne Dades	Moh EL HADARI	President of the Association	federaleboumalne1@gmail.com	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100069307821749&amp;mibextid=ZbWKwL">https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100069307821749&amp;mibextid=ZbWKwL</a>	Man
8	SAGHRO NIMAL for the environment, development, culture and human rights	BIBICH LAHCEN	President of the Association	Bibichlahcen@gmail.com	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/photo/?fbid=169821311617473&amp;set=a.169821271617477">https://www.facebook.com/photo/?fbid=169821311617473&amp;set=a.169821271617477</a>	Man
9	ALBADIL ASSOCIATION FOR EDUCATION, TRAINING AND CULTURE	AIT HAMMOU OUALI	President of the Association	jamal.aithammou1990@gmail.com	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/AssociationBEFC?mibextid=2JQ9oc">https://www.facebook.com/AssociationBEFC?mibextid=2JQ9oc</a>	Man
10	Parity and Equality Forum	Fatima ADNANE	President of the Association	rk-kh@hotmail.com	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100064600515703&amp;mibextid=ZbWKwL">https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100064600515703&amp;mibextid=ZbWKwL</a>	Women
11	The first network of associations in Boumia	ABDERRAHAN ELOAMRI	President of the Association	pralboumia@gmail.com	<a href="https://www.facebook.com/AssociationBEFC?mibextid=2JQ9oc">https://www.facebook.com/AssociationBEFC?mibextid=2JQ9oc</a>	Man
12	Drâa-Tafilalet Center For Sustainable Development	Mustapha MAHNI	President of the Association	centre.draa.tafilalet@gmail.com	<a href="http://www.fb.com/cdtdd">www.fb.com/cdtdd</a>	Man

**N.B.** As part of the consortium application of 6 regions from Morocco, these 3 stakeholders provided additional letters of support:

\* The General Directorate of Territorial Collectivities under the Ministry of Interior of Morocco



\* The Association of Regions of Morocco

\* The Association Impact for Development

These letters are uploaded in the "Supporting Documents" section.



Guelmima, November 17, 2023

**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrman, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

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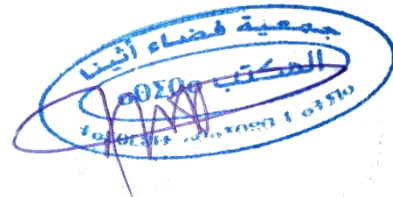
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If given the opportunity to become a member of OGP Local in the 2023 call, the Advisor Mr. Youssef SBAII SAADA will be responsible for leading the OGP Local process and liaising with the OGP Support Unit. In addition, we commit to making available the necessary human, financial and technical resources to participate in the co-creation, implementation and learning from ambitious commitments within the action plan.

For these reasons, we recommend accepting the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join OGP and we thank you for dedicating your time to read our letter of support and we remain at your disposal for further details or questions in the future.

Faithfully



Errachidia, November 16, 2023

**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrmann, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

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Civil Forum Association for Development and Human Rights is pleased to support the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join the OGP Local program. By joining OGP Local, we support the endorsement of the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

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If given the opportunity to become a member of OGP Local in the 2023 call, the Treasurer of the Association Mr. Mahammed FARIH will be responsible for leading the OGP Local process and liaising with the OGP Support Unit. In addition, we commit to making available the necessary human, financial and technical resources to participate in the co-creation, implementation and learning from ambitious commitments within the action plan.

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Drâa-Tafilalet Investors Forum Association is pleased to support the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join the OGP Local program. By joining OGP Local, we support the endorsement of the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

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If given the opportunity to become a member of OGP Local in the 2023 call, the President of the association M. Aziz SAADA will be responsible for leading the OGP Local process and liaising with the OGP Support Unit. In addition, we commit to making available the necessary human, financial and technical resources to participate in the co-creation, implementation and learning from ambitious commitments within the action plan.

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ASSAF Association For Sustainable Development is pleased to support the application of DrâaTafilalet Regional Council to join the OGP Local program. By joining OGP Local, we support the endorsement of the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

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**Zagora, December 13, 2023**

**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrman, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

**Non-governmental Letter of Support: Call for new members to OGP Local 2023**

Alkasbah for culture and arts, Zagora is pleased to support the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join the OGP Local program. By joining OGP Local, we support the endorsement of the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

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If given the opportunity to become a member of OGP Local in the 2023 call, the CEO and executive manager Mr. Abdelaziz Errachdi will be responsible for leading the OGP Local process and liaising with the OGP Support Unit. In addition, we commit to making available the necessary human, financial and technical resources to participate in the co-creation, implementation and learning from ambitious commitments within the action plan.

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**Errachidia, December 05, 2023**

**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrmann, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

**Non-governmental Letter of Support: Call for new members to OGP Local 2023**

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**Boumalne Dades, December 21, 2023**

**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrmann, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

**Non-governmental Letter of Support: Call for new members to OGP Local 2023**

The Federation of Associations of Greater Boumalne Dades is pleased to support the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join the OGP Local program. By joining OGP Local, we support the endorsement of the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

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Signé  
President: Moh EL HADARI



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**Iknioouen, December 20, 2023**

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Association Albadil Pour L'éducation, La formation Et La culture

**Kelaat Mgouna, Tinghir, December 18, 2023**

**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrman, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

**Non-governmental Letter of Support: Call for new members to OGP Local 2023**

ALBADIL ASSOCIATION FOR EDUCATION, TRAINING AND CULTURE is pleased to support the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join the OGP Local program. By joining OGP Local, we support the endorsement of the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

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If given the opportunity to become a member of OGP Local in the 2023 call, the President of the association Mr. AIT HAMMOU OUALI will be responsible for leading the OGP Local process and liaising with the OGP Support Unit. In addition, we commit to making available the necessary human, financial and technical resources to participate in the co-creation, implementation and learning from ambitious commitments within the action plan.

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Jamal AIT HAMMOU  
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**Boumalne Dades, December 10, 2023**

**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrmann, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

**Non-governmental Letter of Support: Call for new members to OGP Local 2023**

The Parity and Equality Forum is pleased to support the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join the OGP Local program. By joining OGP Local, we support the endorsement of the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

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We recognize that by joining OGP Local, we become a member of a global community of government and civil society who strive to innovate, catalyze progress and promote learning within and across jurisdictions. This global community is strengthened by the actions of its members, hence, we pledge to be an active member of this global community and support other members with peer exchanges and engaging at the local, national and international level to promote the values of open government.

If given the opportunity to become a member of OGP Local in the 2023 call, the President of the association Ms. Fatima ADNANE will be responsible for leading the OGP Local process and liaising with the OGP Support Unit. In addition, we commit to making available the necessary human, financial and technical resources to participate in the co-creation, implementation and learning from ambitious commitments within the action plan.

For these reasons, we recommend accepting the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join OGP and we thank you for dedicating your time to read our letter of support and we remain at your disposal for further details or questions in the future.

Faithfully





**Boumia, December 19, 2023**

**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrman, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

**Non-governmental Letter of Support: Call for new members to OGP Local 2023**

The first network of associations in Boumia is pleased to support the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join the OGP Local program. By joining OGP Local, we support the endorsement of the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

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If given the opportunity to become a member of OGP Local in the 2023 call, the President of the association Mr. ABDERRAHAN ELOAMRI will be responsible for leading the OGP Local process and liaising with the OGP Support Unit. In addition, we commit to making available the necessary human, financial and technical resources to participate in the co-creation, implementation and learning from ambitious commitments within the action plan.

For these reasons, we recommend accepting the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join OGP and we thank you for dedicating your time to read our letter of support and we remain at your disposal for further details or questions in the future.

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**Errich, December 21, 2023**

**OGP Support Unit**

**Mr. Rudi Borrman, Deputy Director, OGP Local**

**Non-governmental Letter of Support: Call for new members to OGP Local 2023**

Drâa-Tafilalet Center For Sustainable Development is pleased to support the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join the OGP Local program. By joining OGP Local, we support the endorsement of the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

We acknowledge that, as a member of OGP Local, we are embarking on a journey of collaboration, learning and action. We commit to work together as partners with the government to deliver an open government action plan in 2024 and implement its commitments. In addition, we commit to embed the values of open government in our OGP local process and ensure it is transparent, participatory and accountable.

Our civil society organization works regularly with the regional council, following up on its plans and evaluating its progress. We appreciate its efforts to launch new initiatives and its attempts to expand its international network and keep empowering NGOs in our region. This influences the public institutions in decision-making and effectively leads the NGOs to leverage its constitutional rights through efficient engagement and smart participation for public profit.

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If given the opportunity to become a member of OGP Local in the 2023 call, the President of the association Mr. Mustapha MAHNI will be responsible for leading the OGP Local process and liaising with the OGP Support Unit. In addition, we commit to making available the necessary human, financial and technical resources to participate in the co-creation, implementation and learning from ambitious commitments within the action plan.

For these reasons, we recommend accepting the application of Drâa-Tafilalet Regional Council to join OGP and we thank you for dedicating your time to read our letter of support and we remain at your disposal for further details or questions in the future.

Faithfully

**Signature**  
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**Mhamed Ait Idir, président**

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**M. Rudi Borrmann, Deputy Director OGP Local  
OGP Support Unit**

**Object: Letter of Support for the consortium application of six Regions of Morocco to the Local OGP for 2023.**

Following the call for expression of interest for OGP Local, the General Directorate of Territorial Communities (DGCT) of the Ministry of Interior is pleased to support the consortium application of six Moroccan Regions, namely: Drâa-Tafilalet Region, Oriental Region, Fès-Meknes Region, Sous-Massa Region, the Guelmim-Oued Noun Region and Laâyoune-Sakia El Hamra Region.

These Regions are actively committed to the implementation and promotion of the principles of open government at the regional and the national level with their national and international partners.

In particular, these Regions are members of the Moroccan Network of Open Territorial Communities REMACTO created in October 2022 as part of the Support Program for Local Government PACTO.

This program which won an award during the 8<sup>th</sup> OGP Summit, held in Estonia in September 2023, is led by the General Directorate of Territorial Communities in partnership with the Association of Regions of Morocco and Impact For Development association. This is a strategic initiative to support the institutionalization and generalization of the principles of open government at the level of Moroccan Territorial Communities <https://ctouvertes.collectivites-territoriales.gov.ma/index.php?lang=fr>

Wishing that these Regions become part of the OGP international community, the DGCT is committed to provide support to them and to other local governments in order to promote transparency, access to information, citizen participation and public responsibility.

I remain at your disposal for any additional information.

Pour le Ministre de l'Intérieur  
et par délégation

Le Gouverneur, Abdelouahhab EL JABRI



N°236/ARM

Rabat, December 25, 2023

To the Kind Attention of  
**Mr. Rudi Borrmann, Deputy Director, OGP Local**  
OGP Support Unit

**Subject:** Support for Moroccan Regions' Candidacy for 2023 OGP Local

Dear Director,

Following the call for expressions of interest launched among local governments to join OGP Local, the Association of Regions of Morocco (ARM), representing the 12 regions of the Kingdom of Morocco, is pleased to endorse the joint candidacy of six regions for this initiative. These regions are:

- Drâa-Tafilalet
- Oriental
- Fès-Meknès
- Souss-Massa
- Guelmim-Oued Noun
- Laâyoune-Sakia El Hamra

Committed to advancing open government principles regionally, nationally, and internationally, these regions actively engage with national and international partners in this endeavor.

It is noteworthy that these regions are already members of The Moroccan Network of Open Local Governments (REMACTO), established in October 2022 as part of the National program for open territorial communities (PACTO).

This program, which was awarded at the 8th OGP Summit held in Estonia in September 2023, is led by the Directorate General of Territorial Communities in partnership with the Association of Regions of Morocco and the Association Impact for Development. It represents a strategic initiative in supporting the institutionalization and generalization of open government principles at the level of Moroccan local governments (Territorial Communities).

Hoping that the concerned regions will become part of the international OGP community, the Association of Regions of Morocco commits to supporting them in upholding the principles of transparency, access to information, citizen participation, and public accountability.

**Mbarka BOUAIDA**  
President of the Association of regions of Morocco



**To: Rudi Borrmann, Deputy Director, OGP Local  
OGP Support Unit**

**Object : Letter of Support for the consortium application of six Regions of Morocco to the Local OGP for 2023.**

Impact For Development is pleased to support the consortium application of of six Moroccan Regions, namely: the Drâa-Tafilalet Region, the Oriental Region, the Fès-Meknes Region, the Sous-Massa Region, the Guelmim-Oued Noun Region and the Laâyoune-Sakia El Hamra Region. This is part of our long lasting engagement and endorsement to the Open Government Declaration and its principles.

Our civil society organization has partnered with the DGCT (General Directorate of Local Governments, under the Ministry of Interior) and the Association of the Regions of Morocco to support the REMACTO network that covers 66 local governments and more than 270 Local Open Government projects/commitments. As members of REMACTO (Moroccan Network of Local Open Governments), these Regions are actively committed to the implementation and promotion of the principles of open government. We have worked closed with these regional actors during 2023 throught the cocreation process of their Regional Open Government Program and we can witness of the maturity of both the local governments and the local civil society actors.

Our civil society organization has also supported the application process to join OGP Local for the regions of Beni Mellal-Khenifra in 2021 and the region of Tanger-Tetouan-Al Hoceima in 2020. We have also supported the organization of more than 20 OpenGov events during the OpenGov Week every year in 2022 and 2023.

We recognize the importance of joining OGP Local and be part of a global community of government and civil society who strive to innovate, catalyze progress and promote learning within and across jurisdictions. This global community is strengthened by the actions of its members, hence, we continue pledging to be an active member of this global community and support other members with peer exchanges and engaging at the local, national and international level to promote the values of open government.

If given the opportunity to become a member of OGP Local in the 2023 call, Samia El Baouchi , the director of Impact For Development, will be responsible for leading the OGP Local process and liaising with the OGP Support Unit. In addition, we commit to making available the necessary human, financial and technical resources to participate in the co-creation, implementation and learning from ambitious commitments within the action plan.

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