



## Forest and sea borders for Peace - Frontepaz

*Contributing to the well-being, social progress, and peaceful coexistence of the population in the Pacific Coast region of northern Chocó.*

### Implementation period

From 07/Apr/2017 To 06/Jan/2021

### General Description

The project contributes to the well-being, social progress, and peaceful coexistence of the population in the Pacific Coast region of northern Chocó in the framework of the Peace Accords. The project promotes good living and peace through participatory regional planning, reduced inequality, and sustainable economic development in the region.

The project is structured to address four regional components that have been aggravated by the conflict: 1) local economic development; 2) environment and regional management; 3) social and cultural development; and 4) local governance.

At the same time, the project is concerned with improving food security and sovereignty conditions, strengthening political-administrative and ethnic-regional entities governance, and implementing actions that promote tourism and the local economy. It seeks to accomplish these objectives through social and economic infrastructure, promoting and strengthening traditional mechanisms for health provision, as well as self-education and dignified housing.

### Contribution to the Peace Accords

The project contributes to point 1 of the Peace Agreement by formulating an environmental and economic management plan for the region with mechanisms to overcome conflicts of land and ocean use, and by improving productivity and sustainability of the production chains. The project also formulates a regional solid waste management plan and a tourism plan with a community focus on identity and nature. The project promotes the restructuring of cattle management and farming, and sustainable management of the fishery resource.

## Objectives and Results

The project has four specific results.

- The first result strengthens economic chains such as tourism, fishing, and green businesses of Afro-Pacific, indigenous, and mestizo communities, by developing sustainable economic initiatives and establishing commercial agreements.
- The second result overcomes conflicts of land use, environment, management and disposal of solid waste in the north coast region of Chocó.
- The third result improves indigenous and Afro-Pacific communities', particularly youth and conflict victims, access to social services through greater intercultural recognition and by closing social gaps. Schools, homes, and healthcare institutions are improved as well.
- The fourth result improves the technical capacities of public and community regional political entities in the North Chocó so that they can better manage, and advocate for, social development and peaceful coexistence.

### Investment Amounts

**€ 3.200.000**

UE Support

**€ 800.000**

Counterpart

**€ 4.000.000**

Total

## Featured Indicators

Indicator	Goal	Last Update	Advance	Current Value	Status
01.Number of people strengthening their technical capacities and knowledge for sustainable artisanal fishing.	3.000	December 2020	80 %	2.410	Complete
02.Number of families improving the productivity (associated crops) and environmental sustainability (cattle farming and management) of the agrosilvopastoral system	3.000	December 2020	81 %	2.444	Complete
03.Number of families increasing their annual income by 50%	3.600	December 2020	100 %	3.600	Complete
04.Number of tourist products developed in the Pacific coastal region	9	December 2020	166 %	15	Complete
05.Number of green market ventures	15	December 2020	133 %	20	Complete
06.Number of families practicing proper solid waste management	1.500	December 2020	100 %	1.500	In planning
07.Number of women who have been trained and strengthened on gender perspective and advocacy	300	December 2020	100 %	300	Complete
08.Number of families improving their homes in the Pacific coastal region	210	December 2020	100 %	210	Complete
09.Number of health service providers in the public and traditional sectors that have been trained to coordinate actions in patient care	70	October 2020	100 %	70	Complete
10.Number of public and community entities improving their institutional management capacity and social participation levels	10	December 2020	120 %	12	Complete
11.Number of leaders, linked to regional coordination mechanisms, who have improved their technical capacity for management and participation	600	December 2020	100 %	600	Complete
12.Number of young people who have been involved in sports and cultural activities	4.000	December 2020	100 %	4.000	Complete

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<b>13.Number of students and literacy learners who have been involved in actions in schools with revised and improved contents in their programs regarding identity and cultural and regional roots</b>	<b>3.500</b>	December 2020	<b>101 %</b>	<b>3.555</b>	Complete
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## Advocate



Unión Europea

## Partner

Instituto de  
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Ambientales del Pacífico -  
IIAP

## Local Partners and Co-Applicants

1. Municipio de Juradó
2. Municipio de Bahía Solano
3. Municipio de Nuquí

## Geographic Coverage

Proyecto:	Fronteras de selva y mar para la paz
Socio:	Instituto de Investigaciones Ambientales del Pacífico, <b>IIAP</b>
Aporte total Unión Europea:	3.200.000 €
Aportes contrapartida:	800.000 €
Cobertura:	3 municipios en el departamento de Chocó <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Chocó: Bahía Solano, Juradó y Nuquí</li></ol>



## Project Resources

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