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2020 ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT

CHAPTER ONE

1.1 Introduction

The year 2020 marks the third year for the execution of the Medium-Term Development Plan (2018-2021) for Asokore Mampong Municipal Assembly, based on the Agenda for Jobs: Creating prosperity and equal opportunity for all, 2018-2021 in line with the five (5) Development dimensions as stated below:

- Economic Development
- Social Development
- Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement
- Governance Corruption and Accountability
- Ghana's role in International affairs

The overall goal of the "Agenda for job" is to "create an optimistic self-confident and prosperous nation, through the creative exploitation of our human and natural resources and operating within a democratic, open and fair society in which mutual trust and economic opportunities exist for all.

However, the overall goal with regards to Asokore Mampong Municipal Assembly's MTDP, is "to improve the production capacity of the Assembly, create employment and wealth in partnership with the private sector".

This Annual Progress Report for Asokore Mampong Municipal Assembly covers the programmes, projects and activities carried out based on the 2020 Composite Annual Action Plan of the Assembly from January to December, 2020 and also reports of various Decentralized Departments and Agencies in the Municipality. The APR covers assessment of performance indicators and targets in the AMMA's MTDP 2020 with respect to progress in the implementation of programmes, projects and other policies to achieve the development goals of the Assembly. The report also highlights the implementation challenges encountered and the needed recommendations to address the challenges.

The objectives of the AMMA's APR are as follows;

- (i) Provide information on progress made by the Assembly with respect to the implementation for the Government "Agenda for Jobs", creating prosperity and equal opportunity for all.
- (ii) Identify the challenges the Assembly encountered in the implementation of the 2020 Annual Action Plan
- (iii) Propose recommendation and measures to address the challenges.

1.2 Purpose of Monitoring and Evaluation for 2020

The main thrust for the preparation of the 2020 Annual Progress Report is to give reliable information to the Central Government, National Development Planning Commission (NDPC), the Regional Co-ordinating Council, the donor Community, Traditional Councils, Stakeholders and the general public on the progress being made by the Assembly as a result of utilization of resources from the Central Government, donors and resources generated internally within the Municipality.

The purpose of the M&E report is to fulfill the mandatory requirement of the Assembly as stated below;

- 1. To ensure that projects and programmes are implemented as planned
- 2. To ensure accountability of the resources used and the results obtained
- To provide information on the progress made by the District Assembly in achieving the goals and objectives under the Agenda for Jobs, Creating prosperity and equal opportunity for all, 2018-2021
- 4. To take appropriate decisions on the future of programmes and projects and provide opportunities for stakeholder feedback
- 5. To help review and give information on achievements and impacts of policies, projects, programmes

1.3 Process Involved

The Assembly in the quest to ensure active participation of key stakeholders in the preparation of the report made extensive use of inputs from them. In assessing the impact of policies, programmes and projects on targeted groups, data from both primary and secondary sources were obtained. Quarterly and Annual Progress Reports from Departments, Subverted Agencies, Development Partners and Non-Governmental Organisations among others were gathered and validated at MPCU meetings. Also, the members of MPCU embarked on an all-inclusive project inspection and site visits on monthly and quarterly basis. The site meetings and project inspections involved Assembly members, Unit Committee members, Traditional leaders and beneficiaries of the interventions. The site meetings and project inspections enabled the MPCU assess whether the programmes and projects conform to the specifications, ensured value for money and was within the time schedule

1.4 Summary of Achievements of the Implementation of the AAP/MTDP

The Government coordinated programmes of Economic and social Development policies (CPESDP) is based on 'Change': An Agenda for jobs – creating prosperity and equal opportunity for all". The priority intervention under this coordinated programme covers four major areas, namely: economic development; social development; environment, infrastructure and human settlement development and government, corruption and public accountability.

The Asokore Mampong Municipal Assembly's 2020 APR which is in the second year of its implementation of the Assembly's 2018-2021 under the five development dimensions of the National Medium-Term Development Policy Framework- Agenda for Jobs policy framework: "creating prosperity and equal opportunity for all".

1.5 Challenges encountered with the Implementation of the AAP/MTDP

During the plan implementation the following challenges were encountered

Delay in the release of the quarterly DACF and District Development Facility (DDF).

Central government transfers constitute substantially to revenue sources of the Assembly. It forms about 54% of the entire revenue budget of the Assembly which means there is a positive relationship between achieving AAP implementation target and funds received from central government. The delays and non-release of 2019 fourth quarter DACF and 2018 DDF affected the Assembly's ability to implement all the programmes and projects in the 2020 Annual Action Plan. This has delayed the implementation of some projects in the Annual Action Plan.

> Ineffective Sub-Structures

The Municipal Assembly has Three (3) Zonal Councils, however, they are not able to function as expected due to the fact they are not able to mobilize enough resources. This is due to the fact that the Zonal Councils are not well resourced financially and the requisite personnel are not available. This makes IGF mobilization difficult hence the Assembly's inability to complement Governments' and other Donor support in the implementation of programme and projects in the AAP

> Inadequate Data

Data needed by the Assembly to prepare reports are not readily available from the departments and agencies. Due to this, the analysis of figures, particularly ratable items, always come with a challenge because of inadequate data. Logistics to carry out data gathering exercises have not been adequately available hence placing a restriction on the few available skilled human resources.

- Delays in the submission of reports
- Use of different reporting formats by the Department in submitting reports

> Difficulty in getting vehicle for monitoring and evaluation.

• Delays in the release of funds for MPCU meetings to collect and collate reports for the preparation of Quarterly and Annual Progress reports

> Inadequate funds for data collection

Lack and non-release of funds for data collection has also affected adversely the implementation of the AAP

CHAPTER TWO

MONITORING AND EVALUATION ACTIVITIES

2.1 Introduction

This chapter addresses issues on the status of programmes and projects for 2020 and updates on revenue sources and expenditure. It also indicates core indicators and critical development and poverty issues including monitoring and evaluation which was conducted their findings and made their absolute conclusions.

2.2 Programme and Projects Status from January to December 2020

AMMA's 2020 AAP covered 106 programmes and projects. Out of these, 92 programmes and projects representing 87.79 % had been fully completed or were ongoing. Fourteen programmes and projects were not implemented representing 12.21 % were not implementing. The table show the status of projects and programs implemented by the Assembly as at the end of December, 2020, from the Annual Action Plans in the 2018-2021 MMTDP.

Data collected, collated, processed, validated, analysed and information generated from the results of the analysis and assessment of the project/activities in relations to the indicators (core and district specific) and targets of the MMTDP of the Asokore Mampong Municipal Assembly was undertaken to review the Assembly's performance to ascertain the level of achievements of the 2020 Annual Action Plan. The previous performances were reviewed to serve as a guide towards the implementation of the 2018-2021 District Medium Term Development Plan.

2.2.1 Overall proportion of the MTDP implemented in 2020

The table 2.1 below indicates a summary of achievements of the implementation of the DMTDP for the year 2020

Table 2.1 Overall proportion of the MTDP implemented in 2020

Indic	ators	Target	Actual
1	Proportion of the Annual Action Plan Implemented (Programmes, projects and activities)	106	92(87.79%)
	a. Implemented	-	92 (87.79)
	b. Not Started	-	14 (17.2%)

2	Percentage of overall MTDP implemented	233	158 (68.1%)
	as at December, 2020		

Source: AMMA-MPCU Dec 2020.

Table 2.2: Proportion of 2020 Annual Action Plan implemented from the overall MTDP 2018- 2021

S/N	Development Dimension	2020		2021		
		Planned	Executed	Planned	Executed	
1	Economic Development	18	18			
2	Social development	38	35			
3	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	26	17			
4	Governance, corruption and Public Accountability	24	22			
Total		106	92			

Source: BMA-MPCU Dec 2020

Table 2.3: Physical Projects Implemented in 2020

S/N	PROJECT DESCRIPTION	FUNDING SOURCE	CONTRACT SUM (GHC)	AMOUNT PAID TO DATE (GHC)	CONTRACTOR	AWARD DATE	COMM. DATE	EXPECTED COM.DATE/ ACTUAL COMP. DATE	WORK DONE (%)	STATUS
1	Construction of 2 Storey Administration Block at KUMACA at Asokore Mampong	DACF	702,681.00	452,073.24	Jabora Const. Works Ltd	05/12/2016		30/06/2017	100	Completed
2	Construction of 1 NO 6-unit Ground floor classroom block with office and store at Aboabo NO. 2 middle B	DACF	481,763.10		FT Global Investment Limited	28/12/2018	12/02/2019	29/07/2019	50	In Progress
3	Construction of 1 NO 6-unit Ground floor classroom block with office and store at Adukrom	DACF	442,663.20		Mwini Buobu Enterprise	28/12/2018	18/02/2019	29/07/2019	100	Completed

4	Construction of 542- meter block fence wall with security post at Sakafia SHS at Asokore Mampong	MPSF	374,178.84	147,456.00	Yakass Enterprise	28/12/2018	14/01/2019	29/04/2019	50	In Progress
5	Completion of 1NO. 12 Unit classroom block with office and store at Adukrom Basic School at Adukrom	DACF	350,404.37		Mwini Buobu Enterprise	12/07/2019	24/07/2019	12/01/2020	100	Completed
6	Completion of MCE Bungalow at Asokore Mampong.	DACF	480,233.25		Jaborah Construction Ltd.	12/07/2019	24/07/2019	30/01/2020	30	In Progress
7	Construction of 4 NO mechanized boreholes at Asabi, Aboabo NO.1 &2 and Sawaba New Site	DACF	159,365.80		Derowboat Ventures Ltd.	12/07/2019	24/07/2019	12/01/2020	70	In Progress
8	Continuation of 1NO. 2 Bedroom semi-detached Bungalow for	DACF	350,901.10		Attafen Co. Ltd.	12/07/2019	24/07/2019	12/01/2020	100	Completed

	Administration at Asokore Mampong.									
9	Repair and maintenance of street lights within the Municipality.	DACF	348,500.00		Yakass Enterprise	12/07/2019	24/07/2019	12/10/2019		
10	Construction of 1NO. 10-Seater Toilets with Mechanized boreholes at Asabi	DACF	160,099.50		K-Hammer Ventures	12/07/2019	24/07/2019	12/01/2020	100	Completed
11.	Construction of health center at Asabi	DACF	451,246.40		Master Builders & Artisans Ltd.	12/07/2019	24/07/2019	12/01/2020	100	Completed
12	Completion of 4 Bedrooms as Administration block for Adukrom Presby School at Adukrom	DACF	113,177.40		Mwini Buobu Enterprise	21/05/2019	28/05/2019	21/08/2019	80	In Progress
13	Construction of Fire Service Station at Asokore Mampong	DACF	710,914.00	106,637.10	Jabora Const. Works Ltd.	19/09/2018		30/07/2019	100	Completed

14	Construction of 1NO. 6-Unit Ground Floor Classroom with Office and Store at Adukrom Basic School at Adukrom	DACF	474,969.99	139,000.00	Eldan Company limited	23/11/2017		25/06/2018 /28/06/2019	100	Completed
15	Renovation of 1NO. 2-Storey unit Classroom block at Adenyinase M/A School at Adenyinase	DDF	60,025.00	60,025.00	K-Hammer Ventures	12/03/2020	13/03/20	30/06/2020	100	Completed
16	Renovation of 4- Unit Classroom block at Akurem	DACF	85,000.00	85,000.00	K-Hammer Ventures	12/03/2020	13/03/20	30/06/2020	100	Completed
17	Construction of mechanized Borehole with overhead tank at Joe Boy (Ghana) Lorry Station at Akwatialine.	DDF	37,023.50	37,023.50	Mwini Buobu Enterprise	12/03/2020	13/03/20	30/06/2020	100	Completed
18	Rehabilitation of 4- Unit Classroom Block with Library and office at Watanya Islamic	DDF	78,035.00	78,035.00	Mwini Buobu Enterprise	12/03/2020	13/03/20	30/06/2020	100	Completed

	School at Aboabo No. 2									
19.	Maintenance of Street Lights at Asewase east and west, Sawaba and Parkoso Electoral Areas	DACF	60,000.00	60,000.00	K-Hammer Ventures	15/07/2020	16/07/2020	30/09/2020	100	Completed
20	Construction of Speed humps within the Municipality	DACF			Dept. of Urban Roads		Jan-20	Dec-20	100	Completed
21	Drainage Improvement works at Asokore Mampong	DACF			Dept. of Urban Roads		Mar-20	Oct-20	100	Completed
22	Road Traffic / Safety improvement works/ Signalization of Intersection at Aboabo II	DACF			Dept. of Urban Roads		Apr-20	Dec-20	100	Completed
23	Routine Maintenance of Roads (Grading Works- 12) and Patching of Roads- 7km) at Asabi,	DACF			Dept. of Urban Roads		Jun-20	Dec-20	100	Completed

Asokore Mampong and Parkoso					
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Table 2.4: Non-Physical Programmes and Projects

		CENTRAL ADN	MINISTRATION		
	Programme/Activity	Development Dimension	Implemented /Not Implemented	Status	Remarks
1	Preparation of 2020 Composite Budget	Economic	Implemented	Completed	
2	Gazetting of 2020 Fee Fixing	Economic	Implemented	Completed	
3	Set funds for valuation of properties	Economic	Not Implemented		
4	Organize sub-committee meetings	Governance	Implemented	Completed	
5	inauguration of Projects	Governance	Implemented	Completed	
6	Organise 2No Town Hall Meeting	Governance	Implemented	Completed	
7	Counterpart fund to support NBU projects	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
8	Procure Office Equipment for the Decentralized Dept. -Photocopier,10 Computers, 20 Laptops, 10 Printer	Governance	Implemented	On-going	
9	Procurement of stationary	Governance	Implemented	Completed	
10	Stickers Printed Materials	Economic	Implemented	Completed	
11	Rent Office Accommodation for the Decentralized Departments	Governance	Implemented	Completed	
12	Build the Capacity of Staff and Assembly Members at the National and Local Level	Governance	Implemented	Completed	
13	Furnish the new Administration Block	Governance	Not Implemented		
14	Organise National Day Celebration and Farmers Day	Governance	Implemented	Completed	

15	Organize Quarterly Monitoring and Evaluation of Programmes and Projects	Governance	Implemented	Completed
16	Support Community Self Help Project	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
17	Organise 3 General Assembly Meetings	Governance	Implemented	Completed
18	Dev't Development: Maintenance of Landscaping of Asokore Mampong Chief's Palace	Economic	Implemented	Completed
19	Tourism Devt: Maintenance of Security Light at Central Mosque	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
20	Set Aside Municipal Education Fund to support Educational Activities - Scholarships	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
21	Support Sports and Culture	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
22	Support for Non-formal education activities	Social Development	Not Implemented	
23	Support Youth Development Project	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
24	Procurement and Supply of 600 Dual Desk	Social Development	Not Implemented	
25	Organise Best Teacher Awards	Social Development	Not Implemented	
26	Organise STMIE Clinic	Social Development	Not Implemented	
27	Mechanization of 2 No. Boreholes New Zongo and Aboabo (Joe Boe Station)	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
28	Supply and Maintenance of Street Light	Economic	Implemented	Completed
29	Extension of Pipe-born water	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
30	Set aside Funds for Landfill site	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Not Implemented	

31	Fumigation in Municipality	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed	
32	Evacuation of Refuse in the Municipality	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed	
33	Undertake Malaria Control Programme	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
34	Undertake National Immunization Exercise	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
35	Undertake HIV/AIDS Programme	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
36	Support for the Vulnerable and Excluded - Elderly, Children and Women	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
37	Provide adequate funding toward the reformation and rehabilitation of children in contact with law	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
38	Organize 4 capacity building programs to empower leaders of the organization of persons with disabilities (OPWDs) through leadership training.	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
39	To improve the skills of PWDs through training and also provide assistive devices to PWDs	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
40	Organise 4 Community Durbars on Children and Family Welfare Issues	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
41	Organise 4 Building Training for Stakeholders	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	
42	Organise Sensitization for 100 Households and 30 Schools on Promotion of Child Rights and Responsibilities, 2 Gender Related Violence and Child Protection Issues	Social Development	Implemented	Completed	

43	Manage 50 Cases of Child and Family Welfare Issues	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
44	Organise Follow-up for Homes and School Visits	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
45	Prevent and Manage Disaster: Fire Education and Training	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed
46	Prevent and Manage Disaster: Flood Warning Signs	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed
47	Capacity Building of Staff NADMO Staff	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed
48	Support Security Services and Neighborhood Watch Committees (Logistic)	Governance	Implemented	Completed
49	Maintenance of Official vehicle	Governance	Implemented	Completed
50	Insurance of eight office vehicles	Governance	Implemented	Completed
51	Procure 1 no. 15 seater Mini Bus	Governance	Not Implemented	
52	Local Plan Preparation for 10 Communities	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed
53	Street Naming Exercise in the Municipality	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed
54	Inspection of Building and Land Sites	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed
55	Preparation and submission of financial Statement	Economic	Implemented	Completed
56	Capacity building workshop for finance staff	Economic	Implemented	Completed
57	Payment of Exgratia to Outgoing Assembly Members	Governance	Implemented	Completed

61	Train technical staff on child labour, occupational safety and health	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
64	Organize district and Regional RELC Planning session	Social Development	Implemented	Completed
66	Monitoring and Supervision of field activities by DDA, Dos, DCE and DCD.	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed
68	Organize zonal planning meeting to collate data for district planning session	Governance	Implemented	Completed
69	Organize regular outreach and surveillance of diseases and pests	Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement	Implemented	Completed
71	Construction of a demonstration site on a rabbit production at Parkoso operational area	Economic	Implemented	Completed
72	Establish one demonstration farm on broiler production	Economic	Implemented	Completed
73	Establish 2 demonstration farms on crop production to advance new technologies to farmers	Economic	Implemented	Completed
76	Conduct home and farm visit to advance technologies to farmers	Economic	Implemented	Completed
77	Train women groups on multiplication, processing and utilization of Orange flesh sweet potato	Economic	Implemented	Completed
78	Organize food-based nutrition and diet improvement training for women groups	Economic	Implemented	Completed
79	Train 60 women farmers on raw material sourcing and its transformation.	Economic	Implemented	Completed
80	Organize training for women on good quality food management	Economic	Implemented	Completed
81	Train three female processing groups on packaging and branding	Environment, Infrastructure	Implemented	Completed

		and Human Settlement		
82	Organize Executive Committee Meetings	Governance	Implemented	Completed
83	Organize MPCU Meeting	Governance	Implemented	Completed

2.3 Update on Funding Sources and Disbursements

The Assembly in their quest to promote development within the municipality depends on various sources for funds to implement the programmes and projects. Within the period under the review the Assembly depended on sources such as DACF, PWDs CF etc. to implement the 2020 AAP.

The Table 2.5 and 2.6 below gives the updates of revenue sources and disbursements of the Assembly as at the end of 2020 using 2019 as the baseline.

Table 2.5: Update on Revenue Sources of the Assembly as at end of 31st December, 2020

ITEM	Revenue Sources	Baseline	Target	Actuals
		(2019)	(2020)	(2020)
1	GoG (SALARIES)	2,917,920.20	2,895,200.00	3,534,381.67
2	GoG Decentralized Dept	7,427.37	100,268.49	73,072.04
3	IGF	1,706,927.24	1,311,870.60	1,087,856.61
4	DACF	7,497,844.67	15,567,005.74	5,483,410.73
5	MP'S CF	382,355.95	300,000	341,786.43
6	PWD'S CF	141,124.36	483,948.37	214,270.68
7	MSHAP	50,514.25	80,658.07	24,333.92
8	DDF	2,072,594.88	918,521.58	477,864.05
9	MAG	174,070.21	168,669.18	104,119.49
10	UNICEF	-	70,000.00	10,600.00
11	OTHER	-		
	TOTAL	14,950,779.15	21,896,141.76	11,351,695.62

Source: Municipal Budget Unit Jan 2021

Table 2.6 Update on Disbursement/Expenditure from 2020

ITEM	Expenditure Items	Baseline	Target	Actual
		(2019)	(2020)	(2020)
1	Compensation	3,186,094.79	3,055,200.00	3,722,494.75
2	Goods and Services	3,769,621.35	6,684,757.44	3,680,197.85
3	Investment			
4	Assets	6,495,430.97	12,156,184.32	5,442,309.35
	TOTAL	13,451,147.11	21,846,141.76	12,845,001.95

Source: Municipal Budget Unit Jan 2021

With reference from Table 2.3 above, it can be realized that the total amount targeted at the beginning of the year 2020 was 21,896,141.76 but the actual amount gotten at the end of the year 2020 was 11,351,695.62 from all the revenue sources representing 51.8%. The reduction in the revenue can be attributed to the global pandemic (COVID-19), which affected the general performance of the economy. With regards to expenditure it can be inferred from table 2.4 that, the total budgeted expenditure for the year 2020 was 21,846,141.76 while the actual expenditure stood at 12,845,001.95 which represent 58.8% of the amount spent within the year 2020.

2.4 Update on Core Indicators and Targets

The National Development Planning Commission (NDPC) in the bid to track the performance of the implementation of the Composite Annual Action Plan, Composite Budget and the DMTDP of various MMDAs, has in consultation with stakeholders developed twenty (20) core indicators and targets to access their quarterly and annual performance. Table 2.7 shows the performance indicators and targets for the implementation of the Composite Annual Action Plan and Budget for 2020.

Table 2.7: Update on Core Indicators and Targets

No.	Indicator	Baseline	Target	Actual
A	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT			
1	Change in Yield of Selected Crops, Livestock and Fish:			
	a. Maize	6000	7,000	5,184
	b. Cassava	420	400	313.5
	c. Spring Onion	3000	3150	2,944
	d. Ayoyo	2600	2,700	2,520
	e. Plantain	800	810	754
	f. Fisheries	3000	3,000	5,184
	g. Livestock	100,000	110,000	74,510
2	Proportion of Unemployed Youth benefiting from Skills/Apprenticeship and Entrepreneurial Training			
3	Percentage (%) Change in Number of Households with Access to Electricity	2%	2%	1.30%
4	Change in Tourist Arrivals (%)	3%	3%	2%
5	Tele density/Penetration Rate	NA	NA	NA

В	SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT			
6	Proportion of population with valid NHIS card	NA	NA	NA
7	HIV/AIDS Prevalence Rate (Percentage (%) of Adult Population, 15-49 Yrs. HIV Positive)	0.0%	0.0%	0.02%
8	Maternal Mortality Ratio (No. of Deaths due to Pregnancy and Childbirth per 100,000 Live Births)	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
9	Under-Five Mortality Rate (No. of Deaths occurring between Birth and Exact Age Five per 1,000 Live Births)	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
10	Malaria Case Fatality in Children under Five Years per 10,000 Population	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
11	Percentage of Population with Sustainable Access to Safe Water Sources	90%	95%	92.8%
12	Proportion of Population with Access to Improved Sanitation (Flush Toilets, KVIP, Household Latrine)			
	a. Flush toilet			
	b. KIVP			
	Households latrine			
13	a. Gross Enrolment Rate (Indicates the Number of Pupils/Students at a given Level of Schooling-regardless of			

	age - as Proportion of the Number Children in the Relevant			
	Age Group):			
	b. Gross Enrolment Rate (Indicated the Number of			
	Pupils/Students at a given Level of Schooling			
	regardless of age-as proportion of the number of			
	Children in the Relevant Age Group			
	С			
	- KG	51.6	51.6	53.0
	- Primary	53.6	53.6	52.1
	- JHS	45.6	45.6	44.1
	- SHS	37.1	37.1	36.6
	b. Net Admission Rate (Indicates Enrolment of Pupils Aged			
	6 years)			
	- KG	33.2	33.2	34.3
	- Primary	44.1	44.1	42.0
	- JHS	26.7	26.7	22.8
	- SHS	21.5	21.5	20.1
14	Gender Parity Index (Ratio between Girls' and Boys' Enrolment Rates, the Balance of Parity is 1.00)			
	- KG	1.03	1.03	1.05

	- Primary	1.04	1.04	1.06
	- JHS	1.04	1.04	0.98
	- SHS	0.84	0.84	0.79
	Completion Rate			
	- KG	47.1	47.1	48.7
	- Primary	51.3	51.3	54.2
	- JHS	43.1	43.1	42.6
	- SHS	33.0	33.0	43.9
	(BECE PASS RATE)			
	Number of births and deaths registered			
	Birth registered			
15	Male		2000	1,680
	Female		2000	1,264
	Death		NA	NA
С			,	
16	Proportion/Length of Roads Maintained/Rehabilitated:			
	a. Grading works at Parkoso, Asokore Mampong and Asabi (in km)	10	12	12

	b. Patching of Urban Roads (in km) at Asokore Mampong Municipality	8	8	7
17	Hectares of Degraded Forest, Mining, Dry and Wet Lands Rehabilitated/Restored:			
	a. Forest	NIL	NIL	NIL
	b. Mining	NIL	NIL	NIL
	c. Dry and Wetland	NIL	NIL	NIL
D	GOVERNANCE, CORRUPTION AND PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY			
17	Total Amount of Internally Generated Revenue	1,706,927.24	1,311870.47	1,087,856.1
18	Amount of Development Partner and NGO funds contribution to DMTDP Implementation			114,719.49
19	Percentage (%) of DA Expenditure within AAP Budget	96.0%	100.0%	96.2.0%
20	Number of Reported Cases of crime			1,101
21	Police Citizen Ratio	1:4864	1:500	1:10917

Source: AMMA-MPCU Dec 2020

2.5 Critical Development and Poverty Issues In 2020

These critical development and poverty issues are social intervention programs enrolled to reduce extreme poverty situations in the Municipal targeting especially the vulnerable and the poor. Some of these social protection and intervention programs include LEAP, Disability funds, capitation grants, school feeding program, free SHS and NHIS among others.

2.5.1 The Leap Programme

The Livelihood Empowerment Against Poverty (LEAP) is a social intervention programme which falls under the National Social Protection Strategy. The Asokore Mampong Municipal Assembly presently has a total number of eight hundred and ninety-six (896) beneficiary LEAP households.

During the year under review, a total number of five payment cycles were undertaken in the Municipality, for purposes of transferring cash grants to the vulnerable households. However, the 65th and the 66th payment cycles combined paid.

The participating financial institution that facilitated payment during the year was Kumawuman Rural Bank.

Table 2.8: summary of payment during the year

PAYMENT CYCLE	PAYMENT DATE	NO OF HOUSEHOLDS	AMOUNT ALLOCATED	
64 TH	12\02\2020	896	GHC. 74,624.00	
65 TH AND 66 TH	24\05\2020	896	GHC. 149,266.00	
67 TH	27\08\2020	896	GHC. 74,624.00	
68 TH	14\10\2020	896	GHC. 74,624.00	

2.5.2: Persons with Disability

During the year under review, a total of one hundred and eight (108) applications were received from persons with disabilities from all electoral areas in the municipality. The purpose of their applications ranged from business support and startup, medical support, educational support and assistive devices.

Table 2.9: PWDs Supported in the Municipality

ELETORA L AREA			AG	E RA	NG	E			TYPE OF DISABILITY				TOTAL
	0-17 18-45			46- 59 60+			Visuall y	y Speech	Mentally Challeng	Physicall y			
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Impaire d	Impaired	ed	Challenged	
ASAWAS E	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	1	3
NEW ZONGO	1	ı	3	_	2	-	-	1	2	5	-	-	7
ADUKRO M	3	1	3	5	1	1	1	-	5	3	8	1	17
ABOABO NO.1	-	ı	1	2	-	1	-	1	1	4		1	6
ABOABO NO.2	-	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	1		3	2	6
ABOABO EXTENTI ON	-	1	1	1	1	-	3	1	2	1	3	1	7
SAWABA	1	-	5	5	2	1	1	1	2	4	7	2	15
ASOKOR E MAMPON G	1	2	1	2	-	1	-	1	1	1	2	4	8
BOUBAI	1	-	-	1	-	-	-		1		1		2

SEPE TINPOM	2	2	3	5	1	2	-	2	2	2	10	3	17
AKUREM	1	2	1	-	1	-	2	1			7	1	8
ASABI	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-			1	1	2
PARKOS O	-	3	-	3	-	2	-	2			1	9	10
TOTAL	9	12	24	25	9	9	7	10	17	20	45	26	108

2.5.3: Sanitation

There were two ways of managing sanitation in the Municipality which are mainly through public latrine and household latrine. There are about 64 public toilets within the Municipality which have been managed by individual on arrangement of Build, operate and Transfer (BOT) and others on another contract basis. There has been about 1280 (5.3%) increase in the number of toilet facilities in the Municipality between the year 2019 and 2020. These facilities cover all the four zonal councils in the Municipality. In terms of ranking, Adukrom has the highest toilet facilities with 5303 (41.6%) followed by Asewase with 4656 (36.5%) toilet facilities. Aboabo has the least of toilet facility in their Zonal Council with 2799 representing 21.9%.

Table 2.10: Number of Toilet facilities in the Municipality

NO	ZONAL COUNCIL	HOUSEHOLD/YEAR					
	ZONAL COUNCIL	2019	2020				
1	ADUKROM	4877	5303				
2	ASAWASI	4228	4656				
3	ABOABO	2374	2799				
	TOTAL	11479	12759				

2.5.4: Food Production: Major Crop Performance

The table below presents the performance of major crops within Asokore Mampong Municipal Assembly. The major crops produced in the municipality include; Maize, Cassava, spring onion, Ayoyo and plantain. The performance for major crops grown with

In the municipality implies that maize, spring onion and Ayoyo are the dominant crops produced. However, there is the need to improve complementary goods like cassava and plantain to maximize the economic impacts of producing such crops on a large scale.

Table 2.11: Crop Production

No	Crops	Productivity (Mt/Ha)	Area of production (Ha)	Production (Mt)
1	Maize	162	32	5,184
2	Cassava	33	9.5	313.5
3	Spring Onion	92	32	2,944
4	Ayoyo	72	35	2,520
5	Plantain	58	13	754

2.5.5: Livestock Population

Livestock production in Asokore Mampong with respect to cattle, sheep, Goat and poultry has increased over one-year period (positive change). Cattle population in the municipality emerged as the leading livestock presenting a 43.4% change in livestock production.

Table 2.13: Livestock Production

Livestock	2019	2020	% Change
Cattle	18741	26875	43.4
Sheep	5654	7521	33.0
Goat	3219	5698	77.0
Poultry	28784	34416	19.6

2.5.6: Disasters and Operations

During the year under review, the Municipality recorded fire and flood disasters. The areas affected by fire Outbreak was Royal Majema, Aboabo No.2, New Zongo, Kontompo and Asabi, the flood affected areas were Next Bon Gas Filling Station, Sawaba New site, Sepe Afoagya, Sepe Timpom,

The extent of the fire outbreak was very high that, it destroys several properties, food items, collapsing of walls, with two (2) casualties and death recorded.



Fire outbreak at Nima Kontompo



Next Bon Gas filling Station and Prone area at Buoban Flood

2.5.7: Business Advisory Centre

During the period under review, the following activities were implemented. These activities include business registration, counselling, provision of start-up kits, training and etc. The table below gives the details.

Table 2.14: BAC Implemented Activities

ACTIVITY	N	O OF PERSO	ONS
	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Sensitization of NBSSI/MASTERCARD NKOSUO FUND	34	31	35
Business counselling	10	15	25
Business registration	36	64	100
CAP BUS Beneficiary correspondence			1940
CAPBUSS verification			500
CAP BYSS disbursement approval			500
MasterCard sensitization			60
Start-up kits	2	7	9
MBA, ICE, Training	77	135	212
Study tour/industrial visit	-	16	16
Need Assessment	34	31	65
Mgt, Finance Literacy training	111	166	277
Financial Assistance	70	140	210
Advisory	73	77	150
NVTI			120
Association Strengthen	2	11	13

2.5.8: Development of Tourism in the Municipality

The Municipal Assembly continued to provide services at the identified tourism sites in the municipality. One these is the Kumasi Central Mosque at Asewase which attract more people on day and night especially those who professed Moslem faith in and outside the municipality. To ensure security at the Mosque, security lights around was regularly maintained to ensure constant lightening around the Mosque especially during the night.

Asokore Mampong Chief's Palace continue to attract visitors and tourist from Ghana and other parts of the world. To this end, there is the need for a continuous beatification of the palace. The Municipal Assembly in collaboration with Zoomlion have assigned workers to the palace to maintained the landscaping works.

2.6 Evaluation Conducted

Evaluation plays a pivotal role in the life of every project implementation as the feedback always determines the success or failure of the project. In this regard, evaluating the implementation of the 2020 Composite Annual Action Plan, Ex-ante Evaluation was conducted to assess the implementation of the programmes, projects and activities based on the M&E Calendar and Budget. This was performed by the MPCU with support from the collaborating Agencies and Stakeholders.

The evaluations conducted involved analyzing reports and data from both primary and secondary sources and comparing them with the appraisal reports during and after the implementation of the year's activities. Field surveys including data collection, analysis, observations, presentation and reporting were used to conduct the evaluation of the selected physical projects implemented in the year. In addition, the MPCU and Stakeholders Forum were used to valid and confirm the data before and after completion to ascertain if the intervention achieved its original objectives and assess the overall changes caused by the implementation of the physical project. From Table 2.15 evaluations were conducted with for five Ex-ante Evaluations.

Table 2.15 Update on Evaluation Conducted

NO.	Name of the	Policy/ Program/Project	Consultant or	Methodology	Findings	Recommendation
	Evaluation	involved	Resource persons	Used		
			involved			
1.	Participatory	Construction and Renovation	Municipal	Interview/Observation	Most of the	Speed up on-going
	evaluation	of Classroom Blocks	Monitoring Team/	/community meetings/	projects in the	projects to improve
			Contractors/	visual images	AAP were at	access to education
			RCC/Assembly		various stages	
			Members, Opinion		of completion	
			Leaders/Education		with 87.1%	
			Directorate		completed	
					70% of the	
					project met the	
					project	
					timeframe	
2.	Internal	Organize other education	Municipal	Participants	Some students	Sports, STME and
	evaluation	programs such as Sports,	`Education	observations/quarterly	were selected	MEOC Should be
		STME, DEOC, etc	Directorate	reports/interviews	to represent the	encouraged and
			Assembly		Region at the	supported each year
			Members, Opinion		National level.	
			Leaders,		STME has	
					promoted	

					Maths and science education in the Municipality with	
					improvement in BECE results	
3.	Participatory	Construction of Polyclinic and	Municipal	Field workers report,	The Polyclinic	The Project
	evaluation	Health Centre	Monitoring Team	observations and	at Aboabo and	implementation pace
			and Health Dept.,	interviews	Health Centre	should be speed-up to
			Assembly		at Asabi is on-	ensure early completion
			Members, Opinion		going	
			Leaders.			
4.	Terminal and	Support Municipal health	Health Directorate	Focus group	Stigmatization	Should be undertaken
	summative	response to malaria control,	and Municipal	discussions/ /key	has come down	every year to sensitize
	evaluation	immunization and HIV/AIDS	HIV/AIDS Focal	informant	and the	the people on the
			Person/District	interview/community	citizenry now	prevalent rate in the
			Disease Control	meetings	has deeper	Municipality and
			Officer		knowledge in	education on prevention
					causes, effects	methods intensified

					and prevention	
					of HIV/ADIS	
5.	Terminal	Maintenance of Urban Roads	Urban Road	Field workers reports/	Improve	More Drainage system
	evaluation		Engineer/Monitori	/interviews/visual	Access Roads	should be provided
			ng team/ Assembly	stimuli/community	in the	
			Members	meetings	Municipality	
6.	Terminal	Support Agric Dept. in their	Agric	Interview/focus group	There was	More agriculture inputs
	evaluation	activities such as extension	Dept./Municipal	discussion,	improvement	should be supplied to
		services, Framers Day	Assembly/	/community meetings	in the	increase production
		Celebration, etc	Assembly		production of	under planting for Food
			Members, Opinion		staple crops	and Jobs
			Leaders		especially in	
					Planting for	
					Foods and Jobs	
7.	Internal	Support Social Welfare and	Dept. of Social.	Interview/	The dept. was	More logistics required
	evaluation	Community Dev't in their	Welfare &	questionnaire	not able to	eg. Motor bikes, Laptops
		activities	Community Dev't		complete all	Computers
					planned	
					UNICEF	
					activities as a	
					late release of	
					Funds	

8.	Internal	Ensured adequate security in	Police Command,	Community	Day and Night	More Security personnel
	evaluation	the Municipality	GNFS, MUSEC,	meetings/key	patrols and the	are needed as the police-
			the Citizenry/	informant interview	use of	citizen ratio is still high
			Assembly		community	and the security agencies
			Members, Opinion		protection	should be given the
			Leaders		Assistants has	needed logistics to
					enhanced	strengthen their work
					security in the	
					Municipality	
9.	Internal	Prepare Composite Budget	District Budget	key informant	Completed	Task force is needed to
	evaluation		Analyst, F&A	interview		strengthen the
			Committee, MFO			mobilization of revenue
						in the District
10	Summative	Purchase of building projects	Procurement	Interview/community	Many	Building materials
	evaluation	for community-initiated	Officer/Stores/	meetings	communities	should be bought in bulk
		projects	Assembly		received	for distribution
			Members/Opinion		various	
			Leaders		building	
					materials for	
					their initiated	
					projects upon	
					request	

11	Terminal	Evacuation of refuse and	Environmental	Interview/focus group	Improved	There is the need to carry
	evaluation	clearing of refuse dump sites	Health Officer,	discussion/community	sanitation in	out the exercise in all
			District Disease	meetings/ field	the	other communities
			Control Officer,	worker's report	communities	where refuse had been
			Assembly			heaped and the exercise
			Members, Opinion		Reduction of	done regularly to
			Leaders		malaria cases	promote good sanitation
12	Summative	Support the needy in education	MCE/MPs/MFO	key informant	34 students	More funds should be
	evaluation	fund		interview/Ranking	were assisted in	allocated to support
					paying their	needy students in the
					school fees at	District
					various levels	
					of education.	
					Students who	
					received the	
					support said it	
					was most	
					useful	
13	Participatory	Procurement of streets light	Procurement	Observation/	The facility has	More Street lights should
	evaluation	bulbs and poles	Officer/Stores/	Interview/focus group	improved	be extended to newly
			Assembly	discussion/community	security	developed places and
			Members/ECG/	meetings	situation in the	

			Municipal		Municipality	non-functioning ones
						_
			Engineer		especially	replaced on time
					newly	
					developed	
					sites, markets	
					and major	
					streets	
14	Internal	Ensure effective	MPCU Members	key informant	All statutory	More resources and
	evaluation	implementation of MPCU		interview	meetings of the	logistics should be
		Activities and preparation of			committee	provided to the Unit to
		MTDP			were organized	enable it carry all
					and actions in	mandated roles
					their minutes	especially in monitoring
					acted on	and evaluation
15	Terminal	Training of Assembly	Consultants	Interview/focus group	Assembly	The exercise must be
	evaluation	Members and Staff	/Human Resource	discussion,	Members are	undertaken every two
			Officer/ Assembly	meetings/key	now abreast	years to refresh the
			Members	informant	with issues on	memory of Assembly
					their standing	Members
					orders than	
					before	

Source: MPCU 2020

2.8 Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation (PM&E) Undertaken and their Results

Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation (PM&E) encourages and reflects on what has happened in the past in order to make decisions about the future. By PM&E, beneficiary communities learn about things that have worked well and vice versa and through the process, it becomes more likely that corrective measures will be implemented. The effectiveness of participatory monitoring and evaluation lies in the understanding of the stakeholders to agree on the purpose of the evaluation. The objectives of the project, as well as the expected outputs provide a forum for changes and adjustments if the need arises in order to achieve desired results. The PM&E tools employed, projects undertaken, stakeholders involved, methodology used, findings and recommendations are as stated in the Table 2.16 below:

Table 2.16 Update on PM&E Conducted

NO.	Name of the	Policy/ Program/Project	Consultant or	Methodology	Findings	Recommendation
	PM&E	involved	Resource persons	Used		
	Tools		involved			
1.	Community	Construction and	Municipal	Qualitative Research:	Most of the on-	That the projects at various
	Score Cards	Renovation of Classroom	Monitoring	Focus Group Discussion/	going projects are	completing stages should
		Blocks	Team/Contractors/	Community Meeting/	at various stages of	be completed in time to
			Chiefs and Elders/	Observations	completion. The	address the problem of
			Education		communities were	access to education.
			Directorate		satisfied with	
					projects	
					completed, the	
					quality and	
					adequacy as	
					students and	
					teachers are now	
					having conducive	
					areas for teaching	
					and learning.	
2.	Citizen	Organize other education	Education	Qualitative Research:	Improved sports	The programs should be
	Report	programs such as Sports,	Directorate/	Observations	performance of the	encouraging and supported
	Cards	STME, MEOC, etc			Municipality as	

			Assembly Members,		some students were	to improve education in
			Opinion Leaders,		selected to	the District
					represent the	
					region at national	
					level. STME has	
					promoted girls'	
					interest in maths	
					and science	
					education. MEOC	
					has improved	
					schools	
					management	
					systems	
4	Citizen	Support district health	Health Dept/ District	Qualitative Research :	1. Fumigation in	Funds and logistics for
	Report	response to malaria control,	HIV/AIDS Focal	Focus Group Discussion/	some communities	these activities should be
	Cards	immunization and	Person/District Disease Control	Community Meeting/	were done.	release on time
		HIV/AIDS	Officer Control	Observations	2.Immunization	
					was completed	
					District wide	
					3.HIV/AIDS Focal	
					Person Monitored	
					Health facilities	

					and Reported	
					Accordingly	
5	Community	Maintenance of Urban	Urban Road	Qualitative Research:	12km of Roads	More Drainage needs to
	Score Cards	Roads	Engineer/M&E	Community Meeting/	Graded while 7km	be carried out
			Team/Field Workers	Observations	Pothole patched.	
			Report		Drainage works	
					were also	
					improved	
6	Community	Support Agric Dept. in their	Agric Dept./District	Qualitative Research :	Technologies	Agric production
	Score Cards	activities such as extension	Assembly	Focus Group Discussion/	introduces	improved considerably
		services, Framers Day		Community Meeting/	increased yield	example planting for Food
		Celebration, cocoa		Observations	especially with	and Jobs
		spraying exercise etc.			Planting for Food	
					and Jobs	
7	Community	Support Social Welfare and	Dept. of Soc.	Qualitative Research :	About 82%	More logistics required eg.
	Score Cards	Community Dev't in their	Welfare &	Interviews	Programmes/	motor bikes, Laptop
		activities	Community Dev't		Projects were	Computers
					implemented	
					according to plan	
10	Community	Ensured adequate security	Police Command,	Qualitative Research:	Day and Night	More Security personnel
	Score Cards	in the Municipal	GNFS,	Interviews/Focus Group	patrols and the use	are needed as the police-
				Discussion	of community	citizen ratio is still high

					protection	and the security agencies
					Assistants has	should be given the needed
					enhanced security	logistics to strengthen their
					in the District	work
11	Citizen	Prepare Composite Budget	Budget Unit	Qualitative Research:	completed	Task force is needed to
	Report			Interviews		strengthen the
	Cards					mobilization of revenue in
						the District
12	Community	Purchase of building	Procurement	Qualitative Research:	Many communities	Building materials should
	Score Cards	materials for community-	Unit/Stores	Interviews/ Community	received various	be bought in bulk for
		initiated projects		Meeting/ Observations	building materials	distribution
					for their initiated	
					projects upon	
					request	
14	Community	Evacuation of refuse and	Environmental	Qualitative Research:	Improved	There is the need to carry
	Score Cards	clearing of refuse dump	Health Unit	Interviews/Focus Group	sanitation in the	out the exercise in all other
		sites		Discussion/ Community	communities	communities where refuse
				Meeting/ Observations		had been heaped and the
					Reduction of	exercise done regularly to
					malaria cases	promote good sanitation

16	Community	Procurement of streets light	Procurement	Qualitative Research :	The facility has	More Street lights should
	Score Cards	bulbs and poles	Unit/Stores	Interviews/Focus Group	improved security	be extended to newly
				Discussion/	situation in the	developed places and
				Observations	District especially	smaller communities and
					newly developed	non-functioning ones
					sites, markets and	replaced on time
					major streets	
18	Citizen	Ensure effective	MPCU Members	Qualitative Research:	All statutory	More resources and
	Report	implementation of MPCU		Interviews	meetings of the	logistics should be
	Cards	Activities			committee were	provided the committee to
					organized and	enable it carry all
					actions in their	mandated roles especially
					minutes acted on	in monitoring and
						evaluation
19	Citizen	Training of Assembly	Consultants/MA	Qualitative Research :	Assembly	The exercise must be
	Report	Members and Staff		Interviews	Members are now	undertaken every two
	Cards				abreast with issues	years to refresh the
					on their standing	memory of Assembly
					orders than before	Members

Source: MPCU DEC 2020

CHAPTER THREE

CONCLUSION AND THE WAY FORWARD

3.1 Key issues addressed and those yet to be addressed and recommendations

The following are key issues addressed and those yet to be addressed, recommendations to aid Bekwai Municipal Assembly to achieve its goals in the various thematic areas of 'Agenda for Change and Prosperity':

3.1.1 Economic Development

- Improve the Assembly's Internally Generated Funds to complement the effort of Central Government funding sources for development.
- Improve Assembly's expenditure management
- Involvement of the private sector in revenue mobilization.
- Improve internal financial management measures to minimize the leakages and waste.
- Support the private sectors in the Municipality to sustain continuous production especially those in the informal sector of the local economy.
- Provide the enabling environment such as roads, utility provision, and flexible regulatory framework to attract investors in the District.
- Facilitate the development of employable skills among the youth by supporting the technical and vocational schools in the District.
- Improve tourist site development in the Municipality by involving the private sector in tourism development.
- Organize training workshops for farmers on new technologies of farming
- Increase farmers' access to credit facilities.

3.1.2 Social Development

- Construct ICT centers for some selected basic schools
- Conduct periodic socio-economic survey on population and development.
- Organize 'Know Your Status' campaign on HIV/AIDS throughout the District.
- Improve access and quality education in the Municipality
- Improve water and sanitation situation in the Municipality
- Improve health care serves in the Municipality

3.1.3 Environment, Infrastructure and Human Settlement Development

- Improve the provision of municipal services in the District
- Regular preparation and updating of settlement planning schemes and ensuring development control
- Provide descent accommodation to staff of departments and agencies.

3.1.4 Governance, Corruption and Public Accountability

- Embark on a capacity building programme to ensure the proper functioning of all the substructures and units of the Assembly
- Sensitize the people on the importance of the local government system and their roles to contributing to decentralized accountable governance
- Encourage the participation of citizens in community developmental issues
- Organize periodic seminars, workshops, job-training for the Assembly personnel
- Provide financial and logistical support for women participating in local government elections and increase the number of women among appointed assembly members
- Undertake period public hearing forums to account to the people and also take constructive criticisms.

3.2 Conclusion

It is the hope of the Assembly that these recommended strategies would be pursued in order to step up the general efforts of promoting growth in the local economy and also facilitate development in the various sectors, to improve the living conditions of the people in the Municipal.

The Assembly, in collaboration with all the decentralized departments, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) and the Private Sector, will continue to make judicious use of available resources, to embark on the various planned programs, projects and activities, as relevant to achieving the set goals of Agenda for Change and Prosperity in the Asokore Mampong Municipal Assembly.