# Project overview

- Municipality or organization: Water & Sanitation f<sup>KSWGK1</sup> Urban Poor (WSUP)
- Project title: Connecting Low Income Households to Water Supply in Maili Saba - Nairobi
- Names of the involved institutions: Water & Sanitation for the Urban Poor (WSUP); New Company (NCWSC)
- Three-line project description: This project tested and proved a scalable model for strategic strengthening of public institutions to enable connecting of low-income households to the city's networked water supply system.



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KSWGK1 This is the organisation making the presentation so it should be 'Water and Sanitation for the Urban Poor (WSUP)' Kamau, Sophia Wambui GIZ KE; 31.10.2019
KSWGK2 As this slide will not be printed, I wonder whether you can find space for this list of institutions in the slide on institutional setting. Kamau, Sophia Wambui GIZ KE; 31.10.2019



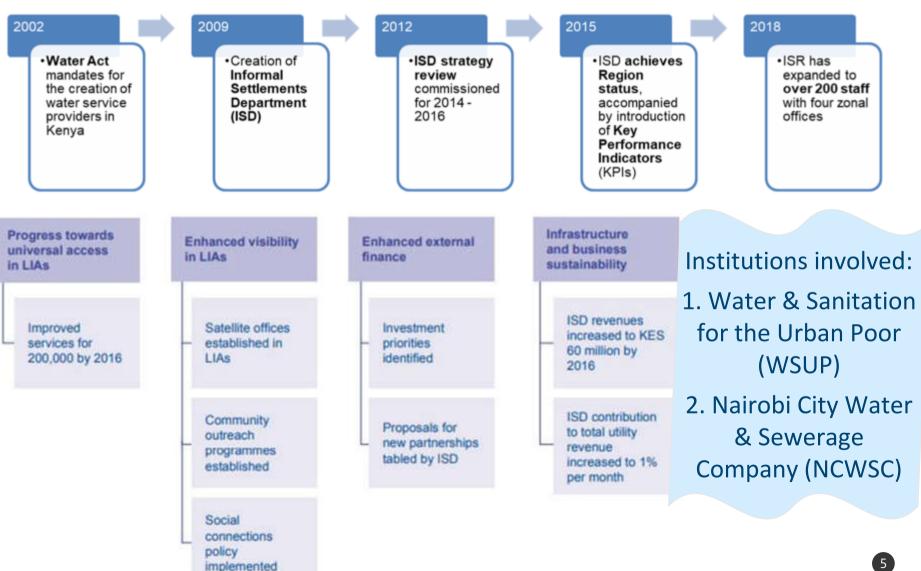




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# 1. Institutional Setting

#### NCWSC's journey of institutional change



# 2. Starting point/Project goal

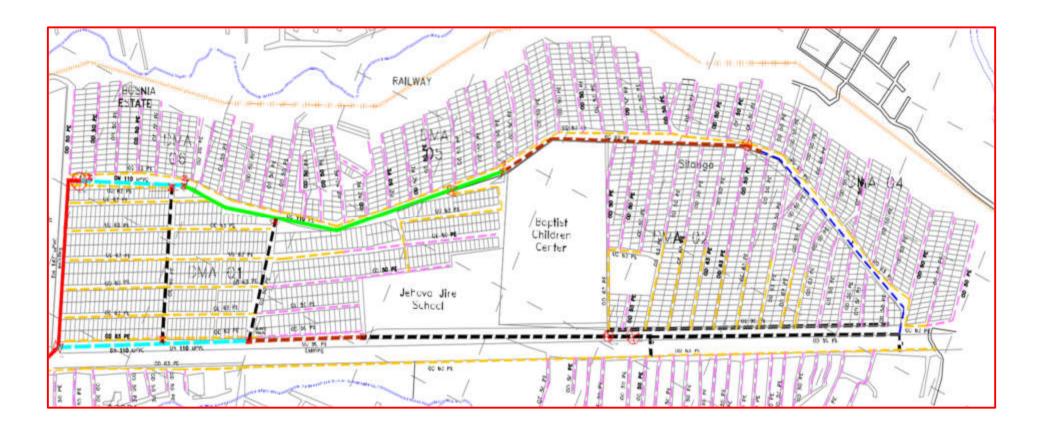




Vandalism - 90% of the water lost before reaching customers; Severe revenue loss for utility; Poor households only dependent on informal cartels/public sources; Enforcement - impossible



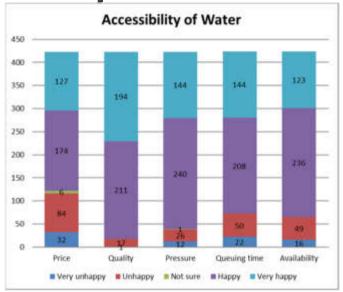
### 3. Approach



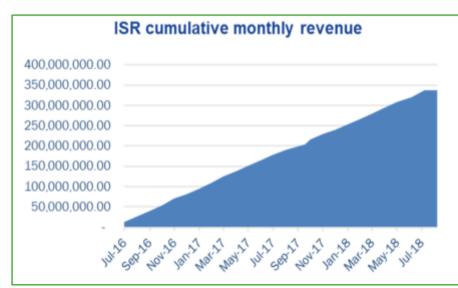
Awareness Knowledge Liking Preference Conviction Purchase

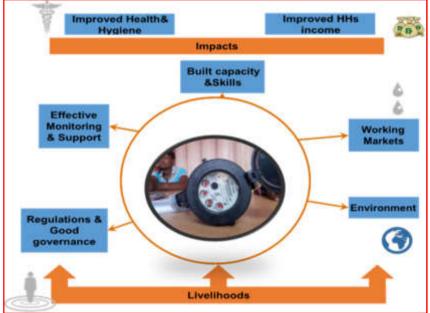


4. Outputs











### 5. Lessons



- Municipalities/Utilities should establish local presence to build and sustain relations.
- Design and implement awareness campaigns to minimize connection process perceptions.
- Make social connection considerations and targeted subsidies a key consideration
- Women don't have economic power, but determine connection decisions

## 6. Follow up

- Develop a corporate gender policy
- Support roll out social connection policy
- Support enforcement of regulations on continuing basis
- Balance out customer acquisition & retention
- Increase customer awareness on good water use habits, reporting of leakages and the importance of paying bills

