

# Monthly Reporting

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## Table of Acronyms

| BOQ    | Bill of Quantities  |
|--------|---|
| BVIAA  | BVI Airports Authority  |
| BVIEC  | British Virgin Islands Electricity Corporation                |
| BVIPA  | British Virgin Islands Ports Authority                        |
| CDB    | Caribbean Development Bank                                    |
| CSO    | Central Statistics Office                                     |
| DGO    | Deputy Governor's Office                                      |
| DWM    | Department of Waste Management                                |
| FCDO   | Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office                  |
| GoVI   | Government of Virgin Islands                                  |
| ITT    | Invitation to Tender  |
| JVD    | Jost Van Dyke   |
| MEYAS  | Ministry of Education, Youth Affairs and Sports               |
| MENRCC | Ministry of Environment, Natural Resources and Climate Change |
| MCW    | Ministry of Communication and Works                           |
| MHSD   | Ministry of Health and Social Development                     |
| MNRL   | Ministry of Natural Resources and Labour                      |
| NGO    | Non-Governmental Organisation                                 |
| NPO    | Non-Profit Organisation                                       |
| RDA    | Recovery and Development Agency                               |
| RDP    | Recovery to Development Plan                                  |
| RRL    | Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Loan                        |
| RVIPF  | Royal Virgin Islands Police Force                             |
| SoR    | Statement of Requirement                                      |
| SoW    | Scope of Works  |
| ТСР    | Town and Country Planning Department                          |
| ToR    | Terms of Reference  |
| UKG    | United Kingdom Government                                     |
| VfM    | Value for Money   |
| VG     | Virgin Gorda  |
| WSD    | Water and Sewerage Department                                 |

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| Date          | Description   |
|---------------|---|
| 5 April 2024  | First draft report completed                                      |
| 25 April 2024 | First draft approved by RDA Board                                 |
| 22 April 2024 | First draft sent to Office of Premier for review                  |
| 3 May 2024    | RDA receives feedback from Office of Premier/Ten (10) days elapse |
| 7 May 2024    | RDA finalises and publishes the report                            |

## Introduction

The Virgin Islands Recovery and Development Agency's (RDA) Monthly Report presents the RDA's progress on implementation of projects, and tracks achievement of set goals, including regularly updated performance analyses. The RDA is committed to utilising processes which maximise achievement of Value for Money for the people of the Territory. As well as project implementation, the RDA also pursues mandates for fundraising and capacity building. The following sections present key information on the RDA's progress in the implementation of our three mandates.

## **Project Implementation**

#### Project Status Highlights for March 2024

The following Tables present brief information on the status of projects being implemented by the RDA, by implementation phase.

#### Table 1: Projects in Planning and Procurement Phases

| 060  | 435   | 142  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|
| HALLS OF JUSTICE   | NATIONAL CULTURAL CENTRE,<br>ARCHIVES, LIBRARY & MUSEUM   | WATER OPTIMISATION<br>PROJECT  |  |  |
| RDP - Security and Law Enforcement   | RDP – Pride and Cultural Identity   | RDP-Water and Sewerage   |  |  |
| DGO  | MTCSD   | MCW  |  |  |
| In March 2024, the consultant<br>continued developing the final<br>design for the Halls of Justice<br>project. The latest stakeholders'<br>requests are expected to only impact<br>the delivery date for the completed<br>designs, rather than having a cost<br>impact as well. The contract was<br>amended to reflect a new date for<br>the final project design slated for<br>April 15, 2024. Thereafter, the<br>consultant is expected to proceed<br>with the project design and<br>development of a Request for<br>Proposals (RFP) to shortlist potential<br>contractors. Community<br>engagement is expected to be<br>planned simultaneously while<br>drawings are in progress. | In March 2024, stakeholder<br>engagement continued. These<br>included on-site visits and regular<br>communication on updates, aimed<br>at ensuring speedy resolution of<br>issues and that stakeholders are<br>consistently apprised of project<br>progress. Of note, in March, site<br>visits were held with the Boy<br>Scouts and Sugar Works Museum<br>to gain additional information. A<br>business case is also currently<br>being developed for this project.<br>Planning and procurement of the<br>geotechnical survey also continued<br>in March and the survey is<br>scheduled to commence on April<br>22, 2024. | In March 2024, stakeholder<br>engagement and the<br>procurement process for the<br>Water Optimisation project<br>continued. The tender for<br>supply and installation of<br>water meters was issued to<br>market, and clarification<br>requests on both the Leak<br>detection and the Supply and<br>installation of water meters<br>tender documentation were<br>addressed. The tender period<br>for Leak Detection is<br>scheduled to end on April 5,<br>2024, and the period for the<br>Supply and installation of<br>water meters is scheduled to<br>end on May 10, 2024. |  |  |

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TRELLIS BAY WELCOME CENTRE

#### RDP – Tourism

#### PO

In March 2024, the Trellis Bay Welcome Centre project progressed through the procurement phase with issuance of the Request for Proposals (RFP) to market, followed by a bidders' conference shortly thereafter. The tender was emailed directly to approximately 40 contractors with a submission deadline of March 28, 2024. Eight tenders were received and are currently being evaluated. Stakeholder engagement including on-site visits and regular communication on updates continues to ensure speedy resolution of issues and that stakeholders are consistently apprised of project progress.

#### 091 WEST END FERRY TERMINAL

#### CDB RRL

#### MCW

In March 2024, the CDB continued reviewing documentation for the West End Ferry Terminal project in order to provide the required 'No Objection' for continuation and issuance of the tender package to pregualified contractors. Requested changes from CDB's review are being worked on by the consultant including formatting using CDB's revised procurement template. Additionally, with the approval granted by the Ministry of Communications and Works for the RDA to proceed with the temporary facility design, draft drawings for the temporary facility were completed in March 2024. The Bill of Quantities, including the temporary facility, is currently being reviewed by the Consultant.

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IMMIGRATION DETENTION CENTRE

RDP – Security & Law Enforcement MTCSD

In late 2023, funding for continued planning for the Immigration Detention Centre was secured. The inter-agency project team formed to take this project forward has been tasked with reviewing the inherited designs for this project to ensure that these are in-line with anticipated budget availability. Once the designs are reviewed, this will facilitate further detailed planning.

#### Table 2: Projects in Delivery Phase

| 378  | 379   | 177   | 083   |  |  |
|--|---|---|---|--|--|
| VIRGIN ISLANDS<br>AGRICULTURE & FISHERIES<br>COMPLEX   | FARMERS' RESERVOIR<br>PARAQUITA BAY   | VIRGIN ISLANDS LAW<br>ENFORECMENT<br>MARINE BASE  | ESLYN HENLEY<br>RICHIEZ LEARNING<br>CENTRE  |  |  |
| RDP – Agriculture and<br>Fisheries   | RDP – Agriculture and<br>Fisheries  | Phase One   | CDB RRL   |  |  |
| MENRCC   | MENRCC  | DGO   | MEYS  |  |  |
| In March 2024, a Request for<br>Expressions of Interest<br>(REOI) was issued for a<br>design consultant for the<br>Agriculture and Fisheries<br>Complex project, with a<br>tender deadline of April 8,<br>2024. The User Requirement<br>Document (URD) were also<br>completed and stakeholder<br>engagement in the<br>upcoming weeks is expected<br>to assist in refining the URD.<br>Continuous stakeholder<br>engagement is aimed at<br>ensuring speedy resolution<br>of issues and that<br>stakeholders are consistently<br>apprised of project progress.<br>The Agriculture and Fisheries<br>Complex project is scheduled<br>to be completed by May<br>2026. | In March 2024, a Request<br>for Proposal (RFP) was<br>issued for design<br>consultant services for<br>the Farmers' Reservoir,<br>with a tender deadline of<br>April 19, 2024.<br>Stakeholder engagement<br>continued, including on-<br>site visits and regular<br>communications on<br>updates. The detailed<br>implementation plan for<br>the Farmers' Reservoir is<br>being progressively<br>elaborated. Stakeholder<br>engagement in the<br>upcoming weeks is<br>expected to assist in<br>refining the required<br>User Requirement<br>Document (URD). | The Joint Marine<br>Shore Base has been<br>officially renamed the<br>Virgin Islands Law<br>Enforcement Marine<br>Base. In March 2024,<br>construction works<br>progressed to 96%<br>completion despite<br>delays in shipment of<br>some specialist<br>supplies. Permanent<br>power and water<br>connections have now<br>been installed at the<br>Marine Base,<br>facilitating expected<br>achievement of<br>practical completion<br>in the coming days.<br>The Official Handover<br>and Opening<br>Ceremony for the<br>Marine Base is<br>scheduled for April 16,<br>2024. | Construction work<br>continued in March<br>2024 with casting<br>of the ground floor<br>slab and<br>commencement of<br>the superstructure<br>for the Eslyn<br>Henley Richiez<br>Learning Centre.<br>Procurement of<br>long lead items<br>also continued,<br>with the<br>development and<br>review of a<br>procurement<br>tracker aimed at<br>ensuring<br>compliance with<br>the updated<br>project schedule<br>for accountability<br>purposes. |  |  |

| 192                                  | 370                                | 152                              |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--|
| RENEWABLE ENERGY<br>INSTALLATIONS    | WASTE MANAGEMENT<br>SOLUTIONS      | AO SHIRLEY RECREATION<br>GROUNDS |  |  |
| RDP – Renewable Energy               | RDP – Waste & Debris<br>Management | Phase One                        |  |  |
| MEYS, MHSD                           | MHSD                               | MEYS                             |  |  |
| In March 2024, discussions continued | Following detailed presentations   | In January 2024, a decision      |  |  |

between Tortola Pier Park and an internet provider to dedicate an internet connection to the installed and commissioned renewable energy system at the Park. A fast EV charger is not an option due to the limited output of 6 kWh for each power box. Specifications for the required EV chargers were sent, and funding for the chargers is expected to be provided by Tortola Pier Park, once required internet connectivity has been established. Six (6) solar systems have thus far been installed and commissioned across the Territory, moving forward the Territory's Renewable Energy Programme, which envisions an increasing percentage of our energy needs being met from renewable sources, including solar power.

made to the client Ministry and other senior government officials on options for the way forward for longer-term treatment of the Tortola landfill, a decision on the way forward is now awaited. Final written reports from the Consultant, WSP, have been received and submitted to the Ministry. To facilitate decision making, a public consultation meeting is expected to take place in the coming weeks. Correspondence to the Ministry over the last several weeks has aimed at ensuring progression of this project.

In January 2024, a decision was made towards resolving contractual issues following contract revision for lights installation, and in February 2024, this decision was actioned through termination of the lighting contract. There have been significant delays in completion of this activity due to ongoing soil concerns requiring redesigned light stanchion foundations to prevent upliftment due to the high underground water table.

#### Table 3: Recently Completed Projects

| 122   | 143  | 541   |  |  |
|---|--|---|--|--|
| ELMORE STOUTT HIGH SCHOOL   | ANEGADA RECREATIONAL<br>FACILITY   | JVD PRIMARY SCHOOL<br>A MULTI-PURPOSE<br>EDUCATIONAL FACILITY   |  |  |
| RDP – Schools   | RDP - Recreation   | RDP – Schools   |  |  |
| MEYS  | MEYS   | MEYS  |  |  |
| On 3 January 2023, a grand opening<br>ceremony was held on the ESHS<br>campus for the four newly constructed<br>buildings on the campus including two<br>classroom blocks, a technical block,<br>and an administration building. The<br>opening of these buildings has enabled<br>all ESHS students to be back on the<br>main campus, resuming full-day<br>schooling. This project's completion<br>marks the culmination of the largest<br>project undertaken by the RDA. Draft<br>closeout report is substantially<br>completed, and it is expected to be<br>finalized by end of April 2024.<br>Stakeholder engagement also<br>continued, to finalize planning and<br>execution of outstanding repairs;<br>installation of special equipment for<br>Technical Block. Two rooms for<br>equipment are being prepared<br>(electrical outlets and gas lines).<br>Potential variation for repositioning of<br>plumbing lines to be provided by<br>contractor. | In March 2023, the<br>playground activity for the<br>Anegada Recreation Facility<br>reached substantial<br>completion with installation<br>of the artificial turf and the<br>playground equipment. In<br>October 2023, this activity<br>was officially handed over to<br>the Ministry of Education.<br>Lighting for the basketball<br>court has been installed,<br>donated picnic benches<br>have been placed on the<br>grounds to facilitate<br>community gatherings, and<br>signage and rubber matting<br>were also installed ahead of<br>the handover ceremony. | In January 2024, an official<br>handover ceremony was<br>held for the Jost Van Dyke<br>Primary School, a<br>Multipurpose Educational<br>Facility. The project achieved<br>substantial completion in<br>December 2023, which<br>facilitated the opening of<br>school in early January 2024.<br>Efforts are currently<br>underway to complete minor<br>outstanding issues towards<br>full closure of this project.<br>These issues include<br>additional security measures<br>and relocation of generator<br>from front of the building to<br>the northwestern end of the<br>compound. In March 2024, a<br>defects list was submitted to<br>the contractor and accepted.<br>Playground equipment is<br>scheduled for installation in<br>April 2024. |  |  |

## **Ongoing Project Details**

| Virgin Islands Agriculture &<br>Fisheries Complex          | Ministry of Environment,<br>Natural Resources & Climate<br>Change |
|--|---|
| Project: 378   | Status: Delivery  |
| Start Date: September 2023                                 | End Date: May 2026  |
| Original Budget: \$1,917,424<br>Cost Estimate: \$1,917,424 | <b>Spend to Date:</b> \$63,929                                    |

**Outcome**: "A strong and sustainable agricultural and fisheries sector that diversifies the economy, encourages the growth of small businesses, adds to the tourist offering and promotes improved food security with less reliance on imported foods."

#### Overview

The Agriculture and Fisheries Complex aims to create a central hub for agricultural and fisheries activities in the Territory. It seeks to address issues of inadequate spaces for administrative and technical officers; lack of a central independent location for the abbatoir; and an adequate fishing complex (original structure damaged from 2017 Hurricanes). Hence, expected outputs upon completion of this project include a reestablished fish processing hub, relocation and modernization of the abattoir, additional space for administrative and technical teams, as well as training facility for students and inmates.

#### **Status: Delivery**

In March 2024, a Request for Expressions of Interest (REOI) was issued for a design consultant for the Agriculture and Fisheries Complex project, with a tender deadline of April 8, 2024. The User Requirement Document (URD) were also completed and stakeholder engagement in the upcoming weeks is expected to assist in refining the URD. Continuous stakeholder engagement is aimed at ensuring speedy resolution of issues and that stakeholders are consistently apprised of project progress. The Agriculture and Fisheries Complex project is scheduled to be completed by May 2026.

| Trellis Bay Welcome Centre                   | Premier's Office |
|--|------------------|
| Project: 322                                 | Status: Delivery |
| Start Date: April 2023                       | End Date: TBD    |
| Original Budget: \$128,000<br>Cost Estimate: | Spend to Date:   |
|  |                  |

**Outcome**: "A more effective water and sewerage infrastructure with an efficient supply of water and distribution systems, equitable access to a reliable water supply, and an improved sewerage network."

#### Overview

The Trellis Bay Welcome Centre aims to improve the experience of visitors and residents alike and hopefully result in a better traveling experience for all who use the facilities. In 2017, a shed that provided shade at the Trellis Bay dock, for ferry and marine passengers, including guests desirous of sailing to island resorts and Virgin Gorda, was destroyed by hurricanes. Unfortunately, the shed was not replaced, and the said categories of persons mentioned have had to sit under the existing trees and on dilapidated chairs. Trellis Bay is also a focal point for tourists arriving and leaving by air, as part of their journey to and from resorts on the sister islands and their islands hopping experience.

#### **Status: Procurement**

In March 2024, the Trellis Bay Welcome Centre project progressed through the procurement phase with issuance of the Request for Proposals (RFP) to market, followed by a bidders' conference shortly thereafter. The tender was emailed directly to approximately 40 contractors with a submission deadline of March 28, 2024. Eight tenders were received and are currently being evaluated. Stakeholder engagement including on-site visits and regular communication on updates continues to ensure speedy resolution of issues and that stakeholders are consistently apprised of project progress.

## Farmers' Reservoir Paraquita Bay

Project: 379

Start Date: September 2023

**Original Budget:** \$1,570,038 **Cost Estimate:** \$1,570,038

## Ministry of Environment, Natural Resources & Climate Change

Status: Delivery End Date: December 2024

Spend to Date: \$26,600

**Outcome**: "A strong and sustainable agricultural and fisheries sector that diversifies the economy, encourages the growth of small businesses, adds to the tourist offering and promotes improved food security with less reliance on imported foods."

#### Overview

Paraquita Bay farmers heavily rely on water for crop irrigation, animal rearing, and clean compounds. However, despite being very close to a water plant, these farmers are regularly subjected to unreliable water supply, from the current public water supply. An independent water supply is therefore required to alleviate the issue. Additionally, the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries is slated to expand their facilities in the Paraquita Bay area, that will also require reliable water source. Accordingly, the Farmer's Reservoir project aims at providing 250,000 gallons of water storage installed for agricultural use.

#### **Status: Delivery**

In March 2024, a Request for Proposal (RFP) was issued for design consultant services for the Farmers' Reservoir, with a tender deadline of April 19, 2024. Stakeholder engagement continued, including on-site visits and regular communications on updates. The detailed implementation plan for the Farmers' Reservoir is being progressively elaborated. Stakeholder engagement in the upcoming weeks is expected to assist in refining the required User Requirement Document (URD).

## AO Shirley Recreation Grounds

**Project**: 152

Start Date: October 2018

**Original Budget:** \$675,000 **Cost Estimate:** \$2,498,753

## Ministry of Education, Youth Affairs and Sports

Status: Delivery

End Date: TBD

Spend to Date: \$1,559,356

**Outcome**: "Restored educational and recreational facilities that provide a safe and secure environment for learning and recreational activities"

#### Overview

The AO Shirley athletics and sports grounds project has been a priority project aimed at renovating the grounds to meet international accreditation standards as an IAAF Class 2 facility, so that the Territory can host national and international events. Required rehabilitation of the grounds has included installation of the new track, repairs to make the perimeter secure, installation of bathroom facilities, installation of lights to allow events after dark, repair to the spectator stands, and renovation of the clubhouse pavilion to provide meetings, events and changing facilities.

Several activities for this project have been completed, including the track, bathroom, wall and gates, trackside fence, and grandstand activities. Remaining are the lighting and pavilion activities to bring this overall project to completion.

#### Activity 5: Lighting Status: Delivery

In January 2024, a decision was made towards resolving contractual issues following contract revision for lights installation, and in February 2024, this decision was actioned through termination of the lighting contract. There have been significant delays in completion of this activity due to ongoing soil concerns requiring redesigned light stanchion foundations to prevent upliftment due to the high underground water table.



#### Activity 7: Pavilion Status: Planning

The scope of works for the pavilion is currently being revised to include additional requirements specified by the Ministry.

## Virgin Islands Law Enforcement Marine Base

Project: 177

Start Date: May 2019

**Original Budget:** \$500,000 **Cost Estimate:** \$3,135,962

## Deputy Governor's Office

Status: Delivery End Date: March 2024

Spend to Date: \$2,500,867.23

**Outcome**: "Functioning law enforcement institutions and communication networks to restore a sense of safety and security and improved communications between agencies"

#### Overview

The Repair of the Marine Shore Base aims at returning the facilities to functional condition following significant damage from 2017's storms. This project involves several activities including installation of fencing and gates, boat rack, and repairs to the main building and dock facilities. These repairs will support a joint Customs and Marine Police security capability.

#### **Status: Delivery**

The Joint Marine Shore Base has been officially renamed the Virgin Islands Law Enforcement Marine Base. In March 2024, construction works progressed to 96% completion despite delays in shipment of some specialist supplies. Permanent power and water connections have now been installed at the Marine Base, facilitating expected achievement of practical completion in the coming days. The Official Handover and Opening Ceremony for the Marine Base is scheduled for April 16, 2024.



## Waste Management Solutions

Project: 184/370 Start Date: November 2020

## Ministry of Health and Social Development

Status: Delivery End Date: TBD

Spend to Date: \$224,488

**Outcome**: "Improved facilities for processing waste on Tortola and Virgin Gorda to enable the environmentally sound processing of waste that protects the health of people and protects the environment."

#### Overview

The Government of the Virgin Islands has identified solid waste disposal as a priority issue and requires assistance to create a sanitary landfill and waste site rehabilitation, and to establish auxiliary services and a feasibility study, and make recommendations to ensure an evidence-based decision is made prior to the detailed design phase.

The objectives of this project are designed to shape a programme that will allow for the development of a sustainable and modern sanitary landfill that contributes to responsible, circular management of waste within the BVI. This will be done through the following:

- Investigation of available options for the BVI to manage its waste responsibly;
- Development of options into detailed designs;
- Procurement of construction services that will deliver the desired outcome within budget; and
- The management of delivery of the plan to ensure that the project is delivered on time, within cost, and to the specified quality.

The outputs from this technical assistance will provide the recommendations needed to develop the most responsible and cost-effective means to dispose of landfilled waste in the Territory for the next twenty (20) years. This work will allow for the design and ultimate contracting of a modern means for managing waste that will form part of a cohesive Waste Management Strategy.

#### **Status: Delivery**

Following detailed presentations made to the client Ministry and other senior government officials on options for the way forward for longer-term treatment of the Tortola landfill, a decision on the way forward is now awaited. Final written reports from the Consultant, WSP, have been received and submitted to the Ministry. To facilitate decision making, a public consultation meeting is expected to take place in the coming weeks. Correspondence to the Ministry over the last several weeks has aimed at ensuring progression of this project.



## Renewable Energy Installations

### MEYS/MHSD

Project: 192

Start Date: December 2020

**Cost Estimate:** \$498,600

Status: Delivery End Date: February 2024 Spend to Date: \$502,338

**Outcome**: "A more resilient energy system with lower electricity costs from the deployment of modern renewable energy technology, which combined with best-practice resource management, can deliver a stronger, smarter, greener, better Virgin Islands."

#### Overview

The Territory's electricity transmission and distribution network was severely damaged by the passage of the 2017 storms. The time it took to restore power to key communities around the Territory highlighted the vulnerability of the electrical network. The RDA has secured funding from the FCDO through the Governor's Office to support the creation of community solar hubs. These will provide community access to electricity during periods of extended outage. The systems will provide solar energy to public buildings, including primary schools and clinics. These systems will offset components of these buildings' energy consumption bill and provide an opportunity for the benefits of renewable energy to be displayed to future generations and the larger community.

#### **Status: Delivery**

In March 2024, discussions continued between Tortola Pier Park and an internet provider to dedicate an internet connection to the installed and commissioned renewable energy system at the Park. A fast EV charger is not an option due to the limited output of 6 kWh for each power box. Specifications for the required EV chargers were sent, and funding for the chargers is expected to be provided by Tortola Pier Park, once required internet connectivity has been established. Six (6) solar systems have thus far been installed and commissioned across the Territory, moving forward the Territory's Renewable Energy Programme, which envisions an increasing percentage of our energy needs being met from renewable sources, including solar power.



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## Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning Centre

**Project**: 083

Start Date: September 2019

Program: CDB RRL Cost Estimate: \$4,180,762

## Ministry of Education, Youth Affairs and Sports

Status: Delivery End Date: March 2025 Spend to Date: \$1,889,859

**Outcome**: "Improved climate resilient and socially inclusive infrastructure and institutions in the transport, water and sewerage, governance, education and national security sectors in the Virgin Islands."

#### Overview

This project aims to construct a new facility for the Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning Centre, which is a Special Educational Needs facility, taking a holistic approach to the reconstruction. The envisioned facility will serve up to thirty students, and will be fully accessible, accommodating the needs of students who are severely autistic, mentally as well as physically challenged, and have a variety of learning disabilities.

#### **Status: Delivery**

Construction work continued in March 2024 with casting of the ground floor slab and commencement of the superstructure for the Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning Centre. Procurement of long lead items also continued, with the development and review of a procurement tracker aimed at ensuring compliance with the updated project schedule for accountability purposes.



### West End Ferry Terminal

Project: 091

Start Date: May 2019

Program: CDB RRL

# Ministry of Communication and Works

Status: Procurement End Date: December 2025 Spend to Date: \$495,304

**Outcome**: "Improved climate resilient and socially inclusive infrastructure and institutions in the transport, water and sewerage, governance, education and national security sectors in the Virgin Islands."

#### Overview

The West End Ferry Terminal has been an important mode for travellers moving between the British Virgin Islands and the US Virgin Islands, as well as the sole hub for domestic travel between Jost Van Dyke and Tortola. This is a major access hub to the Virgin Islands with 170,000 passengers routing through this terminal in 2016. The destruction of the facility during hurricanes Irma and Maria presented challenges to travellers wishing to travel to the BVI.

The West End Ferry Terminal project aims to revitalise the terminal and enhance it to be a major port hub within the Virgin Islands.

#### **Status: Planning**

In March 2024, the CDB continued reviewing documentation for the West End Ferry Terminal project in order to provide the required 'No Objection' for continuation and issuance of the tender package to prequalified contractors. Requested changes from CDB's review are being worked on by the consultant including formatting using CDB's revised procurement template. Additionally, with the approval granted by the Ministry of Communications and Works for the RDA to proceed with the temporary facility design, draft drawings for the temporary facility were completed in March 2024. The Bill of Quantities, including the temporary facility, is currently being reviewed by the Consultant.



## **Recently Completed Projects**

## Jost Van Dyke Multipurpose Education Facility

Project: 541 Start Date: September 2020

**Original Budget:** \$500,000 **Cost Estimate**: \$4,500,000

## Ministry of Education, Youth Affairs and Sports

Status: Completed End Date: December 2023

Spend to Date: \$4,342,612

**Outcome**: "Restored infrastructure for primary and secondary schools of the Virgin Islands to support full functionality and development of schools to meet education needs of children."

#### Overview

The Jost Van Dyke School was significantly damaged following passage of the hurricanes in 2017. Since then, challenges with the school have meant temporary relocation of staff and students to other properties on the island, as well as requiring classes to be held in temporary facilities. Following community consultation, a decision was made to relocate the school in order to make the building more resilient, given that the school was previously located in a flood-prone area, near the sea.

The Jost Van Dyke School is the only public school on Jost Van Dyke, and it has provided early childhood education (below Primary level) as well as other wider community services for this sister-island community. As such the redevelopment of this school is a priority for the Government, since it will address the needs of an underserved community in the Territory, in creating to Jost Van Dyke Multipurpose Education Facility.

#### **Status: Completed**

In January 2024, an official handover ceremony was held for the Jost Van Dyke Primary School, a Multipurpose Educational Facility. The project achieved substantial completion in December 2023, which facilitated the opening of school in early January 2024. Efforts are currently underway to complete minor outstanding issues towards full closure of this project. These issues include additional security measures and relocation of generator from front of the building to the northwestern end of the compound. In March 2024, a defects list was submitted to the contractor and accepted. Playground equipment is scheduled for installation in April 2024.







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### **Anegada Recreation Facility**

**Project**: 143

Start Date: September 2020

**Cost Estimate**: \$296,011

## Ministry of Education, Youth Affairs and Sports

Status: Completed

End Date: April 2023

#### Spend to Date: \$268,398

**Outcome**: "Redeveloped community recreational facilities supporting community and school recreation and national pride in sports."

#### Overview

The Anegada Recreation Facility project has aimed to rehabilitate the Anegada Recreation Grounds. The first activity under this project involved rubberised resurfacing of the basketball court in the facility; the second activity involved reconstruction of the facility's perimeter fencing; and the third activity involved procurement and installation of playground equipment.

#### Activity 1: Rubberised Resurfacing of the Basketball Court **Status: Completed**

The basketball court surfacing activity has been completed, with the court demarcated and backboards and hoops installed.

#### Activity 2: Fencing **Status: Completed**

Work on the perimeter fencing has been completed, including installation of required concrete beams, a new picket fence, metal chain link fencing, and double metal vehicular and pedestrian gates.

#### **Activity 3: Playground Status: Completed**

In March 2023, the playground activity for the Anegada Recreation Facility reached substantial completion with installation of the artificial turf and the playground equipment. In October 2023, this activity was officially handed over to the Ministry of Education. Lighting for the basketball court has been installed,

donated picnic benches have been placed on the facilitate grounds to gathering, community and signage and rubber were also matting installed ahead of the handover ceremony in October 2023.



## Redevelopment of Elmore Stoutt High School

Ministry of Education, Youth Affairs and Sports Status: Completed

Start Date: October 2020

Cost Estimate: \$15,041,000

#### Spend to Date: \$14,868,031

End Date: December 2022

**Outcome**: *"Restored infrastructure for primary and secondary schools of the Virgin Islands to support full functionality and development of schools to meet education needs of children."* 

#### Overview

Project: 122

The Redevelopment of the Elmore Stoutt High School (ESHS) project is a major project with several phases aimed at rehabilitating the entire ESHS campus, which is by far the largest public secondary school in the Territory. Following passage of 2017's storms, High School staff, teachers and students were displaced to the Clarence Thomas Building, where the Senior High School remained until January 2023.

The first phase of this project involved demolition of slabs on the main campus, and design and construction of additional buildings required to restore the campus. These buildings have facilitated relocation of the Senior High School to the main campus, comprising ten (10) large classrooms, 25 small classrooms, eight (8) bathrooms, a principal's office, an administrative office, and a staff lounge.

This project also envisions design and construction of another large building at the rear of the main campus, and installation of required school facilities, including green spaces, an auditorium and cafeteria.

#### **Status: Completed**

On 3 January 2023, a grand opening ceremony was held on the ESHS campus for the four newly constructed buildings on the campus including two classroom blocks, a technical block, and an administration building. The opening of these buildings has enabled all ESHS students to be back on the main campus, resuming full-day schooling. This project's completion marks the culmination of the largest project undertaken by the RDA. Draft closeout report is substantially completed, and it is expected to be finalized by end of April 2024. Stakeholder engagement also continued, to finalize planning and execution of outstanding repairs; installation of special equipment for Technical Block. Two rooms for equipment are being prepared (electrical outlets and gas lines). Potential variation for repositioning of plumbing lines to be provided by contractor.





## Supporting Project Implementation

## Funding

The overall recovery and development programme of the RDA is funded by a combination of grants from the Government of the Virgin Islands (GoVI), the UK Government's (UKG) Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office (FCDO), and private donors.

The following Table details delegated funding and expenditure for RDA-implemented projects to date:

| Droject      |  | Funding by Project and Source |                   |             |                   | Contracted          |              |
|--------------|--|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Project<br># | Details  | GoVI                          | GoVI –<br>CDB RRL | UKG<br>FCDO | Private<br>Donors | Contracted<br>Costs | Expenditure  |
| 122          | Redevelopment of ESHS  | 15,071,000                    | -                 | -           |                   | 15,079,146          | 15,039,714   |
|              | Anegada Recreational   | _ / _ /                       |                   |             |                   |                     | - / /        |
| 143          | Grounds  | 127,554.58                    | -                 | -           | 140,843           | 262,313             | 268,398      |
| 147.00       | Temporary school units,<br>Musical Instruments                 | 635,292                       | -                 | -           | 44,760            | 787,438             | 680,052      |
| 152          | AO Shirley Grounds<br>Repairs                                  | 1,379,355.55                  | _                 | -           | 180,000           | 1,418,182           | 1,559,356    |
| 177          | Virgin Islands Law<br>Enforcement Marine<br>Base               | 2,713,519                     | -                 | 420,998     | -                 | 3,009,595           | 2,500,867.23 |
| 192          | Renewable Energy<br>Installation                               | -                             | -                 | 506,955     | -                 | 444,868             | 503,220      |
| 321          | TBL Airport Expansion  | 50,000                        | -                 | -           | -                 | -                   | 5,650        |
| 370          | Solid Waste<br>Management<br>Programme                         | 404,000                       | -                 | -           | -                 | 460,110             | 224,488      |
| 541          | JVD Primary School, a<br>Multi-Purpose<br>Educational Facility | 4,500,000                     | _                 | _           | 165,824           | 4,582,058           | 4,342,612    |
| 541          | National Sewage  | 4,500,000                     |                   |             | 105,024           | 4,362,038           | 4,342,012    |
| 660          | Programme  | 11,123                        | -                 | -           | -                 | -                   | 11,123       |
| 322          | Trellis Bay Welcome<br>Center                                  | 278,014                       | -                 | -           | -                 | -                   | -            |
| 060          | Halls of Justice   | 300,000                       | -                 | 187,550     | -                 | 111,200             | -            |
| 205          | BVIEC Long Bush Power<br>Station Demolition<br>Works           | -                             | -                 | -           |                   |                     | 3,621.57     |
| 378          | Virgin Islands Agriculture<br>& Fisheries Complex              | 105,000                       |                   |             |                   |                     | 63,929       |
| 379          | Farmers' Reservoir<br>Paraquita Bay                            | 158,100                       |                   |             |                   |                     | 26,600       |

Table 4: Cash Funding and Expenditure by Project

| Project |  | Funding by Project and Source |                   |             |                   | Contracted |             |
|---------|--|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|------------|-------------|
| #       | Details                                    | GoVI                          | GoVI –<br>CDB RRL | UKG<br>FCDO | Private<br>Donors | Costs      | Expenditure |
|         | National Cultural Centre,                  |                               | CDD IIIL          | 1000        | Donors            |            |             |
|         | Archives, Library and                      |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
|         | Museum (Heritage                           |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 435     | Village)                                   | 109,950                       |                   |             |                   |            | -           |
|         | Multipurpose and                           |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 196     | Detention Centre                           | 100,000                       |                   |             |                   |            |             |
|         | Water Optimisation                         |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 142     | Project                                    | 500,000                       |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 145.00  | BFJS Internal Walls                        | 178,049                       | -                 | -           | -                 | 150,666    | 178,049     |
|         | VG Sports Complex                          |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 151     | Repairs                                    | 1,288,983                     | -                 | -           | -                 | 1,104,040  | 1,288,983   |
| 163     | Anegada Police Station                     | 247,550                       | -                 | -           | -                 | 209,654    | 247,550     |
|         | Repair of RT Police                        |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 181     | Station                                    | 197,773.44                    | -                 | 630,340     | -                 | 759,007    | 827,114     |
|         | Repairs to Virgin Gorda                    |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 185     | Police Station                             | -                             | -                 | 27,000      | -                 | 21,540     | 27,998      |
|         | Concept Note 1 - Long                      |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 000.00  | Bush Recreational                          | 0.26                          |                   |             |                   |            | 0.26        |
| 000.00  | Facility                                   | 936                           | -                 | -           | -                 | -          | 936         |
| 032     | Priority Government<br>Building Assessment | 9,999.79                      | _                 | _           | _                 | _          | 10,000      |
| 032     | building Assessment                        | 9,999.79                      |                   |             |                   |            | 10,000      |
| 086     | CDB Project - BFEC                         | 7,783                         | -                 | -           | -                 | 14,500     | 7,783       |
|         | External Clearance/                        |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 120     | Temporary office space                     | 2,458                         | -                 | -           | -                 | -          | 2,458       |
| 124     | CGB Dinhgy Dock Repair                     | 767                           | -                 | -           | -                 | -          | 767         |
|         | Debris site fence repairs                  |                               |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 135.01  | and signage                                | 221                           | -                 | -           | -                 | -          | 221         |
| 179     | VHF Trucking network                       | 39,180                        | -                 | 79,966      | -                 | 73,460     | 39,180      |
|         |  | ,                             |                   |             |                   |            |             |
| 184.00  | Relocate Tortola Landfill                  | -                             | -                 | -           | -                 | -          | 419         |
| 186.00  | Installation of<br>Incinerator Scrubber    | 7,486                         | -                 | -           | -                 | -          | 7,486       |
| 100.00  | MEP Designs for New                        | 002                           |                   |             |                   |            | 000         |
| 188.00  | Incinerator                                | 983                           | -                 | -           | -                 | -          | 983         |
| 551.00  | Central Admin Complex                      | 18,023                        | -                 | -           | -                 | -          | 18,023      |
| 091.00  | West End Ferry Terminal                    | 74,863                        | -                 | -           | -                 | 120,606    | 74,863      |
| 103.02  | VG Baths                                   | 214,340                       | _                 | _           | -                 | 177,272    | 214,341     |
| 103.02  |  | 214,340                       | -                 | -           | -                 | 111,212    | 214,041     |
| 108.01  | Special Debris Clearance                   | 650,234                       | -                 | 562,949     | -                 | 736,289    | 650,234     |

| Droiget      | Details                                  | Fu      | nding by Proje    | ct and Source |                   | Contracted          |             |
|--------------|--|---------|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| Project<br># |  | GoVI    | GoVI –<br>CDB RRL | UKG<br>FCDO   | Private<br>Donors | Contracted<br>Costs | Expenditure |
|              | Removal of all derelict                  |         |                   |               |                   |                     |             |
| 133          | boats                                    | 58,483  | -                 | -             | -                 | 65,242              | 58,483      |
|              | Sea markers, rock                        |         |                   |               |                   |                     |             |
| 136          | removal, cargo wall                      | 419,895 | -                 | -             | -                 | 404,275             | 419,895     |
|              | ESHS Contracted                          |         |                   |               |                   |                     |             |
| 146.00       | Demolition                               | 38,569  | -                 | -             | -                 | 34,098              | 38,569      |
| 154          | Temporary Housing<br>(M&E for 15 Houses) | 402,101 |                   |               | -                 | 200 707             | 402 101     |
|              | ,  | -       | -                 | -             |                   | 390,797             | 402,101     |
| 157          | Repair of Homes                          | 200,881 | -                 | -             | -                 | 149,915             | 200,881     |
| 160.00       | VG Admin Building                        | 24,414  | -                 | -             | -                 | 17,062              | 24,414      |
|              | Virgin Gorda Police                      |         |                   |               |                   |                     |             |
| 182.00       | Barracks                                 | 887,045 | -                 | 339,799       | -                 | 863,025             | 887,045     |
| 100          | Jost Van Dyke Police                     | 722 726 |                   | 201 007       |                   | 700 004             | 722 726     |
| 183          | Station                                  | 733,726 | -                 | 291,987       | -                 | 706,904             | 733,726     |
| 187.00       | Dismantling of Old<br>Incinerator        | 210 500 |                   |               |                   | 187,047             | 210 E00     |
| 187.00       | Incinerator                              | 218,588 | -                 | -             | -                 | 167,047             | 218,588     |
| 189.00       | Marine Survey                            | 133,633 | _                 | 146,678       | -                 | 234,268             | 145,740     |
| 193          | Estate House #1                          | 714,897 | -                 |               | -                 | 338,363             | 688,282     |
| 000.00       | CDB Consultants                          | ,       | 614,402           |               |                   | 1,225,550           | 1,150,634   |
| 000.00       | Halls of Justice -                       |         | 014,402           | _             |                   | 1,225,550           | 1,150,054   |
| 060.01       | Construction                             | 300,000 | 400,000           | 187,550       | -                 | _                   | _           |
| 000.01       | Halls of Justice -                       | 000,000 | 100,000           | 107,000       |                   |                     |             |
| 060.02       | Consultancy Contract                     | -       | 584,562           | -             | -                 | 324,840             | 132,850     |
|              | Eslyn Henley -                           |         | ,                 |               |                   | ,                   |             |
| 083.01       | Construction                             | -       | -                 | -             | -                 | 3,959,690           | 1,749,697   |
|              | Eslyn Henley -                           |         |                   |               |                   |                     |             |
| 083.02       | Consultancy Contract                     | _       | 461,025           | -             | -                 | 192,700             | 140,162     |
|              | West End Ferry - Main                    | _       |                   | -             |                   |                     |             |
| 091.01       | Building                                 |         | -                 |               | -                 | -                   | 5,789       |
|              | West End Ferry -                         | -       |                   | -             |                   |                     |             |
| 091.02       | Consultancy Contract                     |         | 984,910           |               | -                 | 1,048,909           | 489,515     |
| 100.00       | Fish Day Daad                            | -       | 027.274           | -             |                   | 1 700 500           | 1 500 142   |
| 180.09       | Fish Bay Road                            |         | 927,374           |               | -                 | 1,799,500           | 1,589,143   |
| 180.11       | Consultancy Contract                     | -       | 268,500           | -             | _                 | 84,000              | 516,755     |
| 100.11       | Asphaltic Concrete                       |         | 200,500           |               |                   | 04,000              | 510,755     |
| 180.12       | Works (Fish Bay)                         | -       | 643,555           | -             | -                 | 643,555             | 602,460     |
|              |  |         | ,                 |               |                   | ,                   |             |
| 140.03       | Reservoirs - Zion Hill                   | -       | 645,180           | -             | -                 | 615,299             | 582,440     |
|              | Retaining Wall - Long                    |         | -                 |               |                   | -                   |             |
| 180.07       | Trench                                   | -       | 115,104           | -             | -                 | 1,122,799           | 739,136     |
|              | Asphaltic Concrete                       |         |                   |               |                   |                     |             |
| 180.10       | Works (6 sites)                          | -       | -                 | -             | -                 | 390,858             | 393,620     |
| 086.01       | BFEC - Construction                      |         | 2,457,500         | -             |                   | 2,039,577           | 1,876,330   |
|              | BFEC - Consultancy                       |         |                   |               |                   |                     |             |
| 086.02       | Contract                                 |         | 68,360            | _             | -                 | -                   | 107,568     |

| Project |  | Funding by Project and Source |                   |             |                   | Contracted |             |
|---------|--|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|------------|-------------|
| #       | Details                                    | GoVI                          | GoVI –<br>CDB RRL | UKG<br>FCDO | Private<br>Donors | Costs      | Expenditure |
| 140.01  | Reservoirs - Carrot Bay                    | -                             | 2,099,603         | -           | -                 | 1,899,338  | 1,837,686   |
| 140.02  | Reservoirs - Long Bush                     | -                             | 2,428,859         | -           | -                 | 2,208,098  | 2,147,428   |
| 140.04  | Reservoirs - Consultancy<br>Contract       | -                             | 452,504           | -           | -                 | 452,504    | 271,264     |
| 180.01  | Ridge Road - Hope Hill to<br>Sabbath Hill  | -                             | 744,495           | -           | -                 | 744,496    | 695,937     |
| 180.03  | Retaining Wall - Ballast<br>Bay/Windy Hill | -                             | 788,903           | -           | -                 | 1,054,126  | 993,151     |
| 180.04  | Retaining Wall - Great<br>Mountain 1       | -                             | 311,036           | -           | -                 | 1,070,315  | 165,877     |
| 180.05  | Retaining Wall - Great<br>Mountain 2       | -                             | 780,682           | -           | -                 | 447,461    | 447,405     |
| 180.06  | Retaining Wall - Little Dix<br>Hill        | -                             | 407,106           | -           | -                 | 407,106    | 321,276     |
| 180.08  | Retaining Wall - Bob's<br>Gas Station      | -                             | 300,616           | -           | -                 | 494,308    | 345,069     |
| 200.01  | Other Govt Bldgs -<br>Vanterpool           | -                             | 1,410,671         | -           | -                 | 1,661,962  | 1,662,142   |
| 200.02  | Other Govt Bldgs - Flax                    | -                             | 1,432,551         | -           | -                 | 1,220,918  | 1,266,144   |
| 200.03  | Other Govt Bldgs - North<br>Sound          | -                             | 1,001,081         | -           | -                 | 625,701    | 617,996     |
| 200.04  | Other Govt Bldgs -<br>Consultancy Contract | -                             | 411,927           | -           | -                 | 411,927    | 185,233     |
|         | TOTAL                                      | 33,214,770                    | 20,740,505        | 3,194,220   | 1,252,764         | 59,143,476 | 53,790,852  |

Alongside financial cash contributions, the RDA receives in-kind contributions. In-kind refers to goods and services contributed that do not involve money, such as items or services donated. To date, the RDA has contracted a total of **\$1,149,350** in in-kind contributions.

| Project/Initiative                                   | Type of Funder  | Value       |
|--|-----------------|-------------|
| Government of the Virgin Islands                     | GoVI            | \$10,000    |
| Elmore Stoutt High School                            | NGO/NPO         | \$380,000   |
| West End Ferry Terminal (CDB RRL)                    | NGO/NPO         | \$225,000   |
| Remove and dispose of derelict marine vessels        | Private Company | \$175,000   |
| Renewable Energy                                     | Private Company | \$40,000    |
| Renewable Energy                                     | Private Company | \$20,000    |
| Renewable Energy                                     | Private Company | \$15,000    |
| Strengthening Government Asset Management Capability | UKG             | \$138,750   |
| Special Debris Clearance                             | UKG             | \$78,000    |
| Special Debris Clearance                             | UKG             | \$67,600    |
| TOTAL  |                 | \$1,149,350 |

Participation by private sector and non-governmental organisations is critical to a shared, sustainable recovery and development process.

## Communication

| Events                                 | Date                 | Description  |
|--|----------------------|--|
| RDA Professional Staff Development Day | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | A Professional Staff Development Day for RDA<br>staff was held at the Village Cay Conference<br>Room. Mrs. Marsha Smith of Todman Bay<br>Consulting provided expertise with six<br>informational sessions accompanied by<br>practical demonstrations throughout the day. |
| HLSCC Career Expo                      | 14 <sup>th</sup> Mar | RDA Staff participated in the 2024 HLSCC<br>Career Expo to showcase Internship<br>Opportunities in the agency and give students<br>an opportunity to learn within those sectors.   |

| Videos   | Date                 | Description   |
|--|----------------------|---|
| Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning Center<br>Concrete Pour                          | 1 <sup>st</sup> Mar  | The Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning Center is<br>progressing as the substructure phase is now<br>completed. The concrete pour for the floor<br>slab has been poured.  |
| International Women's Day Campaign:<br>Women in Construction Media Interview   | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | Two empowered female staff members,<br>Solange Cooper and Kinisha Forbes,<br>represented the RDA on JTV news on<br>International Women's Day to advocate for<br>ladies in positions of prominence.  |
| International Women's Day Campaign:<br>Women in Construction Stone Mason Video | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA highlighted and commemorated Ms.<br>Tanesha Thompson 'Tasha' Burton, a female<br>stone mason for International Women's Day.<br>She has broken many glass ceilings by<br>furthering her professionality in a typically<br>male dominated area. |
| Jost Van Dyke Interview #1- Lisa Williams<br>Ruffin                            | 15 <sup>th</sup> Mar | An Interview with Lisa Williams Ruffin, a<br>parent and resident of Jost Van Dyke. She<br>discussed the impact and the benefits of the<br>building for not only the students but the<br>entire community.   |
| Office Relocation Video  | 15 <sup>th</sup> Mar | The RDA released a video directing customers<br>to the temporary reception location due to<br>ongoing renovations to the office space.  |
| Transformation Tuesday   | 26 <sup>th</sup> Mar | For transformation Tuesday the RDA has<br>showcased the remarkable evolution of the<br>Jost Van Dyke Primary School from its previous<br>state.   |
| Trellis Bay Welcome Center: Tender<br>Submission Meeting                       | 28 <sup>th</sup> Mar | The Recovery and Development agency has<br>received 8 tenders for the Trellis Bay Market<br>Welcome Center. The tenders will now<br>undergo thorough evaluation to select a<br>suitable construction firm.  |

| Social Media Posts                         | Date                 | Description   |
|--|----------------------|---|
| H. Lavity Stoutt Day                       | 4 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA Celebrated the prominent advocate                 |
|  |                      | for Education Hamilton Lavity Stoutt as he                |
|  |                      | established the Community College in 1990.                |
| Now Hiring Flyer                           | 5 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA is looking to fill the role of an Director        |
| 5,   |                      | of Programme Delivery. For more details, click            |
|  |                      | the link: https://buff.ly/3Stm9ah                         |
| RDA Bulletin – Office Closure Notice       | 6 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | Please Be advised that our office will be closed          |
|  |                      | on Thursday,7 <sup>th</sup> March 2024 for a staff        |
|  |                      | Development Worshop.                                      |
| Invitation to Tender – Construction of the | 7 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA now invites tenders from eligible and             |
| Trellis Bay Welcome Center                 |                      | qualified Tenderers for the Construction of the           |
|  |                      | Trellis Bay welcome Center.                               |
| International Women's Day Campaign:        | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA has carried out an International                  |
| Cover Photo                                | o ma                 | Women's Day Campaign and has created a                    |
|  |                      | cover photo for the Facebook page.                        |
| International Women's Day Campaign:        | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA has highlighted all the Women of the              |
| Corporate Governance Team                  | 0 10101              | RDA who make up the Corporate Governance                  |
|  |                      | Team including the Business administration                |
|  |                      | Intern.   |
| International Women's Day Campaign:        | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA has highlighted all the Women of the              |
| Programme Delivery Team                    | 0 10101              | RDA who make up the Programme Delivery.                   |
|  | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  |   |
| International Women's Day Campaign:        | 8 IVIAI              | The RDA has highlighted all the Women of the              |
| Programme Strategy Team                    |                      | RDA who make up the Corporate Governance                  |
|  | oth M                | Team including the Communications Intern.                 |
| International Women's Day Campaign:        | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA has commemorated Briana Brewley                   |
| Brianna Brewley                            |                      | on International Women's Day as she has                   |
|  |                      | provided seven years of invaluable experience             |
|  |                      | as a Construction Site Supervisor at Autland              |
|  |                      | Equipment Co. Ltd. To learn more about                    |
|  |                      | Briana, click the link: <u>BRIANNA BREWLEY</u> –          |
|  |                      | Virgin Islands Recovery and Development                   |
|  | ath a c              | Agency (bvirecovery.vg)                                   |
| International Women's Day Campaign:        | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA has commemorated Lavina Liburd as                 |
| Lavina Liburd                              |                      | she is The Design Architect and Project                   |
|  |                      | Consultant for the Eslyn Henley Richiez                   |
|  |                      | Learning Center and she is also featured in the           |
|  |                      | Royal British Architects publication of '100              |
|  |                      | women: Architects in Practice' To learn more              |
|  |                      | about Lavina, click the link: <u>LAVINA LIBURD</u> –      |
|  |                      | Virgin Islands Recovery and Development                   |
|  |                      | Agency (bvirecovery.vg)                                   |
| International Women's Day Campaign:        | 8 <sup>th</sup> Mar  | The RDA commemorated Jeanine Reyes                        |
| Jeanine Reyes Todman                       |                      | Todman, the Site Secretary at James Todman                |
|  |                      | Construction. To learn more about Jeanine,                |
|  |                      | click the link below: <u>JEANINE REYES TODMAN –</u>       |
|  |                      | Virgin Islands Recovery and Development                   |
|  |                      | Agency (bvirecovery.vg)                                   |
| H. Lavity Stoutt Community College Career  | 11 <sup>th</sup> Mar | The Recover and Development Agency was                    |
| Expo Notice                                |                      | pleased to participate in the 2024 HLSCC                  |
|  |                      | career Expo on the 14 <sup>th</sup> of March. 8 different |

| New Intern Highlight: Mya Adams   | 12 <sup>th</sup> Mar | sectors of the agency were highlighted for<br>students to explore the opportunity of being<br>an intern in their chosen field. For more<br>details on the internship programme, click the<br>link below: Internship – Virgin Islands Recovery<br>and Development Agency (bvirecovery.vg)<br>NEW INTERN ALERT – Mya Adams<br>The RDA welcomed the new intern Mya<br>Adams, the first intern for 2024 in the field of<br>Communications. She has shared her<br>experiences, what she has learned so far while |
|---|----------------------|---|
|   |                      | being in the agency and what she hopes to<br>learn for the remainder of the internship<br>programme. To learn more about our<br>internship Programme, click the link below:<br>Internship – Virgin Islands Recovery and<br>Development Agency (bvirecovery.vg)  |
| New Intern Highlight: Deyounce Lowenfield   | 13 <sup>th</sup> Mar | Team RDA is more than pleased to Welcome<br>the 2 <sup>nd</sup> intern of 2024, Deyounce Lowenfield.<br>She is assigned to the Business Administration<br>Unit and has shared the various characteristics<br>of being with that field and how she feels<br>about being in the RDA. To learn more about<br>our internship Programme, click the link<br>below: Internship – Virgin Islands Recovery<br>and Development Agency (bvirecovery.vg)  |
| H. Lavity Stoutt Community College Career<br>Expo Experience  | 14 <sup>th</sup> Mar | The RDA was excited to take part in the 2024<br>HLSCC Career Expo to present our Internship<br>Programme. 33 students were interested in<br>the 8 various fields we offered, and we are<br>appreciative of the opportunity to collaborate<br>with HLSCC.  |
| Transformation Tuesday  | 19 <sup>th</sup> Mar | For Transformation Tuesday, the RDA has<br>highlighted a major milestone for the Jost Van<br>Dyke Community. Thanks to Soggy Dollar's and<br>and Unite BVI's commitment of 350K, the JVD<br>school is embarking on a transformative<br>Journey Towards excellence.  |
| RDA Bulletin – Movement of Excavated<br>Material on JVD   | 19 <sup>th</sup> Mar | Residents of the Jost Van Dyke Community<br>are advised that the movement of excavated<br>materials in the Vicinity of the Jost Van Dyke<br>school will take place during the Easter<br>weekend.  |
| Request For Expression of Interest-<br>Consultancy Services for the design and the<br>construction management of the Agriculture<br>and Fisheries Complex | 21 <sup>st</sup> Mar | The RDA now invites interested eligible<br>consulting firms to submit Expressions of<br>Interest for the provision of Consultancy<br>Services for the Design and Construction<br>Management of the Agriculture and Fisheries<br>Complex. For more details click the link:<br><u>https://buff.ly/4a4IXVe</u>   |

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| Request for Proposal - Consultancy Services   | 21 <sup>st</sup> Mar | The RDA now invites interested eligible          |
| for the design and the construction           |                      | consulting firms to submit Expressions of        |
| management of the Farmer's Reservoir          |                      | Interest for the provision of Consultancy        |
|   |                      | Services for the Design and Construction         |
|   |                      | Management of the Agriculture and Fisheries      |
|   |                      | Complex. For more details click the link:        |
|   |                      | https://buff.ly/4a4IXVe                          |
| RDA Monthly Report – January 2024             | 21 <sup>st</sup> Mar | The RDA is happy to inform you that the          |
|   |                      | monthly report for January 2024 is now on our    |
|   |                      | website. To access it, click the link:           |
|   |                      | https://buff.ly/4cspuj6                          |
| Happy World Water Day 2024                    | 22 <sup>nd</sup> Mar | The RDA celebrates World Water Day 2024,         |
|   |                      | focusing on Water for Peace'. We have            |
|   |                      | increased local water storage capacity with      |
|   |                      | three reservoir systems and are collaborating    |
|   |                      | on projects like building a Farmer's Reservoir   |
|   |                      | and improving leak detection to ensure a         |
|   |                      | steady water supply, aiming to promote           |
|   |                      | harmony, reduce tensions, and uphold the         |
|   |                      | basic human rights to water.                     |
| Fundraising Friday at the RDA                 | 22 <sup>nd</sup> Mar | It's Fundraising Friday at the RDA!!!            |
| Fundraising Fludy at the KDA                  | 22 11101             | Empowering Jost Van Dyke: From versatile         |
|   |                      |  |
|   |                      | education hubs to technological                  |
|   |                      | advancements and musical enrichment,             |
|   |                      | philanthropic initiatives pave the way for a     |
|   | 41                   | thriving community and limitless potential.      |
| Invitation To Tender: Supply and Installation | 26 <sup>th</sup> Mar | The RDA now invites suitable firms to submit     |
| of water meters for the reservoirs across the |                      | tenders in accordance with the requirements      |
| British Virgin Islands                        |                      | for the supply and installation of water meters  |
|   |                      | for the reservoirs across the British Virgin     |
|   |                      | Islands. For more details, click the link below: |
|   |                      | PLAYGROUND FACILITY MARKS A MILESTONE            |
|   |                      | IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT – Virgin                |
|   |                      | Islands Recovery and Development Agency          |
|   |                      | (bvirecovery.vg)                                 |
| Good Friday Post                              | 29 <sup>th</sup> Mar | Wishing Everyone a Happy Good Friday             |

## Community Engagement

The Community Liaison Officer facilitates the participation of communities in the planning, design, implementation and monitoring phases of infrastructure projects, integrating social and gender considerations into the RDA programmes and projects, while managing stakeholders and liaising with the affected communities in a socially inclusive and gender-responsive manner.

### Overview – March 2024 Activities

#### Stakeholder Engagements

Community or stakeholder engagement is done to increase community members' knowledge about a project and the project or programme being implemented. Engagement is also done to encourage members to share their local knowledge that can feed into the project design and implementation. This ensures ownership of a project and/or programme because community members are not only informed but involved in the process from inception to completion. It changes the narrative from being "theirs" to "ours".

A total of ten (10) stakeholder engagements were either organised and attended by or recorded by the CLO during the month of March 2024.

| #  | Date    | Stakeholder   | Subject Matter   |
|----|---------|---|--|
| 1  | Mar. 1  | Stakeholder Engagement (NCCALM) with<br>Gabrielle Skelton-Bardo of the Dept. of Culture   | National Cultural Centre, Archives,<br>Library & Museum (NCCALM) |
| 2  | Mar. 5  | Stakeholder Engagement (NCCALM) with<br>Heather Butcher (Heritage Dancers)  | National Cultural Centre, Archives,<br>Library & Museum (NCCALM) |
| 3  | Mar. 5  | Dissemination of Flier for Trellis Bay Welcome<br>Centre Pre-Engagement Survey (BVI Ports &<br>Speedy's)  | Trellis Bay Welcome Centre                                       |
| 4  | Mar. 6  | Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning Centre Project<br>Update/ Site Visit with S. Dantas, L. Liburd  | Project Update   |
| 5  | Mar. 8  | Meeting to discuss movement of the JVD School<br>Excavated Materials with S. Cooper, C. Petrovic<br>and Ryan Adams of Garner Bay Holdings                         | Movement of Excavated Materials                                  |
| 6  | Mar. 11 | Bidder's Conference – Trellis Bay Welcome<br>Centre   | Trellis Bay Welcome Centre                                       |
| 7  | Mar. 18 | NCCALM Site Visit & Stakeholder Engagement<br>with Commissioner of the Boy Scouts/ Girl<br>Guides Building – S. Cooper, N. Anderson-Murray<br>and Ulric Scatliffe | National Cultural Centre, Archives,<br>Library & Museum (NCCALM) |
| 8  | Mar. 20 | Site Visit – ESHS Redevelopment Project –<br>Grievance Follow-up  | Grievance follow up  |
| 9  | Mar. 22 | Stakeholder Update – Joint Marine Base  | Joint Marine Base  |
| 10 | Mar. 25 | Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning Centre Project<br>Update  | Project Update   |

### Grievance Redress System – March 2024

The agency's Grievance Redress System (GRS) was launched on March 31, to ensure projects are completed in an efficient and effective manner with community and stakeholder feedback playing a prominent role. Members of the public such as individuals, groups, organisations and communities can formally lodge a grievance or complaint regarding work of the RDA involving its staff, externally hired consultants and contractors.

The Community Liaison Officer (CLO) manages the GRS by collecting the necessary reports by all parties involved (complainant, project manager, consultant and/or contractor) and recommends actions to the CEO, who makes a decision on the matter. The CLO ensures the official protocol is followed, and that the complainant is informed throughout the redress process.

One (1) grievance was recorded during the month of March 2024, regarding the Joint Shore Marine Base project. The matter was swiftly redressed.

A follow-up site visit on a previously reported grievance was conducted on March 20, 2024. Some health and safety issues were noted and reported to the assigned project manager and Director of Programme Delivery. The matter involves the Elmore Stoutt High School Redevelopment Project.

## **Performance Analysis**

#### RDA by the Numbers

The following Dashboard presents a snapshot of the RDA's achievements across the three (3) aspects of our mandate, namely: Project implementation, Funding, and Capacity Building.

The Funding figure considers cash funding for projects across all sources including the Government of the Virgin Islands, the Caribbean Development Bank Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Loan, the UK Government, and private donors. From October 2022, the CDB RRL portion of the Funding figure only includes actual funding received for implementation of projects under that loan.



As demonstrated above, since inception in 2018, the RDA has implemented approximately \$53.8 million worth of project activities across sectors in the Virgin Islands. These activities have resulted in improvements for the people of our Territory. The Dashboard below presents highlights of accomplishments of the RDA thus far in its journey, including both Output- (results immediately produced) as well as Outcome- (results achieved secondarily) level achievements of the Agency.

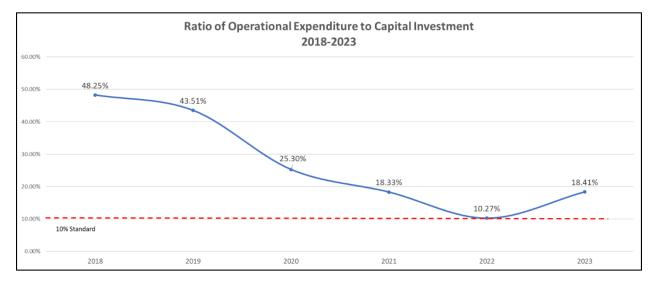


#### **Operational Performance**

The RDA aims to maximise efficiency in operation, by closely managing resources required to deliver results to the people of the Virgin Islands. One of the measures used to assess the RDA's efficiency is the Agency's achieved ratio of operational expenditure to capital investment.

The RDA aims to meet the gold standard of 10% or less spent towards operational expenditure, and since inception, it has achieved an overall ratio of approximately 21.12% when total operational expenditure is examined in relation to total capital investment since inception of the Agency. The Chart below demonstrates the RDA's annual ratio of operational expenditure and capital investment since inception (from 2018 to 2023).

For the fiscal year 2023, the RDA was able to achieve a ratio of operational expenditure to capital investment of 18.41%. The RDA's performance in 2023 is linked to availability of funding from Central Government, combined with some delays in project implementation. Going forward the RDA will continue to work with Central Government to improve funding availability, thereby better empowering our Agency to address the Territory's development challenges through efficient project implementation.



#### Portfolio Performance

During planning, a budget and schedule, and a list of expected results, are developed for each project to be implemented by the RDA. These expectations are adjusted, as required, over the project cycle. Each project is closely managed towards delivering value for money in terms of time, costs and results for the people of the Territory.

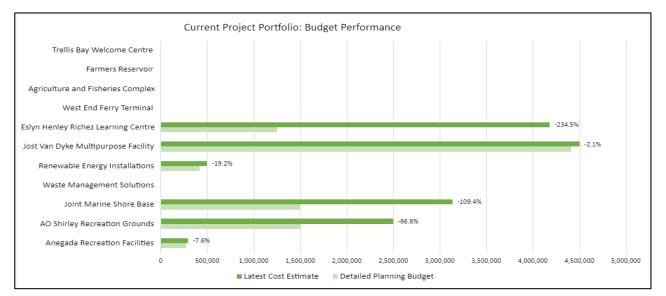
This section presents the RDA's performance against Budget and Schedule expectations, for the projects currently being implemented as part of the RDA's portfolio of projects.

#### Performance against Budget Expectations

The Table below presents original budgets, detailed planning budgets, and latest cost estimates for projects currently being implemented by the RDA, as well as variance analysis based on these figures.

| Project   | Original<br>Budget | Detailed<br>Planning<br>Budget | Latest Cost<br>Estimate | Variance \$ |
|---|--------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| Anegada Recreation Facilities   | 160,000            | 275,064                        | 296,011                 | (20,947)    |
| AO Shirley Recreation Grounds   | 675,000            | 1,500,000                      | 2,498,753               | (998,753)   |
| Joint Marine Shore Base   | 500,000            | 1,497,900                      | 3,135,962               | (1,638,062) |
| Waste Management Solutions  | 3,000,000          |                                |                         |             |
| Renewable Energy Installations  | 418,400            | 418,400                        | 498,600                 | (80,200)    |
| Jost Van Dyke Primary School, a<br>Multi-Purpose Educational Facility | 500,000            | 4,408,426                      | 4,500,000               | (91,574)    |
| Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning Centre                                  | 1,119,200          | 1,250,000                      | 4,180,762               | (2,930,762) |
| West End Ferry Terminal   | 3,870,000          |                                |                         |             |
| Agriculture and Fisheries Complex                                     | 1,917,424          |                                |                         |             |
| Farmers' Reservoir Paraquita Bay                                      | 1,570,038          |                                |                         |             |
| Trellis Bay Welcome Centre  | 128,000            |                                |                         |             |

#### Table 6: Budget Comparison



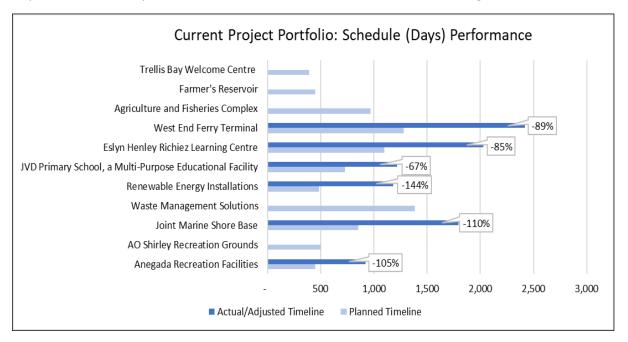
#### Performance against Schedule Expectations

The Table below presents start dates and the original and latest adjusted scheduled end-dates for projects being implemented by the RDA.

| Project   | Start Date   | <b>Original End Date</b> | Adjusted End Date       |
|---|--------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Anegada Recreation Facilities                               | 17 Sept 2020 | 10 Dec 2021              | 27 Mar 2023             |
| AO Shirley Recreation Grounds                               | 7 Feb 2019   | 19 Jun 2020              | Significantly Delayed   |
| Joint Marine Shore Base                                     | 1 May 2019   | 1 Sep 2021               | 29 Mar 2024             |
| Waste Management Solutions                                  | 13 Nov 2020  | 29 Aug 2024              | Long Term               |
| Renewable Energy Installations                              | 1 Dec 2020   | 31 Mar 2022              | 28 Feb 2024             |
| JVD Primary School, a Multi-Purpose<br>Educational Facility | 1 Sep 2020   | 31 Aug 2022              | 31 Dec 2023             |
| Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning Centre                        | 12 Sep 2019  | 14 Sep 2022              | 31 Mar 2025             |
| West End Ferry Terminal                                     | 20 May 2019  | 18 Nov 2022              | 31 Dec 2025             |
| Agriculture and Fisheries Complex                           | 19 Sep 2023  | 14 May 2026              | <b>Recently Started</b> |
| Farmers' Reservoir Paraquita Bay                            | 19 Sep 2023  | 9 Dec 2024               | Recently Started        |
| Trellis Bay Welcome Centre                                  | 5 April 2023 | 30 April 2024            | Procurement             |

#### Table 7: Schedule Comparison

The following Chart demonstrates each ongoing project's performance against expected schedule timelines. An analysis of these projects' schedule performance reveals that except for three projects, all other projects currently being implemented by the RDA are estimated to be completed after their expected schedule timeline. Both Schedule, as well as Budget adjustments are often a result of changing requirements and scope variations from our client, the Government of the Virgin Islands.



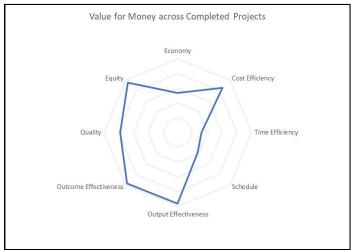
## Value for Money Reports

#### Table 8: VfM Reports for Completed Projects

| Project<br>Code | Project   | Programme                     | Month of<br>Completion  | Overall<br>VfM<br>Score   | VfM Report  |
|-----------------|---|-------------------------------|---|---|---|
| 143             | Anegada Recreational<br>Facility  | RDP –<br>Recreation           | April 2023  | TBD   |   |
| 122             | Redevelopment of<br>Elmore Stoutt High<br>School  | Education –<br>Schools        | December 2022   | TBD   |   |
| 185             | VG Police Station<br>Repairs  | Security & Law<br>Enforcement | May 2022  | TBD   |   |
| 541             | Jost Van Dyke Primary, a<br>Multipurpose<br>Educational Facility                            | Education-<br>Schools         | December 2023   | TBD   |   |
| 193             | Estate House #1   | Security & Law<br>Enforcement | March 2022  | 71.1/100  | Estate House #1 VfM<br>Report   |
| 151             | VG Sports Complex<br>(Jeffery Caines Arena)   | Phase One                     | March 2022  | 65/100  | A. Jeffrey Caines Sports<br>Arena VfM Report  |
| 140             | Water Network –<br>Reservoirs & Meters  | CDB RRL                       | December 2021   | 57.9/100  | <u>Water Network</u><br>Improvement VfM   |
| 200             | Vanterpool Admin<br>Flax Admin Building<br>North Sound Admin                                | CDB RRL                       | December 2021<br>March 2021<br>December 2020  | 92.5/100<br>75/100<br>67.5/100                                    | <u>Vanterpool Admin VfM</u><br><u>Flax Admin VfM Report</u><br><u>North Sound Admin VfM</u>                         |
| 163             | Anegada Admin Building  | Security & Law<br>Enforcement | July 2021   | 84.2/100  | Anegada Admin VfM<br>Report   |
| 180             | Great Mountain<br>Ridge Road<br>Ballast Bay<br>Bob's Gas Station<br>Long Trench<br>Fish Bay | CDB RRL                       | January 2021<br>May 2021<br>June 2021<br>May 2021<br>December 2021<br>November 2022 | 79/100<br>73.7/100<br>100/100<br>92.1/100<br>84.2/100<br>78.9/100 | Great Mountain VfM<br>Ridge Road VfM<br>Ballast Bay VfM<br>Bob's Gas Station VfM<br>Long Trench VfM<br>Fish Bay VfM |
| 086             | Bregado Flax<br>Educational Centre  | CDB RRL                       | May 2021  | 72.5/100  | Bregado Flax VfM Report   |
| 181             | Road Town Police<br>Station<br>Phase II and Financial<br>Crimes Unit                        | Phase One                     | April 2021<br>May 2022  | 73.7/100<br>97.4/100  | Road Town Police Station<br>VfM Report<br>RTPS Phase II and Financial<br>Crimes Unit VfM Report                     |
| 187             | Incinerator Dismantling   | Phase One                     | June 2020   | 73.7/100  | Incinerator Dismantling<br>VfM Report   |
| 136             | Sea Markers   | Phase One                     | June 2020   | 80/100  | Sea Markers VfM Report  |
| 154             | Temporary Homes   | Phase One                     | March 2020  | 50/100  | Temporary Homes VfM<br>Report   |
| 189             | Marine Survey   | Phase One                     | February 2020   | 72.5/100  | Marine Survey VfM Report  |
| 145             | BFJS Internal Walls   | Phase One                     | January 2020  | 50/100  | BFJS VfM Report   |
| 103             | Virgin Gorda Baths  | Phase One                     | January 2020  | 60.5/100  | VG Baths VfM Report   |

| Project<br>Code | Project                                      | Programme | Month of<br>Completion | Overall<br>VfM<br>Score | VfM Report   |
|-----------------|--|-----------|------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| 157             | Repair to Damaged<br>Homes                   | Phase One | January 2020           | 70/100                  | <u>Repair to Damaged Homes</u><br><u>VfM Report</u>              |
| 147             | ESHS - Temporary<br>Classrooms<br>ESHS CTL - | Phase One | September 2019         | 80/100                  | ESHS Temporary<br>Classrooms VfM Report<br>ESHS CTL Improvements |
|                 | Improvements                                 |           | August 2019            | 70/100                  | VfM Report   |
| 182             | Virgin Gorda Police<br>Barracks Repair       | Phase One | July 2019              | 78.9/100                | <u>VG Police Barracks VfM</u><br><u>Report</u>                   |
| 183             | Jost Van Dyke Admin<br>Building Repair       | Phase One | August 2019            | 65.0/100                | <u>JVD Admin Building VfM</u><br><u>Report</u>                   |
| 146             | ESHS Demolition                              | Phase One | June 2019              | 100/100                 | ESHS Demolition VfM<br>Report                                    |
| 160             | VG Admin Building –<br>Cleaning & Waltsco    | Phase One | April 2019             | N/A                     | N/A  |
| 108             | Special Debris Clearance                     | Phase One | April 2019             | 64.7/100                | Special Debris Clearance<br>VfM Report                           |

#### Value for Money Trends



Based on a compendium of the Value for Money (VfM) Assessments conducted thus far on completed projects, an overall narrative has become clear. The RDA has generally been good at producing the outputs set out for it, and these outputs have generally led to expected broader outcomes. There is room for improvement in completing these projects within the expected timeframe (Schedule) and established time benchmarks (Time Efficiency). Additionally, it is clear that there is scope for improvement on project costing estimations, and on ensuring that end-products adequately meet user expectations (Quality). Based on these general findings and other specific lessons identified in individual VfM assessments, the RDA is employing time saving techniques and has aimed to better capture user requirements through more extensive planning efforts in early stages of project implementation.

## Implementation Progress – Projects Completed

The Recovery to Development Plan was designed to pursue achievement of specific outcome goals for the people of the Territory, within five distinct sectors. These five sectors and their contributive subsectors are indicated in the table below. Additionally, it is important to note that in the interest of holistic sustainable development of the Territory, these five sectors and contributive subsectors have been aligned with the Territory's approved National Sustainable Development Plan's (NSDP) goals and outcomes. Alignment with the NSDP ensures that programme and project interventions to the national vision, goals and policy objectives in the plan.

| RDP SECTOR                     | RDP SUBSECTOR                  | NATIONAL SUSTAINABLE<br>DEVELOPMENT PLAN<br>(NSDP) GOALS | NATIONAL SUSTAINABLE<br>DEVELOPMENT PLAN<br>(NSDP) OUTCOMES |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|---|
|                                | Education                      |  | An educated and highly                                      |
| 1) Cohesive and<br>Empowered   | Pride and Cultural<br>Identity | Education and Learning                                   | skilled population  |
| Society                        | Housing                        | Health and Wellness                                      | Adaptive and Shock<br>Responsive Social                     |
|                                |                                |  | Protection Systems  |
| 2) Vibrant and                 | Agriculture and                |  | Diversified Economy and                                     |
| Innovative                     | Fisheries                      | Economy  | Globally Competitive  |
| Economy                        | Tourism                        |  | Industries  |
|                                | Roads                          | Infrastructure   | Transportation and  |
| 3) Resilient<br>Infrastructure | Seaports                       |  | Logistics   |
| minastructure                  | Water and Sewerage             | Sustainable Energy and                                   | Water and Sewerage  |
|                                |                                | Water  | Renewable Energy  |
|                                | Environmental                  |  | Environmental   |
| 1) Nurturad and                | Protection                     |  | Sustainability  |
| 4) Nurtured and<br>Sustainable | Waste Management               | Environmental  |   |
| Environment                    |                                | Sustainability   | Hazard Risk Reduction and                                   |
| Linnonment                     | Disaster Management            |  | Adaptation to Climate                                       |
|                                |                                |  | Change  |
|                                | Model Good                     |  | Efficiency and  |
| 5) Good                        | Governance                     | Good Governance and<br>Leadership                        | Effectiveness of  |
| Governance                     | Governance                     |  | Government  |
| Governance                     | Security and Safety for        |  | Peace, Justice, Safety and                                  |
|                                | All                            |  | Security for All  |

Each project implemented by the RDA resides within a specific subsector and pursues the overarching outcome for that subsector. The table below demonstrates the RDA's progress to date in implementing assigned project interventions by subsector. Projects listed below were assigned to the RDA based on the

Recovery to Development Plan and thereafter ad-hoc. Note that the table highlights the proportion of funded project interventions that have been completed. As such, since the inception of the RDA, of the 55 funded project interventions slated for implementation, a total of 40 (73%) have been completed.

| SUBSECTOR                    | OUTCOME<br>STATEMENT  | PROJECT<br>INTERVENTIONS<br>PURSUED   | PROJECTS<br>COMPLETED  | PERCENTAGE<br>COMPLETION |
|------------------------------|---|---|--|--------------------------|
| AGRICULTURE<br>AND FISHING   | A strong and<br>sustainable<br>agricultural and<br>fisheries sector that<br>diversifies the<br>economy, encourages<br>the growth of small<br>businesses, adds to<br>the tourist offering<br>and promotes<br>improved food<br>security with less<br>reliance on imported<br>foods. | Agriculture and<br>Fisheries Complex<br>Farmers' Reservoir  |  | 0/2<br>0%                |
| EDUCATION:                   | An education system<br>that is modern and<br>well-resourced,<br>providing<br>opportunities for a<br>highly skilled, globally<br>competitive<br>population that can<br>participate and<br>contribute to a<br>sustainable Virgin<br>Islands economy.                                | Bregado Flax<br>Educational Centre<br>ESHS Demolition<br>ESHS Temporary<br>Classrooms<br>BFJS Internal Walls<br>Redevelopment of<br>Elmore Stoutt High<br>School<br>Jost Van Dyke<br>Multipurpose Fac.<br>Eslyn Henley<br>Richiez Learn. Ctr. | Bregado Flax<br>Educational Centre<br>ESHS Demolition<br>ESHS Temporary<br>Classrooms<br>BFJS Internal Walls<br>Redevelopment of<br>Elmore Stoutt High<br>School<br>Jost Van Dyke<br>Multipurpose Fac. | 6/7<br>86%               |
| ENVIRONMENTAL<br>PROTECTION: | The protection and<br>prioritisation of the<br>environment for<br>future generations,<br>embedding<br>environmentally<br>sustainable<br>approaches to the use<br>of the terrestrial and<br>marine environment.  | Marine Survey   | Marine Survey  | 1/1<br>100%              |

#### Table 9: Implementation Progress – Completed Projects

| SUBSECTOR                        | OUTCOME<br>STATEMENT  | PROJECT<br>INTERVENTIONS<br>PURSUED  | PROJECTS<br>COMPLETED   | PERCENTAGE<br>COMPLETION |
|----------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------------------|
| HOUSING:                         | Access to safe,<br>healthy, affordable,<br>resilient living spaces<br>for all persons in the<br>Territory.  | Housing Repairs<br>Temporary Housing   | Housing Repairs<br>Temporary Housing  | 2/2<br>100%              |
| MODEL GOOD<br>GOVERNANCE:        | Effective and<br>responsible<br>governance of the<br>Territory by adhering<br>to the principles of<br>integrity,<br>accountability,<br>transparency and<br>improved<br>effectiveness and<br>efficiency in the<br>delivery of public<br>services.                                | VG Admin -Cleaning<br>North Sound (John<br>C. George) Admin<br>Flax Admin Bldg<br>Vanterpool Admin<br>Anegada (Faulkner)<br>Admin<br>JVD Admin Bldg                                    | VG Admin -Cleaning<br>North Sound (John<br>C. George) Admin<br>Flax Admin Bldg<br>Vanterpool Admin<br>Anegada (Faulkner)<br>Admin<br>JVD Admin Bldg | 6/6<br>100%              |
| PRIDE &<br>CULTURAL<br>IDENTITY: | Diversity of the<br>Territory's cultural<br>identity and heritage<br>showcased with<br>promotions of<br>culture, history and<br>traditions, and<br>cultivation of talent,<br>arts, sports, and<br>creative industries.  | AO Shirley<br>Recreation<br>Grounds<br>A. Jeffery Caines<br>Sports Arena<br>Anegada Recreation<br>Facility<br>Heritage Village<br>Restore museums,<br>historical and<br>heritage sites | A. Jeffrey Caines<br>Sports Arena<br>Anegada Recreation<br>Facility   | 2/5<br>40%               |
| RENEWABLE<br>ENERGY:             | A more resilient<br>energy system with<br>lower electricity costs<br>from the deployment<br>of modern renewable<br>energy technology,<br>which combined with<br>best-practice resource<br>management, can<br>deliver a stronger,<br>smarter, greener,<br>better Virgin Islands. | Leonora Delville<br>Ivan Dawson<br>Jost van Dyke<br>Enis Adams<br>Francis Lettsome<br>Power Boxes  | Leonora Delville<br>Ivan Dawson<br>Jost van Dyke Clinic<br>Enis Adams<br>Francis Lettsome   | 5/6<br>83%               |
| ROADS:                           | High quality road<br>network and coastal<br>defenses with   | Great Mountain I<br>Great Mountain II<br>Hope to Sabbath   | Great Mountain I<br>Great Mountain II<br>Hope to Sabbath  | 9/9<br>100%              |

| SUBSECTOR                     | OUTCOME<br>STATEMENT   | PROJECT<br>INTERVENTIONS<br>PURSUED  | PROJECTS<br>COMPLETED   | PERCENTAGE<br>COMPLETION |
|-------------------------------|--|--|---|--------------------------|
|                               | resilient designs<br>based on climate risk<br>factors, flood risk<br>mapping, and supplies<br>from recycled<br>materials.  | Little Dix Hill<br>Bob's Gas Station<br>Ballast Bay<br>Long Trench<br>Fish Bay   | Little Dix Hill<br>Bob's Gas Station<br>Ballast Bay<br>Long Trench<br>Fish Bay<br>Asphaltic Works   |                          |
| SEAPORTS:                     | Rehabilitated and<br>expanded port<br>facilities and services<br>throughout the<br>Territory.  | Sea Markers<br>West End Ferry<br>Terminal  | Sea Markers   | 1/2<br>50%               |
| SECURITY &<br>SAFETY FOR ALL: | Provision of safety,<br>security and rights of<br>our people and<br>strengthened borders<br>through law<br>enforcement<br>capability, resources<br>and engagement. | Road Town Police<br>Station<br>VG Police Barracks<br>Estate House #1<br>VG Police Station<br>Virgin Islands Law<br>Enforcement<br>Marine Base<br>Halls of Justice<br>Immigration<br>Detention Centre | Road Town Police<br>Station<br>VG Police Barracks<br>Estate House #1<br>VG Police Station<br>Virgin Islands Law<br>Enforcement<br>Marine Base | 5/7<br>71%               |
| TOURISM:                      | Improved tourism<br>product that is<br>aesthetically<br>appealing and<br>provides an enhanced<br>experience to our<br>visitors.                                    | VG Baths<br>Trellis Bay<br>Welcome Centre  | VG Baths  | 1/2<br>50%               |
| WASTE & DEBRIS<br>MANAGEMENT: | Comprehensive waste<br>management with<br>effective waste<br>collection and<br>disposal.   | Special Debris<br>Clearance<br>Incinerator<br>Dismantling<br>Relocate Tortola<br>Landfill<br>Solid Waste<br>Management   | Special Debris<br>Clearance<br>Incinerator<br>Dismantling   | 2/4<br>50%               |
| WATER &<br>SEWERAGE:          | A more effective<br>water and sewerage<br>infrastructure with an<br>efficient supply of<br>water and distribution  | Long Bush<br>Reservoirs &<br>Metering  | Long Bush<br>Reservoirs &<br>Metering   | 3/4<br>75%               |

| SUBSECTOR | OUTCOME<br>STATEMENT  | PROJECT<br>INTERVENTIONS<br>PURSUED  | PROJECTS<br>COMPLETED  | PERCENTAGE<br>COMPLETION |
|-----------|---|--|--|--------------------------|
|           | systems, equitable<br>access to a reliable<br>water supply, and an<br>improved sewerage<br>network. | Carrot Bay<br>Reservoirs &<br>Metering<br>Zion Hill Reservoirs<br>& Metering<br>Upgrade and<br>expand water<br>supply and<br>distribution<br>network | Carrot Bay<br>Reservoirs &<br>Metering<br>Zion Hill Reservoirs<br>& Metering |                          |
|           | 43/57<br>75%  |  |  |                          |

## Implementation Progress – Sectoral Outcomes

The following are the outcome goals by subsector, with a list of project interventions which the RDA has pursued since inception, as well as specific related outcome indicators monitored as evidence of progress within each subsector:

| SUBSECTOR:<br>• Project Interventions  | OUTCOME STATEMENT  | INDICATOR  |
|--|--|--|
| AGRICULTURE AND FISHING:<br>• Agriculture and Fisheries<br>Complex<br>• Farmers' Reservoir   | A strong and sustainable agricultural and<br>fisheries sector that diversifies the<br>economy, encourages the growth of<br>small businesses, adds to the tourist<br>offering and promotes improved food<br>security with less reliance on imported<br>foods. | Millions \$ contribution of<br>agriculture and fishing to<br>Gross Domestic Product<br>(Source: CSO) 2017 2018 2019 2020                   |
| EDUCATION:<br>• Bregado Flax<br>• Temporary Classrooms<br>• Redevelopment of Elmore<br>Stoutt High School<br>• Jost Van Dyke School<br>• Eslyn Henley Richiez Learning<br>Centre | An education system that is modern and<br>well-resourced, providing opportunities<br>for a highly skilled, globally competitive<br>population that can participate and<br>contribute to a sustainable Virgin Islands<br>economy.                             | Proportion of students in<br>schools fully repaired and<br>equipped with modern<br>facilities to meet education<br>needs<br>(Source: MEYS) |
| <b>ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION:</b><br>• Marine Survey  | The protection and prioritisation of the<br>environment for future generations,<br>embedding environmentally sustainable<br>approaches to the use of the terrestrial<br>and marine environment.  | Enhanced regulatory and enforcement laws and policies implemented to protect the environment   |

#### Table 10: Implementation Progress – Sectoral Outcomes

| SUBSECTOR:<br>• Project Interventions  | OUTCOME STATEMENT   | INDICATOR  |    |
|--|---|--|----|
| <u>HOUSING:</u><br>• Housing Repairs<br>• Temporary Housing  | Access to safe, healthy, affordable,<br>resilient living spaces for all persons in<br>the Territory.  | Vulnerable households<br>having housing needs met<br>(Source: RDA Project Managers)<br>0<br>2018<br>2019<br>20   | 20 |
| MODEL GOOD GOVERNANCE:<br>• North Sound (John C. George)<br>Admin<br>• Flax Admin Bldg<br>• Vanterpool Admin<br>• Anegada (Faulkner) Admin<br>• JVD Admin Bldg | Effective and responsible governance of<br>the Territory by adhering to the<br>principles of integrity, accountability,<br>transparency and improved<br>effectiveness and efficiency in the<br>delivery of public services. | 96         Proportion of public servants working in safe, acceptable facilities         95         (Source: DGO)         94.5         93.5         2018       2019         2018       2019 | 0  |
| PRIDE & CULTURAL IDENTITY:<br>• AO Shirley Recreation Grounds<br>• A. Jeffery Caines Sports Arena<br>• Anegada Recreation Facilities<br>• Heritage Village     | Diversity of the Territory's cultural<br>identity and heritage showcased with<br>promotions of culture, history and<br>traditions, and cultivation of talent, arts,<br>sports, and creative industries.                     | Able to host regional and international sporting events  |    |

| SUBSECTOR:<br>• Project Interventions   | OUTCOME STATEMENT   |  | INDICATOR   |
|---|---|--|---|
| RENEWABLE ENERGY:<br>• Renewable Energy Installations   | A more resilient energy system with<br>lower electricity costs from the<br>deployment of modern renewable<br>energy technology.   | Gallons of fossil fuel<br>imports, per capita<br>(Source: CSO)           | 1,000.00<br>800.00<br>600.00<br>400.00<br>200.00<br>-<br>2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 |
| ROADS:<br>• Great Mountain I<br>• Great Mountain II<br>• Hope to Sabbath<br>• Little Dix Hill<br>• Bob's Gas Station<br>• Ballast Bay<br>• Long Trench<br>• Fish Bay<br>• Asphaltic Works | High quality road network and coastal<br>defenses with resilient designs based on<br>climate risk factors, flood risk mapping,<br>and supplies from recycled materials. | Miles of well-designed road<br>network<br>(Source: RDA Project Managers) | 0.8<br>0.6<br>0.4<br>0.2<br>0<br>2019 2020 2021 2022                              |
| <u>SEAPORTS:</u><br>• Sea Markers<br>• <i>West End Ferry Terminal</i>   | Rehabilitated and expanded port<br>facilities and services throughout the<br>Territory.   | Passenger arrivals by sea<br>(Source: CSO)                               | 400,000<br>300,000<br>200,000<br>100,000<br>- 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022       |

| SUBSECTOR:<br>• Project Interventions   | OUTCOME STATEMENT  |   | INDICATOR  |
|---|--|---|--|
| SECURITY & SAFETY FOR ALL:<br>• Road Town Police Station<br>• VG Police Barracks<br>• VG Police Station<br>• Estate House #1<br>• Joint Marine Shore Base<br>• Halls of Justice<br>• Immigration Detention Centre | Provision of safety, security and rights of<br>our people and strengthened borders<br>through law enforcement capability,<br>resources and engagement.   | Police facilities equipped<br>with modern facilities to<br>meet needs<br>(Source: RVIPF)        | 100%<br>50%<br>0%<br>2018 2019 2020 2021   |
| TOURISM:<br>• VG Baths<br>• Trellis Bay Welcome Centre  | Improved tourism product that is<br>aesthetically appealing and provides an<br>enhanced experience to our visitors.  | Tourism expenditure<br>estimate<br>(Source: CSO)  | 600,000,000<br>400,000,000<br>200,000,000<br>- 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022  |
| WASTE & DEBRIS MANAGEMENT:<br>• Special Debris Clearance<br>• Incinerator Dismantling<br>• Solid Waste Management   | Comprehensive waste management<br>with effective waste collection and<br>disposal.   | Tons of waste recycled<br>(Source: GoVI Budget – DWM)   | 200<br>150<br>100<br>50<br>0<br>2020<br>2021   |
| WATER & SEWERAGE:<br>• Long Bush Reservoirs &<br>Metering<br>• Carrot Bay Reservoirs &<br>Metering<br>• Zion Hill Reservoirs & Metering   | A more effective water and sewerage<br>infrastructure with an efficient supply of<br>water and distribution systems,<br>equitable access to a reliable water<br>supply, and an improved sewerage<br>network. | Gallons of useable water<br>storage installed in<br>Territory<br>(Source: RDA Project Managers) | 2,000,000<br>1,500,000<br>1,000,000<br>500,000<br>$e^{c^{2}P} e^{b^{2}T} A^{p^{2}T} y^{p^{2}T} A^{y^{2}T} O^{c^{2}T} b^{e^{c^{2}T}}$ |