



Kenya Mutual Accountability Mechanisms (MAM) Commitments

1. Review the **enabling environment's responsiveness** with a view to strengthen it to accelerate the realization of SDG 6.1 and 6.2 targets by **June 2024**
2. Strengthen **the sector monitoring and reporting framework** for increased accountability by **June 2024**
3. **Develop water, sanitation and hygiene financing strategy** to support investment plans by **December 2023**
4. **Support Countrywide scale up of water, sanitation and hygiene services** without leaving anyone behind by **December 2022**
5. Strengthen sector **coordination** for improved governance by **December 2024**

Commitment 1

Review the **enabling environment's responsiveness** with a view to strengthen it to accelerate the realization of SDG 6.1 and 6.2 targets by June 2024

Stakeholders	Commitments
Government	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Finalise the National Water Policy to provide a framework for regulation and management of the sector by March 2022 ii. Review the National Water Services and Sewerage Strategy by June 2022 iii. Develop the Draft National Sanitation Management Policy by March 2022 iv. Develop Sanitation Management Strategy by June 2022 v. Disseminate the Menstrual Hygiene Management Policy to all the 47 Counties by March 2022 vi. Launch and disseminate urban sanitation guidelines to all the 47 Counties and regulated water services providers by June 2022
Development Partners	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Contribute to completion of the National Water Policy and review the framework, strategies, policies and bills that the Government will prepare by March by December 2021; ii. Organise fora for sharing of lessons and knowledge, leverage on comparative advantages and build synergies in support of the GoK policy and regulatory frameworks on water, sanitation and hygiene by August 2022

Non-State Actors	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Provide technical support for the review and development of various sector policies, strategies and guidelines by December 2021 ii. Monitor and track the development and review of the various sector policies, strategies and guidelines and assess the progress towards their finalization iii. Support the dissemination and implementation of the various policy documents
Private Sector	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Engage with key government stakeholders on upcoming policy initiatives targeting SDG 6 ii. Undertake analysis of existing policies that relate to realisation of SDG 6
Research & Learning Institutions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Support the review of regulatory and institutional frameworks for the WASH sector.

Commitment 2

Strengthen the **sector monitoring and reporting framework** for increased accountability by June 2024

Stakeholders	Commitments
Government	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Review and update indicators in the existing National Data Capturing tools by June 2024 ii. Develop a national sanitation status Atlas by December 2023 iii. Develop national and County sanitation profiles by December 2021 iv. Prepare the Annual Water and Sanitation Status Report by December 2022 and December 2024
Development Partners	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Provide technical inputs to the sector baselines, monitoring, management and presentation tools that will be developed by December 2021 ii. Review and provide inputs to the sanitation status atlas and annual water and sanitation status report by December 2021 iii. Contribute to co-ordination among partners working on different aspects of data collection and management including vertical collaboration between the County and National level as well as horizontal between the Ministry and KNBS by December 2021. iv. Facilitate knowledge management and learning fora based on good practice and lessons by December 2021
Non-State Actors	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Provide technical expertise and contribute (knowledge resources) in development of a centralized national water and sanitation data platform that is updated continually or periodically by June 2021 ii. Development partners' planned strategic objectives' outputs that are within water and sanitation sector are incorporated into the multi – year government projections, by December 2021. These plans are updated annually. iii. Continuously provide program sector monitoring support and variance adjustment recommendations into the monitoring plan towards realization of eventual objectives of SDG 6.1 and 6.2 targets by June 2022 and provide mutual accountability

Private Sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Collaborate with key stakeholders in the sector as relates to creation of or implementation of toolkits that aid in M&E of SDG 6 (e.g. CLTS tools and protocols) ii. Improve nationwide monitoring & reporting through offering the Ministry of Water relevant data from private sector companies in sanitation iii. Work with the government to incorporate the measurement of non-sewered sanitation in the sanitation policy and strategy by December 2021
Research & Learning Institutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Support review existing National reporting frameworks to feed into global platforms

Commitment 3

Develop Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Financing Strategy to support investment plans by December 2023

Stakeholders	Commitments
Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Develop Water and Sanitation Financing Strategy by June 2022
Development Partners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Facilitate synergies and coordinated support to GoK towards development and implementation of the proposed water and sanitation financing strategy by December 2021 ii. Collaborate with the Ministry to keep track of financing in the sector and to mobilise more funds through innovative financing in the sector by December 2021 iii. Promote sanitation development through development and implementation of a National Strategy and common approach for the sector domesticated in Counties by June 2022
Non-State Actors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Provide technical support and participate in the development of; a) Water financing strategy b) Sanitation and Hygiene financing strategy and monitor its progress towards finalization by December 2021 ii. Advocate and lobby for the creation of a sanitation vote head and budget line by 2021 progressively monitor the expenditure of sanitation budget line.
Private Sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Engage with Government (Ministries, regulator, utilities) on how to possibly fund WASH from initiatives such as cross-subsidies ii. In collaboration with other key stakeholders (e.g. academia) work to demonstrate the economic case for need to investment in WASH

Research & Learning Institutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Research on tracking finance allocation and utilization in the sector.
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Commitment 4	
Support Countrywide scale up of water, sanitation and hygiene services without leaving anyone behind by December 2022	
Stakeholders	Commitments
Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Operationalise the Kenya Sanitation Alliance by November 2021. ii. Develop and launch the Kenya Sanitation campaign strategy for 15 high-burden Counties by November 2021
Development Partners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Provide information on sanitation interventions, good practice and lessons from development partners to promote awareness during the Kenya sanitation campaign by December 2021 ii. Partner with GoK before (planning), during (delivery) and after (documentation) the Kenya Sanitation Campaign by December 20
Non-State Actors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Develop a CSOs advocacy strategy to ensure inclusive WASH services for all (know what is national Government strategy, county strategy, are they aligned and identify gaps to lobby to ensure LNOB agenda) by December 2021. ii. Rally CSOs to be part of the Kenya Sanitation campaign to raise their voice and appropriate influence decisions to ensure inclusivity in WASH services. iii. Undertake and track assessment monitoring of commitment of commitment 4 and provide a shadow report by December 2021
Private Sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Engage the national Government on ways to restructure the PPP process in Kenya so as to make it easier for Private Sector to secure WASH PPPs ii. Engage National and County Governments of possible PPPs/SLAs/PCs for provision of WASH services iii. In collaboration with other key sector stakeholders undertake and participate in sustained advocacy of realisation of SDG 6 as a key development goal for Kenya
Research & Learning institutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Define indicators for reporting for the SDG 6.2

Commitment 5Strengthen sector **coordination** for improved governance by December 2024

Stakeholders	Commitments
Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Finalise the formulate, and operationalise the Water Sector Inter-Governmental Coordination Framework by December 2021 ii. Plan and convene the Annual Water and Sanitation Conference by December 2022 & 2023
Development Partners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Facilitate effective and efficient operation of the Sector Inter-Governmental Coordination Framework by June 2021. ii. Partner with GoK on the Annual Water and Sanitation Conference before, during and after the conference by December 2021.
Non-State Actors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Support and monitor the finalization of Water Sector Inter-Governmental Coordination Framework by June 2021 ii. Support government and mobilize CSOs for the Annual Water and Sanitation Conference by Dec. 2021; and make presentation on the CSOs contributions to the Water Sector.
Private Sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Attend and participate in 8 No. TWGs, meeting and workshops across different platforms to facilitate increased integration of WASH services across different contexts ii. In collaboration with other key stakeholders (e.g. Ministries, regulator) work of ensuring creation/finalization of clear institutional framework and regulatory frameworks for the WASH sector.
Research & Learning Institutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> iii. Assess the bottlenecks and challenges to coordination and recommend remedial actions to strengthen WASH sector coordination in Kenya iv. Provide technical support in conceptualising the annual sanitation conference