LOGISTICS CLUSTER COORDINATION MEETING

24 August 2023

Coordination meeting

Location: WFP Meeting room
Bor, South Sudan

Date: 24 August 2023

Chair: Logistics Cluster

Organizations

1. For Afrika
2. Norwegian People's Aid (NPA)
3. United Nation High Commission for Refugees (UNHCR)
4. United Nations Office for Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA)
5. World Food Programme (WFP)
6. World Health Organization (WHO)

Action Points

- Partners to send in representatives to the Logistics Cluster coordination meeting.
- Partners who have coordinated river movements on their own to share their experience, successes, and challenges in the coordination meeting to support other partners who plan to do the same

Agenda

- Air Operations
- Road Convoys Coordination updates
- River Operations on ODS
- BHL Trainings
- A.O.B/Discussions

Air Operations Updates

- The fixed wing is used to support Sudan response Ex-Juba to Renk & Malakal on free to user basis. Service requests are reviewed on a case-by-case.
- The Helicopter is used on ad-hoc to hard-to-reach locations depending on the criticality of the items defined by the Organization's.
- Partner organizations are encouraged to preposition via river for locations that are closer to the Nile and find alternatives of doing the last mile.

NJ and GPAA Road Convoy Updates

- All roads in and out of Bor from both GPAA and Northern Jonglei are completely inaccessible due to rain water, the Road Convoy is expected to reopen sometime in December 2023.
- LC partners are encouraged to prepare for dry season prepositioning in the coming three months.

River Operations Updates

- River transport is on WFP's On-Demand Service (ODS) full cost recovery.
- The next River movement is tentatively planned for mid September 2023, serving all Nile locations, Bahr Al-Zeraf, Sobat corridor.
- Partners to submit requests for next river convoy. Follow similar procedures, LC river operations team will pre-screen your SRFs and register your consignments ASAP.

Common Transport Service(CTS)

- Three trucks are operating in Bor for Common Transport Service (CTS), they are being tasked for shunting cargo from the Warehouses to the airstrip, and to support LC partners in moving cargo within Bor town and surrounding area within the limit of 15 Km from Bor Town. All the three trucks are fully operational.
- Always share with us the exact tonnage to be transported to help in planning the number of rotations to allocate, fill an SRF and share it to co_ssd_borlogcluster_**user_list@wfp.org**

Deep Field BHL Training

- BHL training focusing on (Warehouse Management)was successfully conducted 3rd to 4th of August 2023 in Pibor.
- Partners' are asked to request for such Trainings to be carried out in deep field locations such in Northern Jonglei where we can have more than five Organizations implementing activities.

A.O.B

- Update LC with the available Data on LCA.
- Low partner attendance registered in Logistics Cluster coordination meetings.
- There is need to understand the advantages and disadvantages of the Logistics Cluster coordinated river movements and the partners coordinated.

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Next Coordination Meeting: Thursday 19 October 2023