

African Development Bank (AfDB) Pipeline of projects – Water and Sanitation Department (AHWS)

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Country	Project Name	Expected Beneficiaries	Year of Prep / Est. Start-End	Current Development Stage	Total Cost	Funding Raised / Sources	Remaining Investment Required	Next Steps
Western Region								
Nigeria	Lagos Wastewater Treatment Project	2 million Lagos residents (~10% of population)	2025–2026; from 2027	Pre-feasibility stage	USD 750M	None yet	USD 750M – structured via PPP incl. equity, guarantees, state support	Sign ASA, conduct feasibility, finalize PPP, engage investors
Senegal	PROGEP II - Flood Management	Peri-urban Dakar residents (exact TBD)	Prep ends late 2026	Preparation phase	TBD	AfDB PPF, Gov.	To be determined – grants, concessional loans, co-financing	Launch studies, finalize plan, organize donor roundtable
Nigeria	Abuja Urban Infrastructure Development Project	1.5 million residents of satellite towns (51% women, 40% youth)	2021–2025; TBD	Design and planning stage	USD 300M	None listed	USD 300M – loan/grant/PPP mix	Finalize design and safeguards, engage investors and partners
Benin	PAVIREC – Couffo Basin IWRM	600,000 rural people (52% women)	5-year implementation	Concept validated	USD 65M	USD 5M Gov.	USD 60M – grants and concessional finance for water & ecosystems	Conduct feasibility/ESIA, engage investors, launch framework
Central Region								
Gabon	Integrated Program for the Development of Water and Energy Resources (PIVRHE)	Greater Libreville residents (numbers TBD)	2024–2026; 2026–2030	Preparation and design underway	115M UA (~USD 150M)	AfDB, WB, IsDB, Gov.	Co-financing under finalization (WB, IsDB); additional grant/loan mix possible	Finalize technical designs, conduct ESIA/RAPs, secure co-financing

Cameroon	Water and Sanitation Development Program (PDAS I)	2.2M urban and peri-urban residents	2024–2025; 2025–2030	Appraisal completed; approval pending	EUR 127M	AfDB, Gov.	EUR 40M – sanitation, climate resilience; loan/grant mix	Secure co-financiers, finalize AfDB approval, launch procurement
Eastern Region								
Uganda	Water Security for Livelihood Transformation (WSLT)	Rural: 393,133; Urban: 168,899; WFP: 26,436; Sanitation: 16,400 + 3M outreach	2026-2031: TBD	Concept finalized; stakeholder engagement	USD 125M	None listed	Full amount required – mix of sources; water, sanitation, solid waste	Define components, finalize ESIA, develop proposals, mobilize partners
Tanzania	Dodoma Water Program II	Regional urban population (numbers TBD)	2024–2025; 2026–2030	Post-Readiness Review	USD 185M	USD 20M (GoT)	USD 165M – loans, grants, blended climate finance	Complete ESIA, finalize financing, initiate procurement planning
Uganda	Water Security and Climate Resilience Project	359,331 (2024), 723,046 (2049) projection	2024–2029; TBD	Feasibility and ESIA	USD 81.24M	USD 5.35M Hilton, AWF	Approx. USD 76M – for infrastructure; AfDB expected	Stakeholder consultation, complete ESIA, secure agreements
Southern Region								
Namibia	Namibia Climate-Resilient Water and Sanitation PPP Project	300,000–500,000 in Windhoek and growth corridors	2024–2026; from 2027	Preparation underway	> USD 100M (est.)	AfDB TAS only	Full investment to be raised – mix of equity, concessional loans, guarantees	Launch feasibility and PPP structuring, investor outreach, AfDB engagement
South Africa	Mountain Dam Project	200,000 people in Mpumalanga Province	2024–2026; from 2027	Pre-feasibility complete	ZAR 1.2B (~USD 65M)	None yet	No financing request yet – will seek blended funding incl. UK-FCDO guarantee	Initiate feasibility/ESIA, structure governance, prepare investment prospectus
Zambia	Citywide Inclusive Sanitation (CWIS)	4 million urban residents across 16 towns	preparation ends 2025;2026–2032	Feasibility & ESIA ongoing	EUR 203M	TA secured, investment pipeline	EUR 153M – concessional loans, grants, PPP	Identify investors, finalize ESIA/designs, prepare implementation