

Transformation pathways for Pacific coastal food systems



Key details

Location

Kiribati, Solomon Islands

Duration

Start Feb 2023

End Mar 2026

Budget

AUD 1,965,540

Commissioned organisation

Cawthron Institute

Partners

Cawthron Institute; Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation; Live and Learn Kiribati; Pacific Community; University of Technology Sydney; World Wide Fund for Nature-Pacific

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Program

[Climate Change](#)

Project code

CLIM/2020/178



Overview

This project aims to develop and test processes and tools that build transformative capacity in the Solomon Islands and Kiribati, eventually triggering a step-change in coastal food systems evidenced by improved diet, nutrition and community health; community food self-sufficiency; enhanced climate and disaster resilience; restoration and stewardship of natural resources, and diversified livelihoods.

This will provide an evidence base that will encourage a regional shift to food systems transformation through the involvement of multiple project partners.

Expected project outcomes

- Promoting and applying traditional knowledge.
- Empowering women and youth.
- Solutions-oriented and systems-thinking and proactive mindsets.
- Emerging of leaders and champions and collective action
- Expanding community and international stakeholder networks.
- Mainstreaming of process into local development planning.

- Scaling up of enabling governance.
- Developing knowledge brokers with skills to maintain process.



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