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President George Manneh Weah in Office



PRESIDENT METER PROJECT REPORT

Promoting Political Accountability, improving Government Performance, and Inclusive Service Delivery in Liberia



ACRONYMS

AFL	Armed Forces of Liberia
AfT	Agenda for Transformation
CDC	Coalition for Democratic Change
EU	European Union
FPA	Front Page Africa
GoL	Government of Liberia
LACE	Liberia Agency for Community Empowerment
LEC	Liberia Electricity Corporation
LGA	Local Government Act
LLRA	Liberia Land Rights Act
LRA	Liberia Revenue Authority
LWSC	Liberia Water and Sewer Corporation
MCCTV	Monrovia City Corporation Television
MFDP	Ministry of Finance and Development Planning
MIA	Ministry of Internal Affairs
MoA	Ministry of Agriculture
MoCI	Ministry of Commerce and Industry
MoD	Ministry of National Defense
MoH	Ministry of Health
MoJ	Ministry of Justice
NAYMOTE	Naymote Partners for Democratic Development
NDMA	National Disaster Management Agency
NGOs	Non-Governmental Organizations
NTA	National Transit Authority
OSIWA	Open Society Initiative for West Africa
PAPD	Pro-Poor Agenda for Prosperity and Development
PDU	President's Delivery Unit
PMP	President Meter Project
SAPEC	Smallholder Agricultural Productivity Enhancement and Commercialization
SoE	State of Emergency
SIDA	Swedish International Development Agency
UL	University of Liberia
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
USAID	United States Agency for International Development
WAEC	West African Examinations Council
WASSCE	West Africa Secondary School Certificate Examination
WHO	World Health Organization

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1.0 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

President George Weah was inaugurated in 2018 to a presidential term of six years. General and presidential elections are set to be held on October 10, 2023. President Weah and dozens of legislators have declared their intention to contest the elections.

Over the last five years (January 2018 to December 2022), Naymote Partners for Democratic Development has tracked presidential promises and reported on the status of their implementation annually. This year report comes ten months to the general and presidential election. George Weah was elected on a mantra of ‘change’ and his key promises included economic reforms that would ensure substantial Liberian participation in the economy, fighting corruption and enhancing service delivery. These promises were articulated in the 2017 election manifesto of the Coalition for Democratic Change (CDC), several campaign speeches before the election, the inaugural address, and in policy statements (like the Pro-Poor Agenda for Prosperity and Development, PAPD) and presidential addresses.

This report documents promises, and policies made by President Weah during and after the 2017 presidential campaign. The aim is to promote political accountability, influence public policy, and stimulate discussions among citizens and stakeholders. This discussion will hopefully empower and give voters a voice in reviewing the social contract between them and their leaders.

This edition of the President Meter Project reports on 292 promises made by the president, his political party, and the government over the last five years.

Of the 292 promises, 65 promises came from the Coalition for Democratic Change 2017 Manifesto, 34 from campaign speeches, policy statements, presidential priority projects (3Ps), and Annual Messages to the Legislature, 6 from the COVID-19 State of Emergency (SoE) relief support 8 from Pillar 4 of the PAPD, 167 from the President’s Nationwide County tour of 2021 and 2022, 8 from the President’s speech at the U.S. Summit for Democracy held in December 2021, and 4 from the President 65th Armed Forces Day Message on February 11, 2022.

This assessment found that only 8% (24 promises) have been fully implemented by the government over the last five years. The assessment also found that implementation of 91 promises (31% of all promises) were ongoing during the reporting period. Therefore, out of all promises, attempts have been made on only 39% (the sum of those completed and those with ongoing activities).

Nearly two-thirds of all promises, 61% or 177 promises, were identified as ‘Not started/ not rated’ because the government had not commenced work on their implementation, and there was no available information on the status of those promises.

The majority of the promises implemented are promises under Pillar 2 of the Manifesto (Economy and Jobs). These constituted (56%) of all completed promises. Specifically, promises on infrastructural development received a high completion rate — constituting 38% of all completed promises. Pillar 1 of the Manifesto (Power to the People) which has a total of 106 promises, has the lowest completion rate of 8%. Although the completion rate under Pillar 4 (Governance and Transparency) remains the lowest, the assessment however observed that implementation of some promises under this thematic area was ongoing and these could take several years due to the complex nature of the institutional and legislative reforms that may be required to fully implement them.

Additionally, the assessment found that there was limited efforts by the government on promises centered on ‘Physically Challenge and Senior Citizens’, and action was taken on only 1 out of 10 promises under

this sector. However, the government made progress by taking action on all 8 promises under ‘Gender Equality’.

As the Weah-led government completes its six-year mandate, it is time for the government leads internal processes of self-evaluation and prioritizes specific sectors for implementation ahead of the end of the mandate. In particular, fulfilling promises on governance, accountability and anti-corruption are crucial as they were a key part of the many policy speeches that elicited support for President Weah during the presidential campaign and after the inauguration. Implementing promises in these areas are crucial for strengthening institutions and laying the foundations for delivering on all other promises.

2.0 INTRODUCTION:

This report is the fifth edition of the President Meter (WeahMeter) project which tracks and reports on promises made by President Weah and the CDC government. The President Meter (or WeahMeter) is a democratic monitoring tool used by Naymote Partners for Democratic Development to provide an independent assessment of the implementation of the campaign and post-election promises made by President George Manneh Weah and the Coalition for Democratic Change (CDC) during the 2017 elections and after he took office in January 2018. This initiative seeks to promote transparency and political accountability to cement the social contract between Liberians and their elected officials.

The aim is to inform citizens about the President’s performance against promises he made during the period under review, and to improve communication between the people and the government. Further, the Naymote PADD and its partners hope that citizens would use the information provided in the report to measure the performance of their government and hold the government accountable from a more informed position.

President Weah’s election was historic. This was the first time in 73 years that a peaceful transition of political power from one democratically elected government to another took place in Liberia. President Weah and the CDC won on the slogan: **“Change for Hope”** promising equal opportunity for all Liberians. The change agenda in the CDC’s 2017 Manifesto is boldly articulated in the following words:

“It is time for change; a change that will move Liberia from a low to a middle income country, where the affordability of basic goods and services will no longer be a luxury accessible to the privileged, but rather a right for all Liberians; where the practice of corruption, injustice, resource mismanagement and low performance will have no place in our society; and where our resources will develop people, infrastructure and institution” President George M. Weah, (CDC’s Manifesto).

and Transparency. When the party came to power, these four pillars were adapted to develop the country’s national development plan, now called the Pro-Poor Agenda for Prosperity and Development (PAPD), 2018 to 2023.

Although George Weah did not participate in any of the public debates attended by other presidential candidates where campaign pledges and promises were presented to the voters, he however presented his governance and development promises through campaign speeches and the CDC Manifesto, as well as post-election policy statements made upon taking office as president.

From the CDC Manifesto, campaign, and post-campaign speeches, Naymote Partners for Democratic Development tracked, documented, and rated a total of 292 promises from January 2018 to December 2022. On January 25, 2018, the President announced Presidential Priority Projects (3Ps) to begin the process of cutting waste, realigning the national budget, and re-purposing resources to address critical challenges in a range of areas.

The 3Ps formed the government's agenda for the next few months until the PAPD was adopted. There were 13 projects identified under the 3Ps and all have been tracked by the President Meter project.

This project was based on the following theories of change embedded into three thoughts: (i) When citizens have access to reliable and timely information on status of promises, they can make informed decisions at the ballot box; (ii) When citizens are more informed about government's actions, it leads to democratic accountability; and (iii) When citizens have access on the status of government's promises, it makes misinformation less attractive to the government.

3.0 METHODOLOGY:

This project adopted several distinct yet interrelated monitoring and quantitative data collection tools to track and document the promises. They included:

Extraction: All the promises contained in this report were extracted from the CDC Manifesto of 2017, campaign speeches and post-election promises. We extracted these promises from official documents to avoid a situation of subjective bias in the selection of promises; and we made sure that all information was already in the public for quick referencing.

Media Monitoring: Promises were systematically tracked using different sets of tools or checklists (See performance analysis matrix). Seven national radio stations were monitored daily during the morning and afternoon hours to gather information about the government's performance. The seven radio stations monitored during the project were ELBC (state-owned), Truth FM, ECOWAS Radio, Power FM, Prime FM, OK FM, and Fabric 101. Three television stations— ELTV (state-owned), Sky TV, and Power TV— were monitored daily during the evening hours to track visual presentation of progress made on the implementation of promises. Newspapers were also monitored daily for stories on pre- and post-campaign promises.

On-Site Visitations: We made on-site visits to locations where physical infrastructure development projects were taking place. This was intended to verify the status of the projects and to generate evidence.

Online platforms: We monitored online platforms including the Executive Mansion website (www.emansion.gov.lr) where information about the government's activities is posted.

Official Correspondence: We sent official written communications to government officials requesting information on the status of promises being implemented. This was intended to obtain official reactions from those supervising project implementation and verify claims in various media outlets.

Database: A database was established where all information generated from the various tracking tools was stored and collated. To ensure accuracy and reliability, information collated was triangulated using primary data sources gathered by NAYMOTE, reports from other civil society organizations (CSOs), independent media reports, and interviews. Through this triangulation method, data was analyzed, findings were generated, and conclusions made whether a promise could be classified as *completed, ongoing, not started* or *not rated*.

Limitation: Some promises were not descriptive, concrete, and measurable and this made it difficult to assess and verify the status of implementation.

Three key and guiding principles were adhered to in the implementation of this project. They include:

1. **Non-partisan:** The outcome of the tracking is free of political biases.
2. **Objectivity:** The findings of the tracking are not based on any person's opinion or driven by their emotions but are objectively verified.
3. **Evidence-based:** The findings are informed by evidence triangulated from at least three sources demonstrating due diligence.

The rating – Promises tracked are rated under the following categories in this reported:

Completed (C) – promises tracked and identified are fully implemented.

Ongoing (O) – promises identified during the assessment with ongoing implementation activities, but not fully completed.

Not Started/Not rated (NS) – promises on which implementation activities had not commenced during the time of the assessment and for which the team could not access information on their status.

4.0 KEY FINDINGS

This section presents an analysis of the key findings of the assessment. The detailed listing of promises with their ratings is presented in the Appendix. Figure 2 and Table 4 presents summary of 'completed', 'ongoing,' and 'not started/rated' promises.

Total promises tracked

The assessment tracked 292 promises made by President George Weah and his political party. The promises were extracted from the CDC Manifesto of 2017, speeches delivered during the presidential campaign of 2017, President Weah's inaugural address, Annual Messages to the Legislature, the Presidential Priority Projects (3Ps), the PAPD, other policy statements, and presidential addresses/speeches. Nearly half (48%) of the promises are under the theme '**Economy and Jobs**'; and the majority (81%) of all promises under this theme relate to infrastructural development projects. Following the theme of 'Economy and Jobs' are those on basic services and social welfare issues (health, education, gender equality, youth empowerment among others) categorized under the theme of '**Power to the People**'.

Promises under this theme constitute 36% of all promises. Fewer promises were made under the themes of '**Sustaining the Peace**' (5%) and '**Governance and Transparency**' (9%).

Completed promises

Out of a total of 292 promises tracked during the assessment, only 24 promises (8%) have been fully implemented by the government over the last five years. The majority of the promises implemented are promises made under Pillar 2 of the Manifesto on ‘Economy and Jobs’. These constituted (56%) of all completed promises. In particular, promises on infrastructural development received a high completion rate — constituting 38% of all completed promises. The thematic area of Pillar 4 on ‘Governance and Transparency’, which has promises on decentralization, institution building, anti-corruption and government accountability has the lowest.

The table below shows total promises and completion rates under the four pillars and the Covid-19 and Emergency relief promises.

Table 1. Completion Rate

Pillar	Total Promises	Total Completed per pillar	Completion Rate
PILLAR 1: Power to the people	106	8	8%
PILLAR 2: Economy and jobs	139	13	9.35%
PILLAR 3: Sustaining the peace	14	2	14.28%
PILLAR 4: Governance and transparency	27	0	0
COVID-19 Pandemic and State of Emergency	6	1	16.66%
	292	24	

Promises documented to have been completed since the Weah-led government assumed state power in 2018 are shown in Figure 1 below.

Figure 1. Promises Completed



Payment of the WASSCE fees for all 12th grade students (Public and Private Schools)



Renovation of the John F. Kennedy Memorial Hospital



The passage of the Land Rights Act



Reduction of salaries for public officials under the Executive Branch of Government



Pavement of the Doe Community Road to Clara Town and other feeder roads in Monrovia and Paynesville



Construction of New Kru Town Fire Victims Homes



Revised and Launched of the National School Curriculum (Grades 1-12)



Suspension of the Pre-Shipment Inspections (PSI) penalty until otherwise notified



Construction of a modern state-of-the-art market structure in Omega



Construction of the 14th Military Hospital



Donation of 30 Sewing Machines to Women in Shcieflin Township, Duazon, District #1, Margibi County



Construction of state-of-the-Art modern referral hospital in Gbediah Town, River Cess County



Construction of Emirates hospital in Bopolu, Gbarpolu County



Complete and furnish with Computers a Youth Resource Center in Foya, Lofa County



Provide Cars for Traditional Leaders in Maryland



Expand Street Lights Project to River Gee County



Construction of Market in Bo-Waterside, Grand Cape Mount County



Light up the main street of Gbarma, Gbarpolu County



Provide street lights for major streets in Zwedru



Provide motorbikes for Grand Gedeh Christian Council



Provide additional street lights in Gbarnga, Bong County



Construction of Market in Salala, Bong County



Construction and completion of the Clar Marie Weah Vocational Center for Army Wives at the Edward Binyah Kesselly Military Barracks



Organize in various counties "Pavala Hut" peace initiative meetings involving youths, elders, and women groups to reconcile our people and nation

Promises with ongoing activities

The assessment found that implementation activities were ongoing on 91 promises (31% of all promises) during the time of the assessment. This shows that despite the slow pace in completing projects, efforts were being made to fulfil more promises. For instance, 70% of all promises made under Pillar 4: Governance and Transparency had ongoing activities during the assessment. Understandably, implementation of activities under Pillar 4 may take several years due to the complex nature of the institutional and legislative reforms that may be required on a number of the promises, for instance, on decentralization, and on strengthening anti-corruption institutions. The table below shows the ‘ongoing rate’ which measures the number of projects with ongoing activities (but not completed) under each pillar.

Table 2. Ongoing Rate

Pillar	Total Promises	Total promises ongoing	Ongoing Rate
PILLAR 1: Power to the people	106	32	30.18%
PILLAR 2: Economy and jobs	139	35	25.17%
PILLAR 3: Sustaining the peace	14	4	28.57%
PILLAR 4: Governance and transparency	27	19	70.37%
COVID-19 Pandemic and State of Emergency	6	1	16.66%

Not Started /Not rated promises

Out of the 292 promises tracked during the assessment, it was found that 177 promises (61% of all promises) remain outstanding, and these have been categorized as ‘Not started/not rated’ promises in this report, indicating that implementation activities have not commenced or there was no available information on their status. As found during the assessment, the Pillar with the highest rate of ‘not started/not rated’ promises is Pillar 2. As shown in the table below, two-thirds (65.46%) of the promises under this pillar remain outstanding. The ‘not started/rated’ figures for the other pillars can also be found in the table.

Table 3. Not Started/Not Rated

Pillar	Total Promises	Total promises not started/ rated	Not started /Not rated
PILLAR 1: Power to the people	106	66	62.26%
PILLAR 2: Economy and jobs	139	91	65.46%
PILLAR 3: Sustaining the peace	14	8	57.14%
PILLAR 4: Governance and transparency	27	8	29.62%
COVID-19 Pandemic and State of Emergency	6	4	66.66%

Figure 2. Overall Rating of President Weah's Performance Against 292 Promises in five years

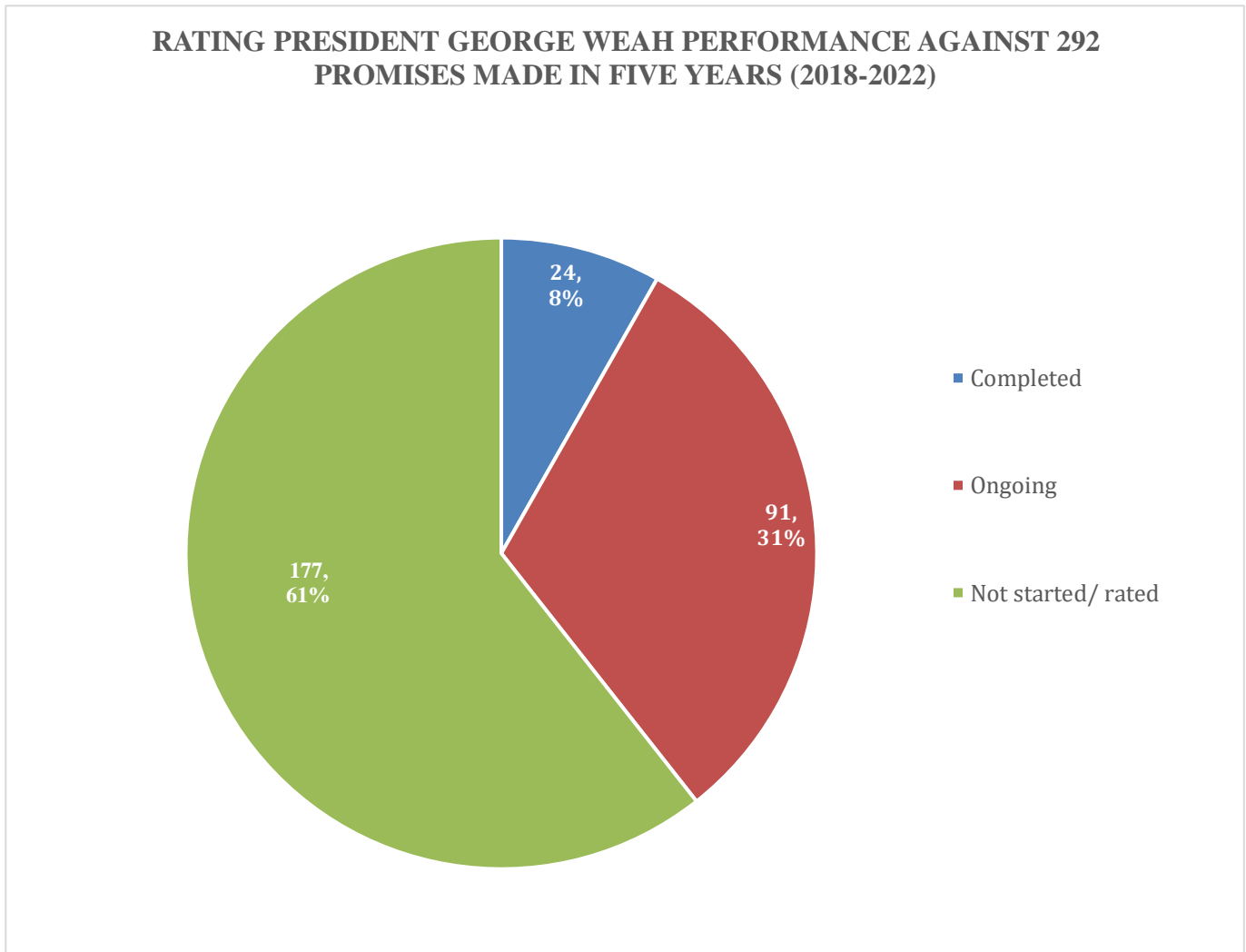


Figure 4. Rating of Promises under Pillar 1: Power to the People

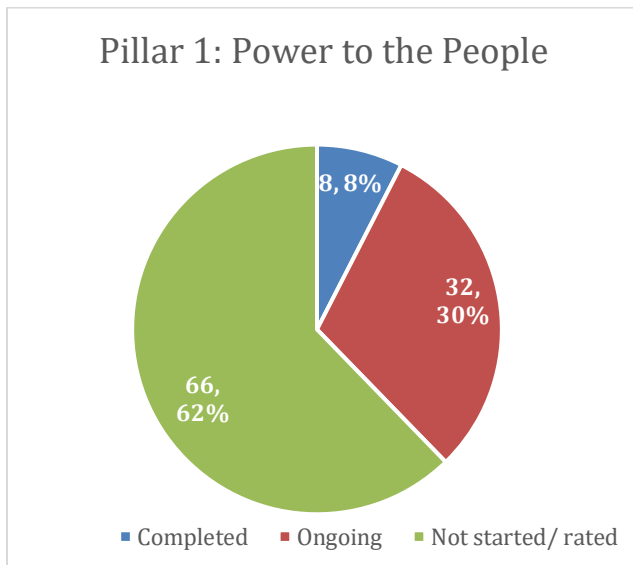


Figure 3. Rating of Promises under Pillar 2: Economy and Jobs

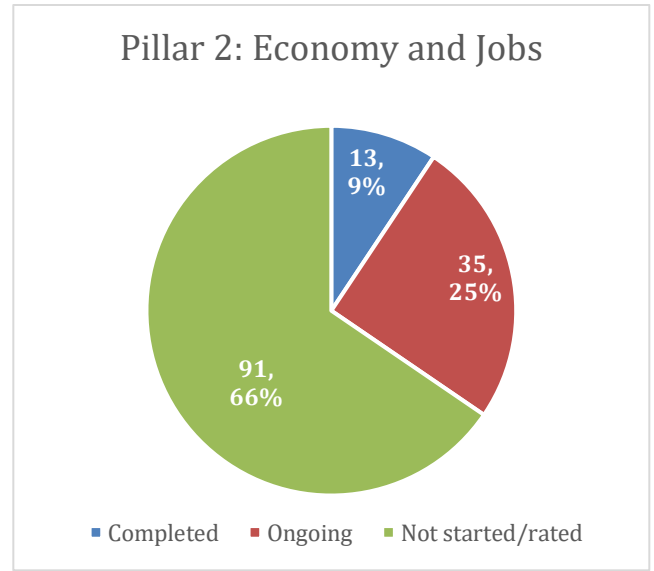


Figure 5. Rating of Promises under Pillar 3: Sustaining the Peace

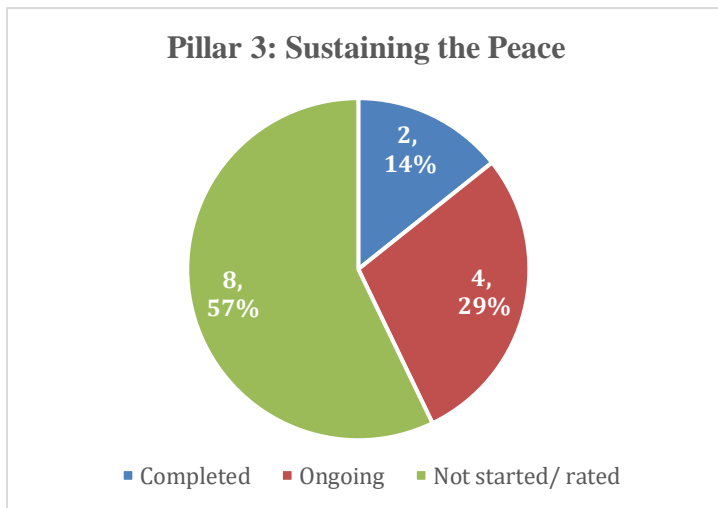
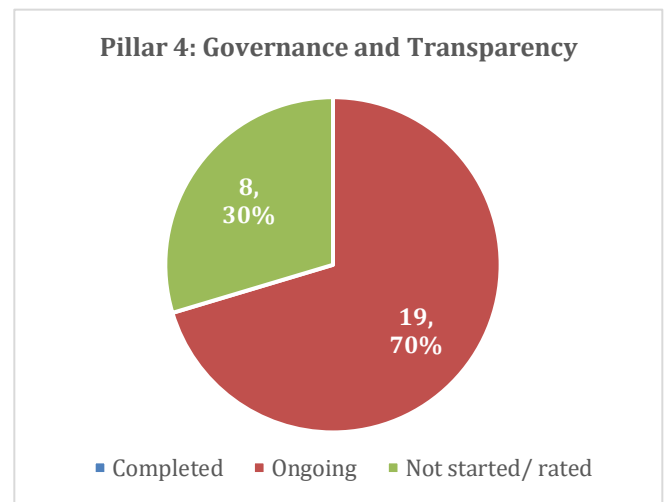


Figure 6. Rating of Promises under Pillar 4: Governance and Transparency



SUMMARY OF PERFORMANCE AGAINST 292 PROMISES MADE IN 5 YEARS (2018-2022)
by President George M. Weah

Table 4. Summary of performance against 292 promises tracked

PROMISES	COMPLETED	ONGOING	NOT STARTED/ RATED	TOTAL PROMISES
PILLAR ONE: POWER TO THE PEOPLE				
Education and Training	2	10	24	36
Health and Sanitation	4	5	15	24
Gender Equality	0	8	0	8
Youth Re-orientation and Empowerment	2	7	19	28
Physically Challenge and Senior Citizens	0	2	8	10
SUB TOTAL	8	32	66	106
PILLAR TWO: ECONOMY & JOBS				
Sustainable Economic Growth	1	5	10	16
Agriculture and Forestry	1	3	3	7
Infrastructure Development	9	26	78	113
Transportation	2	1	0	3
SUB TOTAL	13	35	91	139
PILLAR THREE: SUSTAINING THE PEACE				
Justice and Human Rights	0	1	5	6
Reconciliation	1	0	1	2
Security and National Defense	1	3	2	6
SUB TOTAL	2	4	8	14
PILLAR FOUR: GOVERNANCE & TRANSPARENCY				
Decentralization of Institutions and Systems	0	7	2	9
Accountability and Anti-Corruption	0	9	3	12
Foreign Policy and Diplomatic Relations	0	3	3	6
SUB TOTAL	0	19	8	27
COVID-19 Pandemic and SOE	1	1	4	6
SUB TOTAL	1	1	4	6
Current Status of President Weah Promises	24	91	177	292

5.0 CONCLUSION:

The findings of this assessment show that President George Weah and his government have yet to implement nearly two-thirds of the promises they have made to the people of Liberia. Numerous promises have been made, over the years, on poverty reduction, infrastructural development, social service delivery, rule of law, government accountability, and decentralization, among others. Delivering promises made in campaign manifestos and policy statements is important for sustaining trust between the government and the citizens; conversely, failing to deliver undermine trust and confidence in the authority of the government.

The government's focus on infrastructure, needed to spur jobs and growth, is understandable, but the slow pace at which they are implementing promises on crucial reforms needed to strengthen anti-corruption institutions, improve delivery capacity, and implement decentralization is concerning. Undoubtedly, these reforms would build the foundation and systems required to manage public infrastructures, sustain growth and retain jobs. For instance, making the Liberia Anti-Corruption Commission and the Public Procurement and Concession Commission more effective and efficient would potentially reduce waste, fraud and abuse, and save resources for investment in social services and infrastructure. We therefore cannot overemphasize the need to accelerate these reforms through both the policy and legislative processes.

An important challenge with tracking government promises is the dearth of data/information and the unwillingness of duty-bearers to provide information in some cases. This sometimes limits the scope of the President Meter report. Moreover, the lack of available information poses a greater challenge to accountability and government transparency. Public information on the status of government programs is important for building trust and enhancing accountability. It is crucial, therefore, that the government strengthens its public information dissemination mechanisms, and ensures periodic information on the status of all ongoing projects is provided to enhance transparency and public trust in the government.

6.0 ABOUT PARTNERS

Naymote Partners for Democratic Development is a good governance and research institution with over 20 years of professional experience working to advance the principles of democracy, rule of law and participatory governance in and out of Liberia. The institution has trained some of the most prominent young politicians in and outside of Liberia.

The institution believes that a purposeful and effective civil society is needed to set the national policy agenda, stimulate sound and healthy grassroots' response to governance issues, and influence the uneven power dynamics that characterize the relationship between Liberia's citizens and government.

Since its establishment in 2001, the institution has initiated several programs to foster political accountability to make elected leaders more accessible, responsible, and accountable to the electorates; and to build the capacity of local leaders to be more effective in the delivery of essential government services.

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The institution's partners over the years included the National Endowment for Democracy, the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), UN Peacebuilding Fund, the UN Women, the Open Society Initiative for West Africa, USAID through Democracy International, Nathan Associates and the Development Alternative Inc. The institution in September 2022 signed a three-year contract with the Swedish International Development Agency, (SIDA) valued at over One Million US Dollars to implement the Democratic Advancement Program, (DAP) across five of Liberia's fifteen counties.

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7.0 PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS: GOVERNMENT PROMISES & CURRENT STATUS (5 YEAR IN OFFICE)

PILLAR ONE: POWER TO THE PEOPLE

Education and Training

Unequal access to affordable and quality education has been one of the sources of social inequalities in Liberia. The education system is further undermined by structural conditions such as limited teacher training, weak system of monitoring and supervision, inadequate resource materials, and poor salaries for teachers, and not much has been done to address these problems. Most interventions by this government have been superficial as demonstrated in the achievements highlighted below. During the reporting period, the CDC-led government embarked on the following interventions.

Key Indicators (Status) C Completed O Ongoing NS Not Started NR Not Rated

	Promises	Sector	Status				Means of Verification	Comment
	EDUCATION AND TRAINING (36 PROMISES)		C	O	NS	NR		
1	Pay the West African Examination Council (WAEC) fees for all students sitting the exam Source: Presidential Priority Project	Education	C	O	NS	NR	Interviews conducted, Newspaper publication	Promise Completed
2	Optimize Online Registration Platform & Free Wi-Fi Internet at UL Source: Presidential Priority Project	Education	C	O	NS	NR	University of Liberia Website: (link to e-portal http://ulportal.net/login.aspx?login=1 Link to the launched story https://ul.edu.lr/?p=12780)	Registration E-Portal active and an MTN Mobile Money Fees Payment Launched. Wi-Fi Internet connectivity remains a challenge
3	Review and reform school curriculum to address 21 st century development and labor needs	Education	C	O	NS	NR	MOE Website: http://moe-liberia.org/national-curriculum/ , MoE Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/LiberiaMOE/	The Ministry of Education revised and launched a national school curriculum (Grades 1-12) to address 21 st -century development and labor needs.

4	Provide free Tuition for students in all public universities	Education		O			President George M. Weah's State of Nation Address (January 29, 2019).	An Act has been submitted to ratify and authorize the payment by the government of Liberia of tuition fees for all undergraduate students in all public universities and colleges in Liberia.
5	Enroll PSL teachers on Government Payroll	Education		O			Interview conducted and desk review,	1100 teachers added from supplementary to the regular payroll
6	Double efforts and resources to reinforce and implement the current national compulsory free education policy and Act	Education		O			The MOE Website: (http://moe-liberia.org/)	The Ministry of Education is enforcing some sections of the Education Act of 2011.
7	Reintroduce and expand the school feeding program in public schools. Source: President George M. Weah State of the Nation Address 2019	Education		O			State of the Nation Address 2019 https://thenewdawnliberia.com/school-feeding-enhances-students-performance/	US\$30 Million Investment was done to expand the school feeding to four counties in the Southeast.
8	Provide adequate and special attention to vulnerable students with a history of misconduct, learning and physical disabilities.	Education			NS		Interview conducted and desk review	No available information
9	Prioritize early learning and adult literacy programs in pre-schools and local communities.	Education		O			Interview with Assistant Minister for TVET at the Ministry of Youth & Sports	The Ministry of Youth & Sports is implementing an apprenticeship program for adults dubbed: 'Youth-On-The-Job Program'
10	Revitalize and upgrade teaching and learning facilities and programs in existing TVET institutes.	Education		O			Interview with Assistant Education Minister for Research and media monitoring.	Revitalization and upgrades of programs in TVET institutes ongoing
11	Submit for passage of the Liberia Technical Vocational Education and Training Commission Act.	Education				NR	Desk review done and interview conducted.	No is available information that action was taken to rate this promises

12	Provide Scholarship to Student Comfort Russ up to Master's level from Wee District, Grand Bassa County. Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Education		O			Field visit, interview conducted	Student currently studying in India
13	Build 50 additional annexes to the Bomi County Community College in Tubmanburg, Bomi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Education			NS		Field visit & interview conducted	No action taken and no available information on status
14	Construction of Public School in Tubmanburg, Bomi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Education			NS		Field visit & interview conducted	No action taken and no available information on status
15	Construction of Public School in Bahn, Nimba County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Education			NS		Interview and field visit conducted	No action taken and no available information on the status of construction.
16	Construction of Public School in Gbi and Dori, Nimba County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Education				NR	Interview and field visit conducted	No available information on the status
17	Upgrade all public schools in River Cess County through the Ministry of Education	Education		O			Field visits and interviews conducted	Available information on the status of construction works ongoing, teacher's quarter in progress.
18	Construct Vocational School in Fishtown, Rivergee County	Education			NS		Interview conducted; and Media Report (https://thenewdawnliberia.com/hou)	A bill has been passed by the 54th Legislature and signed into handbill by the President of Liberia to establish a vocational school in River

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021					se-passes-vocational-training-act-for-river-gee/)	Gee. However, construction has not started.
19	Donate 500 chairs to the school in Tahn (Tahn Public School), Grand Cape Mount County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Education		O		Field visits and interviews conducted	Donation of chairs are ongoing
20	Upgrade the N.V. Massaquoi Public School within the Township of West Point, District #7, Montserrado County to a Senior High School Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS	Field visit and interview conducted	Assessment conducted but actual work yet to start
21	Construction of Vocational School in the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS	Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken and no available information on status
22	Construct a Technical Vocational Education Training (TVET) Center for the young people in Old Road Community, District #10, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education				NR	Field visit and interview conducted No action taken and no available information on the status
23	Construct a Technical Vocational Education Training (TVET) Center in Duport Road-Baptist Field Community, District #4, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS	Field visits and interviews conducted	No action taken

24	Build a public library within Barnesville, District #11, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS		Field visits and interviews conducted	No action taken
25	Donate 1,250 chairs to the E. Jonathan Goodridge Public School in Barnesville, District #11, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS		Field visits and interviews conducted	No action taken
26	Renovate the E. Jonathan Goodridge Public School in Barnesville, District #11, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS		Field visits and interviews conducted	No action taken
27	Build a Testing Lab at E. Jonathan Goodridge Public School in Barnesville, District #11, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken
28	Renovation of Public School in Betu, Sasstown, Grand Kru County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Education				NR	Field visit and interview conducted	No available information on status
29	Construction of Grand Kru Technical College Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Education			NS		Field visits and interviews conducted	No action taken
30	Construction of Technical College in Pleebo City, Maryland County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Education				NR	Field visits and interviews conducted	No available information on the status

31	Fully equipped with standard computer and science labs the Gray D. Allison High School at the BTC Barracks and the Linda Thomas Greenfield Junior High School at the EBK Barracks Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NR	Field visits and interviews conducted	No available information on the status
32	Provide scholarships for the young people of New Georgia Community, District #13, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NR	Field visits and interviews conducted	No available information on the status
33	Construct a Secondary School in Chicken Soup Factory Community, District #12, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS	Field visits and interviews conducted	Not started
34	Establish a Technical and Vocational Education Training (TVET) School within the City of Brewerville, District #17, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS	Interviews conducted; desk review	Not started
35	Renovation of the G.W. Gibson High School on Capital Bye-Pass, District #8, Montserrado County. Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS	Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken
36	Construct a Technical Vocational Education Training (TVET) School in New Georgia Community, District #13, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Education			NS	Interview conducted and field visit	No action taken and no available information on the status

Health and Sanitation

Like the education sector, most Liberians lack adequate access to affordable health care services. This problem is further compounded by the lack of essential drugs, limited specialized skills among doctors, equipment and attractive salaries for health practitioners. The CDC government promised to promote the prevention of non-communicable diseases, modernize health infrastructure, introduce health care subsidy program for the impoverished, ensure clinicians undergo continuous medical education to be able to practice, and create performance-based incentives for healthcare workers. The CDC-led government embarked on the following interventions.

HEALTH AND SANITATION (24 PROMISES)								
37	Renovate the John F. Kennedy Memorial Hospital	Health	C				Site visit, media monitored, dedication ceremony	Completed
38	Construction of the 14 th Military Hospital	Health	C				Onsite Visitation, Emansion website (President Weah Dedicates 14 Military Hospital, Reaffirms Mission to Develop Liberia (emansion.gov.lr)),	Completed
39	Construction of New Redemption Hospital	Health		O			Onsite Visitation, interview conducted, Newspaper publication, & Executive Mansion Facebook page live podcast: (https://allafrica.com/stories/201808120193.html)	The construction process got started, the foundation completed, the but project is currently on stalled.
40	Enact legislation to establish a functioning health subsidy program for citizens below the poverty line	Health				NR	Field visits and interviews conducted	No available information on status
41	Establish a functional emergency medical service including referral system between primary, secondary and tertiary care.	Health				NR	Field visits and interviews conducted	No available information on status

42	Strengthen Emergency Preparedness and Response mechanisms and institutions to prevent diseases	Health		O			Media reports (WHO Website, UNDP Facebook Page and ELBC), Newspaper (Front Page Africa- November 30, 2018)	Available information on status, Emergency, and disaster policy formulated. NPHIL refurbished and dedicated Liberia veterinary diagnosis laboratory setup in Fendall.
43	Improve childhood preventable disease vaccination coverage	Health		O			Media reports, MoH Website: (http://moh.gov.lr/category/news/)	The Ministry of Health continues to carry out nationwide health vaccination for newborn.
44	Support health professionals' in-service training and career advancement.	Health		O			Media monitored, Newspaper (Daily Observer Oct. 16, 2018)	Pieces of training being conducted for specialized healthcare practitioners.
45	Construction of 150-bedroom hospital in Buchanan City	Health		O			Media Reports, Field visit and interview conducted President Weah Promises To Replace Old, Charred Government Hospital In Bassa With New One (emansion.gov.lr)	County allotted US\$ 100,000 for construction of hospital, award process completed and vendor selected, site identified but physical structure hasn't started. County Health Board set-up by MoH to supervise construction work.
46	Construction of state-of-the-Art modern referral hospital in Gbediah Town, River Cess County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Health	C				Field visit, media monitoring (MoH website Dr. Jallah Unveils State-of-the-Art Hospital In River Cess – Ministry of Health (moh.gov.lr))	Hospital constructed and dedicated on November 24, 2021, funded by government of Germany.
47	Construction of Emirates hospital in Bopolu, Gbarpolu County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Health	C				Field visit, interview conducted, media monitoring – Front Page Africa website Liberia: President, Weah Hails UAE President Construction of Emirates Hospital in Gbarpolu – FrontPageAfrica (frontpageafricaonline.com)	Hospital completed and dedicated on December 28, 2022, funded by the Government of the United Arab Emirates (UAE).
48	Construct Health Center in Clay, Bomi County	Health			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken and no available information on status

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021						
49	Relocate and construct the G. W. Harley Hospital in Sekimpa, Sanniquellie, Nimba County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Health			NS		Field visits and interviews conducted No action taken
50	Build clinic in Gwee Dulu, Nimba County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Health				NR	Field visits and interviews conducted No available information on the status
51	Construction of a Hospital in Voinjama, Lofa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Health			NS		Interview conducted and field visit No action taken
52	Renovation of Clinics in Voinjama, Lofa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Health			NS		Interview conducted and field visit No action taken
53	Donate an Ambulance to the people of the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Health				NR	Field visit and interview conducted No available information on status
54	Build a hospital in the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Health			NS		Interview conducted and field visit No action taken

55	Build new JFK Hospital on the premises of the John F. Kennedy Memorial Hospital in Sinkor, Monrovia - Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Health			NS		Interview conducted and field visit No action taken and no available information on status
56	Construction of Hospital in Sinoe County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Health			NS		Interview conducted No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
57	Construction of Clinic in Betu-Sasstown, Grand Kru County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Health			NS		Interview conducted, field visitation No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
58	Issue an Executive Order on the affordability of sanitary pad Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Health				NR	Interview conducted No available information on the status of this promise
59	Construction of a clinic/hospital within Electoral District #13, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Health			NS		Interview conducted, field visitation No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
60	Construction of Clinic in Jorquelleh 2, Bong County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Health			NS		Interview conducted, field visitation No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

Gender Equality

Gender inequality is a major challenge undermining Liberia’s development process. Social norms and practices discriminate against women, thereby undermining their ability to access education, and other crucial services. Thus, they are mostly left vulnerable to varying forms of exploitation. Women drive the informal economic sector and they make up the largest proportion of the farming population; however, they are not economically empowered. Sexual and Gender Based Violence is widespread across the country. The CDC-led Government promised to close the current gender inequality gap, and to also put an end to violence against women through the following key measures:

GENDER EQUALITY (8 PROMISES)								
61	Review existing gender policies and strengthen where needed to ensure gender equality in public and private sectors	Gender Equality		O			Interview conducted and access to policies documents	Available information on the status, currently ongoing as the MoGCSP has done a lot on Gender equality and strengthening policies
62	Establish in communities within various counties a viable adult literacy program for rural farming and market women	Gender Equality		O			The report assessed: Liberia’s CGEP 2021 (Ministry of Gender Report).	Women agriculture program developed in counties, women contributing to food crops production through planting, weeding, and harvesting of food.
63	Support and strengthen existing acts and regulations on Violence Against Women	Gender Equality		O			Executive Mansion website, FrontPage Africa reports: Liberia: Domestic Violence Act Signed into Law – FrontPageAfrica (frontpageafricaonline.com)	The Domestic Violence Act (DVA) was signed into law by the President, and National Gender Policy (NGP) for 2018-2022 was revised.
64	Establish Gender and Social Inclusion Units in all government ministries, agencies and commissions	Gender Equality		O			Interview conducted with Hon. Alice Howard, Deputy Minister / Gender, Ministry of Gender, Children and Social Protection (MoGCSP), GoL - Beijing+25 National Review Report 2019, Page 10)	Gender and Social Inclusion Units were established in all ten (10) security institutions as well as some ministries and agencies.

65	Curb Sexual and Gender Based Violence (SGBV) by 2022	Gender Equality		O			https://frontpageafricaonline.com/front-slider/liberia-days-after-anti-rape-protest-govt-unveils-us6m-road-map-to-curb-sgvb-by-2022/ https://frontpageafricaonline.com/amp/news/liberia-mcc-mogcsp-and-lcp-launch-a-national-roadmap-campaign-to-combat-sgbv/	RAPE declared as a national emergency; the appointment of a Special Prosecutor for Rape, the setting up of the National Sex Offender Registry, the establishment of the National Security Taskforce on SGBV, and the allocation of US\$2 million to beef up the fight against RAPE and SGBV.
66	Engage with traditional leaders to end all forms of harmful traditional practices Source: US Summit for Democracy 2021	Gender Equality		O			Interview conducted with Hon. Alice Howard, Deputy Minister / Gender, Ministry of Gender, Children and Social Protection (MoGCSP), media monitoring	The Government of Liberia through the Ministry of Gender, Children and Social Protection (MoGCSP) and National Traditional Council of Liberia (NTCL) signed a document closing Zoo Bushes from 11 of Liberia's 15 counties for 3-years. This has led to the Ministry of Internal Affairs putting a stop on license's insurance to new Zoos.
67	Propose an anti-female genital mutilation bill Source: US Summit for Democracy 2021	Gender Equality		O			Interview conducted, media monitoring (Daily Observer website & Front Page Africa website Liberia: Deputy Speaker Fonati Koffa Submits Bill for the Abolition of Female Genital Mutilation – FrontPageAfrica (frontpageafricaonline.com))	Bill entitled “An Act Prohibiting Female Genital Mutilation of 2022” submitted to plenary for the Abolition of Female Genital Mutilation, sponsored by Deputy Speaker Fonati Koffa
68	Prioritize the participation of more women in the electoral process and in key positions in the government	Gender Equality		O			Media monitoring, interviews conducted and amended electoral law giving 30% to each gender in political parties leadership and candidate listing.	Female Chief Justice of the Supreme Court-appointed, 30% gender quota bill passed in the Legislature, the National Elections Commission signed along with registered political parties, the Protocol on Violence Against Women in Elections and Politics in Liberia (VAWiE/P).

Youth Re-orientation and Empowerment

Liberia's population is predominantly young. Sixty-five percent (65%) of the population is under the age of 35 years. This youthful population provides enormous opportunities to accelerate the country's development process. Lack of access to education, life skills and livelihood opportunities are ongoing challenges faced by the youth. Their number makes them a critical factor in determining the country's future leadership, yet democratic dividend is not forthcoming. The CDC-led government promised to embark on the following interventions:

YOUTH RE-ORIENTATION AND EMPOWERMENT (28 PROMISES)

69	Construct 7 modernize mini soccer stadiums across 7 counties capital	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment		O			Media reports, field visit	Construction of modernize soccer stadiums ongoing across few counties capital
70	Design and execute a strong reputable national inter-school competition agenda respectively at primary, junior and senior high school and university levels	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment		O			Monitored newspaper reports, radio (ELBC, MCCTV), Postline: MCC Facebook page November 5, 2019	Inter-school intellectual debates have taken place. National Spelling Bee competition held to promote primary education in line with goal 4 of the Sustainable Development Goals: Quality Education.
71	Design and execute a well-structured occupational skill-determination program focusing on re-orienting and refocusing the minds and attitudes of at least 250,000 street and out-of-school youths over a five-year period	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment		O			Newspaper publication (Front Page Africa and Daily Observer, December 9, 2018). Mercy Crops Liberia Official Facebook page: https://web.facebook.com/597026120785550/posts/the-national-youth-service-program-was-formally-re-launched-on-friday-192021-by-1052762575211900/?_rdc=1&rd	The Ministry of Youth and Sports (MYS) and its partners have launched and recruited young people for the National Youth Empowerment and Employment program the National Youth Service Program (NYSP). MYS launched 20 million grant projects sponsored by EU, with support to 6 TVET institutions.
72	Establish and operate, in partnership with national and international enterprises, a comprehensive integrated Sports and Academic Academy.	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Interview conducted, field visit	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

73	Passage of the National Youth Act	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment		O			President George M. Weah State Of Nation Address 2019, Media Reports : https://allafrica.com/stories/201904100776.html)	The bill “National Youth Act of Liberia of 2019” was submitted to the House of Representatives in April 2019 by President George M. Weah for passage.
74	Construction of Mini-Stadium in Gborlee, Grand Bassa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President’s County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit, interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
75	Construction of a playground through the First Lady Office in Gorblee City, Wee Distrct, Grand Bassa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President’s County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
76	Renovation of the Sport Pitch in Compound #1, District #1, Grand Bassa County under the Presidential Priority Projects	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Interview conducted and field visitation	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
77	Donation of 30 Sewing Machines to Women in Shcieflin Township, Duazon, District #1, Margibi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President’s County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment	C				Visitation to Vocational School in Duazon (December 4, 2021), interview conducted	Completed
78	Construction of a Youth Center in Weala, Margibi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President’s County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
79	Construction of Youth Center in Bahn, Nimba County Source: Townhall Meeting, President’s County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

80	Complete and furnish with Computers a Youth Resource Center in Foya, Lofa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment	C				Interview conducted with County Authorities, media monitoring, field visitation	The Youth Resource Center in Foya, Lofa County has been Completed, furnished, and turned over to the youth of Foya.
81	Construction of Mini-Stadium in Voinjama, Lofa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment		O			Interviews conducted, field visit and media monitoring	Construction ongoing
82	Construction of Mini-Stadium in Cestos City, River Cess County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
83	Construction of a Children Playground though the Office of the First Lady in Rivercess County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
84	Construction of a Youth Resource Center in Clara Town, District #14, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment				NR	Field visits and interview conducted	No action taken toward this the promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
85	Construction of a Community Center for Children in Clara Town, District #14, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment				NR	Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
86	Build a Youth Center in Duport Road-Baptist Field Community, District #4, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

87	Construction of a Youth Resource Center for the Chicken Soup Factory Community, District #12, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
88	Construction of the Clara Town Sports Pitch, District #14, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
89	Turf installation on the Barnesville Estate Sports Field in District #11, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
90	Renovation of Football field in West Point Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment		O			Field visit, interview conducted and media report (Focus on Liberia) (1) Facebook Live Facebook	Renovation works ongoing
91	Construction of a Youth Center in Vonisulah, Garwula District, Grand Cape Mount Source: Townhall Meeting, President's Nationwide County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment		O			Field visit and interview conducted	Construction of youth center ongoing
92	Construction of Sinje Youth Center, Grand Cape Mount County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
93	Construction of Youth Center in Tarjuwon Town, Sinoe County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

94	Construction of Mini Stadium in Bopolu, Gbarpolu County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
95	Construction of Mini-Stadium in Barclayville, Grand Kru County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment				NR	Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
96	Turf installation on the G.W. Gibson High School Sports Field on Capital Bye-Pass, District #8, Montserrado County. Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Youth Reorientation & Empowerment			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

Physically Challenged and Senior Citizens

The lack of inclusive service delivery has reinforced societal inequalities that largely affect people living with disabilities and the elderly. People with disabilities do not have access to institutions that provide adequate social services to them in Liberia, and as such they face a lot of disadvantages and marginalization. As part of its change agenda, the CDC-led government promised to take measures to address the inequalities faced by physically challenged and senior citizens:

PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED AND SENIOR CITIZENS (10 PROMISES)

97	Enact legislation to establish a functioning health subsidy program for citizens below the poverty line.	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No evidence to show that a bill has been drafted.
98	Work in partnership with the private sector to ensure appropriate infrastructure in public places that will accommodate the special needs of physically challenged.	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens			NS		Interview conducted, desk review and field visit	No concrete action has taken place

99	Initiate and pursue the establishment of at least two functioning Mental Health Centers where patient's rehabilitation treatment can be undertaken.	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens		O			Interview conducted, media monitoring “Keep Your Heads Up and Make Liberia Proud,” President Weah Motivates At-Risk Youth Grads (emansion.gov.lr)	The Government created a National Fund Drive for the Rehabilitation and Empowerment of the At-Risk Youth of Liberia, under the theme, “Reclaiming Our Youth For A Better Liberia”
100	Ensure the provision of free medical service and recreation centers for senior citizens beyond the age of 70 years	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No concrete action has taken place
101	Strengthen education, training and equal employment opportunity policies, programs and processes where they exist for persons living with disabilities	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens		O			A National Action Plan for the Inclusion of Persons with Disabilities in Liberia 2018-2022 (changemakersforchildren.communty)	A national action plan for the inclusion of persons with disabilities in Liberia 2018-2022 was created but no data on implementation.
102	Construction of an office space for the Disabled community in Margibi County	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
103	Construct 20 bedrooms facilities for the Disable Community in Foya, Lofa County.	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens			NS		Media monitoring, Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
104	Provide housing units for the Disable Community in Clara Town, District #14, Montserrado County	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens			NS		Interview conducted, desk review and field visit	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
105	Construction of a housing unit for the disabled community in the City of Brewerville, District #17, Montserrado County	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens			NS		Interview conducted, desk review and field visit	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
106	Construction of Disable Center in Kolba (Kolahun City), Lofa County	Physically Challenged & Senior Citizens			NS		Media monitoring, Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021							
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PILLAR TWO: ECONOMY AND JOBS

Sustainable Economic Growth

The CDC-led Government promised Liberians to build a business-friendly, people-centered, and private sector driven economy. The government promised that growth will be socially responsible, diversified, spread geographically, and comes from genuine value addition and environmentally sensitive through private sector empowerment with a goal to achieve double digit GDP growth annually on a sustained basis. To accomplish this, CDC committed to formulate sound policies built around monetary and fiscal discipline and macroeconomic stability by pursuing the following interventions:

SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC GROWTH (16 PROMISES)								
107	Reduction of Salary for members of the executive branch of government	Sustainable Economic Growth	C				Interviews conducted, Newspaper publication (Daily Observer April 26, 2018)	Cabinet resolved that no head of public cooperation or autonomous agency will make more than US\$7,800 per month
108	Reduce tariffs on all basic commodities imported into the Country	Sustainable Economic Growth		O			Interviews conducted with marketers, Newspaper publication (New Public Trust, May 30, 2018)	Executive order issued instructing LRA to reduce tariffs on some commodities imported especially RICE.
109	Review Concession Agreements entered between companies and the previous government.	Sustainable Economic Growth		O			Monitored Newspaper reports/ publication (Reuter Feb. 15, 2018/Executive Mansion Website April 17, 2018)	President set-up committee to review concession agreements.
110	Ensure concession companies are fulfilling their social corporate responsibilities outlined in concession contracts.	Sustainable Economic Growth		O			Newspaper publication (Daily Observer, October 18, 2018). Monitored social media posts: (https://www.facebook.com/pwlib/posts/2727648810607840)	Provisions of Corporate Social Responsibilities are ongoing in education, roads, health, etc. AML has provided scholarships to many young Liberians, etc.

111	Stabilize the rapidly declining value of the Liberian dollar by reducing export stocks	Sustainable Economic Growth		O			Media monitored, Newspaper publications (FPA 2018)	Government infused USD \$25 million into the economy to stabilize the rapidly declining value of the Liberian dollar
112	Develop and implement strategic manufacturing and industrial policies and action plans to invest in rural, coastal, and inner city	Sustainable Economic Growth			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
113	Undertake financial sector reform to deepen financial markets, promote financial inclusion, enhance regulation of the financial institutions	Sustainable Economic Growth				NR	Interview conducted, desk review	No available information to rate this promise.
114	Reform business legislation thus eliminating red tape process	Sustainable Economic Growth				NR	Bureaucracy, Red Tape - NewRepublicLiberia- News on Liberia	No action taken towards reform and eliminating red tape red for business in Liberia.
115	Introduce non-discriminatory loan and grant facility to support Liberian owned businesses	Sustainable Economic Growth		O			Executive Mansion youtube channel: (December 21, 2018) https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zfMwK5mL2F4 , Newspaper Publication-Daily Observer, December 20, 2018, FPA Dec 22, 2018	President Weah Launched US\$3M Loan Scheme for Small Businesses.
116	Develop and enforce an effective Liberalization program in accordance with a “local content policy” for Liberians in the procurement of public goods and services	Sustainable Economic Growth			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
117	Encourage and facilitate equity-based public-private partnership business arrangements	Sustainable Economic Growth			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

118	Strengthen the current legal and fiscal regulations to improve government support services for both local and foreign investors.	Sustainable Economic Growth			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
119	Work with the national legislature to place loan scheme programs for local farmers in the national budget.	Sustainable Economic Growth			NS		Desk review and interview. The 2021 Global Hunger Index, (GHI) ranked Liberia 110th out of the 116 countries.	There is no available data on loan scheme programs for local farmers to allocate fund in the national budget.
120	Provide two (2) millions in the budget every year for rural market women	Sustainable Economic Growth			NS		Desk review and interview	No available information about allocating and providing 2M yearly to rural market women.
121	Work with the Ministry of Finance & Development Planning (MFDP) to put and include traditional midwives from the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County on the national payroll Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Sustainable Economic Growth				NR	Interview conducted, desk review	No available information
122	Work with the Liberia Land Authority (LLA) to work out resident status to grant titles to home squatters within the Chicken Soup Factory Community, District #12, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Sustainable Economic Growth			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

Agriculture and Forestry

Agriculture is the sector that will contribute to sustained economic growth. Eighty percent (80%) of the population depends on agriculture for their livelihood. The forest sector also contributes significantly to the national budget. The CDC-led Government promised protection of forest resources. It promised to ensure that reforestation becomes a key action for the security of future generations by undertaking the following measures:

AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY (7 PROMISES)

123	Ensure the speedy passage of the Land Rights Act	Agriculture & Forestry	C				Media report, and signing ceremony (FPA /Daily Observer Sept. 6, 2018)	The LRA was passed into law
124	Formulate and pursue policies on processing of raw material into agriculture products such as Oil Palm, Mango, Cassava etc.	Agriculture & Forestry		O			Monitored Newspaper reports/ publications, radio/MoA website/ Daily Observer Feb. 28, 2018) (Source: Executive Mansion and World Bank Websites), Newspaper pub. (New Democrat, January 7, 2019)	SAPEC project ongoing in 12 counties, farmers are processing improved cassava varieties into flour, fufu, gari. World Bank USD 25 million support to STAR-P project. MoU signed between MoA /SAPEC.
125	Technical, financial and mechanical support to farmers for the development of low agricultural land and swamp land	Agriculture & Forestry		O			FrontPage Africa, January 17, 2019, MoA website (https://www.moa.gov.lr/content.php?press&related=7&news_id=97&pg=sp)	GoL through the MoA has secured a development financing of USD 32 million from the International Fund for Agriculture Development (IFAD) to support the Tree Crop Extension Project (TCEP) and (STAR-P) project.
126	Formulate policies to minimize the export of raw wood and implement policies to enhance local production and processing of wood	Agriculture & Forestry			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

127	Public Extension Workers programs to assist small and medium farmers shall be revisited	Agriculture & Forestry				NR	Interview conducted, desk review	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.
128	Encourage farmers to use simple machines to maximize yields and form stronger cooperatives and cross-national partnerships	Agriculture & Forestry		O			Media Monitor, Frontpage Africa, Jan 24, 2019 and ELBC news	Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Internal Affairs Sign MOU for Communal Farming
129	Establish an Agriculture Bank dedicated to providing loans, grants and equity participation in the agro enterprises.	Agriculture & Forestry			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No action taken toward this promise and there is no available information to rate the promise.

Infrastructure Development

Infrastructural development remains a major development priority for the CDC-led government and it promised to undertake the following actions:

INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT (113 PROMISES)

130	Pavement of the Doe's Community Road to Clara Town	Infrastructure Development	C				Onsite visitation, Executive Mansion Website (December 26, 2018), Newspaper publication (New Dawn, January 17, 2019)	Road construction completed and dedicated by President Weah
131	Install 2,000 street lights in Monrovia and other places	Infrastructure Development		O			Onsite visitation, newspapers publication, etc. Daily Observer March 12, 2018/ Executive Mansion Website June 4, 2018	Verified installation of some new streetlights by LEC at Rehab, ELWA Junction, Bushrod Island and around Monrovia.
132	Construction of 568 housing units across the 15 sub-political divisions	Infrastructure Development		O			Executive Mansion Website accessed June 20, 2018 and December 1, 2020, Media monitoring –KMTV (December 2, 2020) https://www.emansion.gov.lr/2pre	Construction works ongoing and dedication of housing has been made in some parts of Liberia.

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133	Prioritize resources allocation to ensure passible farm-to-market roads	Infrastructure Development		O		Monitored Newspaper reports/publications, radio /Daily Observer Feb. 15, 2018/ MoA Website, Ministry of Public Works social media page (https://www.facebook.com/pwlib/posts/2720014134704641)	Some feeder roads are being worked on through budget allocation and county social development funds.
134	Construct Coastal Highway	Infrastructure Development			NS	Media Monitoring, Executive Mansion Website	No construction work has started.
135	Construct Mini City on “Bali Island” to Become a New City of Monrovia	Infrastructure Development			NS	Interview conducted, desk review	No construction works has started.
136	Upgrade and Modernize township of West Point by constructing 2,000 housing units	Infrastructure Development			NS	Field visit and interview conducted	No construction works has started.
137	Expansion of the Robertsfield Highway by four lanes	Infrastructure Development		O		Executive Mansion Website, November 10, 2020 https://www.emansion.gov.lr/2press.php?news_id=5266&related=7 &pg=sp. <u>Onsite visitation, interview conducted</u>	The ELWA - RIA road project is given a 36-month timeframe and currently ongoing. Physical work started, road expansion and clearing of sidewalks ongoing.
138	Policies and measure put in place to expand and ensure affordable and accessible electricity supply for our people.	Infrastructure Development		O		Interview conducted, desk review, media monitoring, etc.	There are massive expansion of the electricity across the country, especially Montserrado, Bong, Nimba, Bomi, Cape Mount, etc.

139	Policies and measure put in place to improve current air, road, and sea transportation	Infrastructure Development		O			Media monitoring and onsite visit, etc	Actions are being taken towards road constructions in cities and the RIA road.
140	Review, and if necessary, reform the Liberia Water and Sewer Corporation	Infrastructure Development		O			Media monitor, Website (http://www.lwsc.gov.lr/2content.php?sub=131&related=31&third=131&pg=sp)	Water and Sewer is expanding access to other areas outside of Monrovia
141	Prioritize the development of public infrastructure projects.	Infrastructure Development		O			Monitored Newspaper reports/publications, radio	There is evidence of infrastructural work taking place, community road projects, and feeder roads etc.
142	Pavement of all feeder roads in Monrovia and its environs	Infrastructure Development		O			President George M. Weah State of the Nation Address (January 29, 2019)	Substantial efforts have been made in this area.
143	Provide affordable housing for Liberians	Infrastructure Development		O			Newspaper Publication (FPA Oct. 5, 2019, Observer January 14, 2019, Monrovia Times-July 23, 2018. Field visit, interviews conducted	2 MoU signed between Government and partners for construction of housing units. Construction ongoing across several counties.
144	Pave the road from ELWA Junction to Coca-Cola Factory.	Infrastructure Development		O			Onsite visits, Media Monitoring and President George M Weah State of Nation Address 2019	Funding has been made available by the World Bank and construction works are currently ongoing.
145	Construction of the New Kru Town Fire Victims Homes in 60 days.	Infrastructure Development	C				Media Monitoring, Executive Mansion Website	Housing units completed, dedicated and turned over to the fire victims on August 9, 2019.
146	Construction of a modern state-of-the-art market structure in the Omega	Infrastructure Development	C				Executive mansion website (March 31, 2019) https://www.emansion.gov.lr/2pre	Market completed, dedicated by President George M. Weah on October 9, 2020 and

	Community (14th Gobachop International Market)					ss.php?news_id=4834&related=7&pg=sp Media monitoring (Daily Observer https://www.liberianobserver.com/news/marketers-to-shun-newly-dedicated-omega-market/) kmtv https://kmtvliberia.com/19410-2/	turned over to Paynesville City Corporation.
147	Ensure the full restoration of the Executive Mansion by the end of this year (2020)	Infrastructure Development		O		Executive Mansion Website, November 10, 2020, Media monitoring (ELBC Radio and ELBC website – November 11, 2020) https://www.emansion.gov.lr/2press.php?news_id=5266&related=7&pg=sp	Initial project completion date overdue as per the promise but renovation work is still ongoing.
148	Construction of Pedestrian Sidewalk from ELWA Junction to Broad Street	Infrastructure Development		O		Executive Mansion Press Briefing hosted by Deputy Presidential Press Secretary, Smith Toby, via the Executive Mansion Live Facebook Podcast: https://web.facebook.com/executivemansionliberia/videos/250926009457863/ Onsite visitation	The Engineer Battalion of the Armed Forces of Liberia has begun the Phase 1 of construction works from ELWA Junction to Boulevard Junction
149	Construction of 1,500 Street Lights across Montserrado	Infrastructure Development		O		Media monitoring, OK FM Interview with Deputy Presidential Press Secretary, Smith Toby; and an Executive Mansion live Facebook podcast, onsite visitation https://web.facebook.com/executivemansionliberia/videos/250926009457863/	The President of Liberia on September 15, 2020, did an inspection of the project. He powered the first phase of the lighting on October 1, 2020. More lights being installed across Monrovia, Tubman Boulevard route

150	Construct a Research Center in Gorblee City, Wee District, Grand Bassa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Media Monitoring, Interview with County and District Authorities, field visit conducted	No construction work has started
151	Construction of 100 housing units in Gorblee City, Wee District, Grand Bassa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Media Monitoring, Interview with County and District Authorities, field visit conducted	No construction work has started
152	Construction of 200 street lights in Gorblee City, Grand Bassa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interview County and District Authorities, field visit conducted	No construction work has started
153	Construction of a Resource Center in Buchanan City, Grand Bassa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interview with County Authorities, field visit conducted	No construction work has started
154	Construction of Market in Buchanan, Grand Bassa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
155	Construction of Market in Compound #2, Grand Bassa County	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interview conducted	No construction work has started

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021						
156	Construction of a Market Building in Cotton Tree Community, District #2, Margibi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted No construction work has started.
157	Construction of a Resource Center in Kakata, Margibi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interview conducted No construction work has started.
158	Construction of Weala Town Hall, Margibi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development		O			Onsite visitation, interviews conducted Building erected and roofed, completion work ongoing
159	Construction of 100 pro-poor housing units in Bomi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interview held with County Authorities, site visits and assessment conducted No construction work has started.
160	Construction of 20 housing units for nurses & doctors at the Bomi County Government-Run Hospital Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development		O			Interview conducted, field visit and media monitoring (Front Page Africa Liberia: Bomi Health Workers Get Housing Units – FrontPageAfrica (frontpageafricaonline.com)) 10 housing units completed and dedicated in August 2022, remaining 10 units have not started.

161	Construction of market hall for market women in Tubmanburg, Bomi Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interviews conducted, field visit	No construction work has started
162	Construction of a new Market Structure near Sanniquellie, Nimba County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interviews conducted, field visit	No construction work has started
163	Construction of the Gompa City Hall in Nimba County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interviews conducted, field visit	No construction work has started
164	Electrify Gwee Dulu with Solar Panel lights (Nimba) Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development				NR	Interviews conducted, field visit	No available information
165	Rehabilitate road from Tappita to Gwee Dulu Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started.
166	Pavement of Streets in Foya, Lofa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development		O			Interview held with County Authorities, field visits, and assessment conducted	Pavement work ongoing
167	Construction of 100 Housing Units in Bong County	Infrastructure Development		O			Field visit, interview conducted	At least 8 units constructed in Salala, Bong County

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021						
168	Construct a 15-million USD Dam over the Gee River in River Gee County, Liberia Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interviews conducted, desk review No construction work has started
169	Expand Street Lights Project to River Gee County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development	C				Onsite visitation, interview conducted with County Authorities, field visit and assessment carried out by Naymote County Monitor. Street lights installed in Gbeapo and Kilibo Kanweaken, Fishtown and Webbo in Rivergee County.
170	Construction of 100 Housing Units in River Gee County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interviews conducted, field visit No construction work has started
171	Construction of Market in Cestos City, Rivercess County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development		O			Interview conducted, onsite visitation Construction work ongoing
172	Construction of Market in Yarkpa's Town, Rivercess County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development				NR	Interviews conducted, field visit No construction work has started
173	Lay out Cestos City with Feeder roads through the Ministry of Public Works	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interviews conducted, field visit No construction work has started

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021						
174	Construction of 100 housing units in Grand Cape Mount Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interviews conducted, field visit No construction work has started
175	Construction of Market in Bo-Waterside, Grand Cape Mount County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development	C				Interview conducted, onsite visitation Construction of Bo-Waterside Market completed
176	Construction of Women Center in Gbonimah Town, Grand Cape Mount Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development		O			Interviews conducted, field visit Construction of women center ongoing
177	Construction of 100 pro-poor housing units in Gbarpolu County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interviews conducted, field visit No construction work has started
178	Light up the main street of Gbarma, Gbarpolu County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development	C				Onsite visitation, interview conducted 250 street lights have been installed in Gbarma, Gbarpolu County.

179	Construction of Market in Gbarma Town, Gbarpolu County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development				NR	Interviews conducted, field visit	No construction work has started
180	Construction of a district administrative building in Karloken, Maryland County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development				NS	Interviews conducted, field visit	No construction work has started.
181	Construction of a modern guest house in Fishtown, River Gee Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development				NS	Interviews conducted, field visit	No construction work has started
182	Construction of a Fish Town City Hall, River Gee Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development				NS	Interviews conducted, field visit	No construction work has started
183	Construct Kanweaken City Hall, River Gee Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development				NS	Interviews conducted, field visit	No construction work has started
184	Construct Presidential Palace, River Gee	Infrastructure Development				NS	Interviews conducted, field visit	No construction work has started

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021						
185	Construction of Sinje City Hall, Grand Cape Mount Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Interviews conducted, field visit No construction work has started
186	Construction of a Football Pitch/Stadium in Foya, Lofa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted No construction work has started
187	Construction of Zorzor Town Hall, Lofa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development		O			Field visit and interview conducted Construction work ongoing
188	Construction of Market in Wanhassa-Massamoluhum District, Lofa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted No construction work has started
189	Construction of a Market in Kolba City-Kolahum District, Lofa County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development		O			Field visit and interview conducted Market construction ongoing

190	Construction of Market in Klay, Bomi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
191	Construction of Market in Dewein, Bomi County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
192	Pave the Madina-Robertsport Road, Grand Cape Mount Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development		O			Field visit and interview conducted	Pavement work ongoing
193	Rehabilitate Presidential Palace on Robertsport Road, Grand Cape Mount County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
194	Renovation of City Hall in Zwedru, Grand Gedeh County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
195	Renovation of Market in Taima-Putu, Grand Gedeh County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started

196	Construction of road from Tappita to Toe's Town, Grand Gedeh County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
197	Rehabilitate road from Toe's Town to Zwedru, Grand Gedeh County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
198	Install internet facility and equipment's for radio station in Zwedru, Grand Gedeh County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development				NR	Field visit and interview conducted	No available information
199	Provide street lights for major streets in Zwedru, Grand Gedeh County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development	C				Field visit and interviews conducted	Street lights installed on major streets in Zwedru
200	Build a market for the women of Todee in the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
201	Build a Multipurpose Hall in the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022						
202	Rehabilitate bridges within the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NR	Field visit and interview conducted	No available information
203	Connect all feeder roads within the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS	Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken and no available information on status
204	Construct a hand pump, donate office materials, and build housing units for the disabled community within the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS	Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken and no available information on status
205	Reroof homes within the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS	Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken

206	Donate 200 solar lights to the people of the Township of Todee, District #1, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No records or evidence of lights donated
207	Rehabilitate all feeder roads within the Pipeline-Bassa Town Community, District #3, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No action taken
208	Construction of a market hall within the Pipeline-Bassa Town Community, District #3, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
209	Construction of a handpump within Duport Road-Baptist Field Community, District #4, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	No construction work has started
210	Reroof the Duport Road-Baptist Field Community Market, District #4, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	Not started
211	The pavement of all feeder roads within the Duport Road-Baptist Field	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit and interview conducted	Not started

	Community, District #4, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022						
212	The pavement of roads within the Township of West Point, District #7, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interview conducted Assessment completed but actual work yet to start
213	Reintroduce the Coastal Defense Project within the Township of West Point, District #7, Montserrado County	Infrastructure Development				NR	Field visit, interviews conducted and media monitoring No available information
214	Expansion of the Township of West Point, District #7, Montserrado County.	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No action taken
215	Renovate the Ford Madden Christian Academy School basketball gymnasium within the Old Road Community, District #10, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visits, and interviews conducted No action taken
216	Pave the Dujar Road within the Barnesville, District #11, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development		O			Field visit, interviews conducted Pavement work ongoing

217	Pave the Dixville to Caldwell Road within the District #11 area, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development		O			Field visit, interviews conducted	Pavement work ongoing
218	Build a market hall within Barnesville, District #11, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started
219	Build a Market Hall in Clara Town, District #14, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started
220	Build a mini repair quarter for fishermen within Clara Town, District #14, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development				NR	Field visit, interviews conducted	No available information
221	Build a Park within the Logan Town Community, District #15, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started
222	Construction of a Market Hall for the market women/petty traders of Chicken Soup Factory Community, District #12, Montserrado County	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022						
223	Rehabilitate all feeder roads within the Chicken Soup Factory Community, District #12, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted Not started
224	Construction of a Market Hall for the market women/petty traders of the New Georgia Community, District #13, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No construction work has started
225	Rehabilitate all feeder roads within Electoral District #13, Montserrado County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No construction work has started
226	Construction of a market building in New Matadi Estate, Sinkor, District #9, Montserrado County. Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No construction work has started
227	Build a Public Library in New Matadi Estate, Sinkor, District #9, Montserrado County.	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No construction work has started

	Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022						
228	Construction of a City Hall in District #9, Montserrado County. Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No construction work has started
229	Construction of Community Feeder Roads across District #9, Montserrado County. Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2022	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No construction work has started
230	Construction of the Togbaville market in District #3, Sinoe County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No construction work has started
231	Construction of Administrative Building in Pellokon, Sinoe County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No construction work has started
232	Construction of the Tarjuwon city hall, Sinoe County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted No construction work has started

233	Construction of Housing Units in Pochen, Sinoe County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started
234	Provide additional street lights in Gbarnga, Bong County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development	C				Field visit, interviews conducted	500 pieces of solar street lights installed around new iron gate, catholic fence and county administrative building
235	Construction of Market in Gbarnga, Bong County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visits, and interviews conducted	No construction work has started
236	Construction of Market in Salala, Bong County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development	C				Field visit, and interviews conducted	Market construction done but not dedicated yet
237	Construction of Housing Units in Bewan, Grand Kru County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development		O			Field visits, and interviews conducted	Construction ongoing
238	Construct Modern City Hall in Barclayville City Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started
239	Construction of a market building in Barclayville City Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastrucure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started

240	Renovation of Harper City Hall, Maryland County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started
241	Construction of Pleebo City Hall, Maryland County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started
242	Construction of Recording Studio in Pleebo, Maryland County Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Infrastructure Development			NS		Field visit, interviews conducted	No construction work has started
Transportation								
TRANSPORTATION (3 PROMISE)								
243	Repair NTA Buses to aid with public transportation	Transportation		O			Media monitoring, interview and Newspaper publication (Bush Chicken (http://www.bushchicken.com/new-ntaleadership-met-only17-functional-buses/) NTA Website Executive Mansion website (December 23, 2019), Newspaper Reports-Daily Observer (December 18, 2019)	The number of transport buses repaired has increased to 32 buses from 17.
244	Provide Cars for Traditional Leaders in Maryland Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Transportation	C				Interview conducted, emansion website, media reports (LINA) Pres. Weah Fulfills Promise To Chiefs, Donates Vehicles, Motorbikes - Liberia News Agency	Car and motorbikes donated

245	Provide motorbikes for Grand Gedeh Christian Council Source: Townhall Meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Transportation	C				Field visit and interviews conducted	Motorbikes donated
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PILLAR THREE: SUSTAINING THE PEACE

Justice and Human Rights

The CDC-led government promised to uphold and protect the Constitution of the Republic of Liberia, defend, and enforce fundamental human rights, and abide by the rule of law through the following interventions.

	Promises	Sector	Status	Means of Verification	Comment
JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS (6 PROMISES)					
246	Review and strengthen the Judiciary ensuring that only men and women of proven integrity with requisite professional qualification are appointed to serve	Justice & Human Rights	O	Monitored Newspaper reports/publications (Liberia News Agency Oct. 28, 2018), Executive Mansion Website-November 3, 2020, ELBC Radio-November 5, 2020	Some appointments of judges who are law school graduates have taken place. Appointments of Associate Magistrates across the country was done
247	Removal of the racial clause in the Liberian Constitution that restricts citizenship to negro decent.	Justice & Human Rights	NS	Media monitoring, interviews conducted	No available information
248	Design and put in place a functioning judicial information system to be accessible by both legal practitioners and the general public	Justice & Human Rights	NS	Media monitoring, interviews conducted	No available information
249	Enhance the capacities of the judicial system, through the creation of additional courts outside of the capital	Justice & Human Rights	NS	Media monitoring, interviews conducted	No records or evidence of the opening of new courts.

250	Strengthen the National Commission on Human Rights with the intent to enhancing its operational capacity.	Justice & Human Rights				NR	Interview conducted, desk review	No available information
251	Construction of Prison in Sinoe Source: Townhall meeting, President's County Tour 2021	Justice & Human Rights			NS		Field visit, interview conducted	Broke ground for prison but actual work hasn't started
<p>Reconciliation</p> <p>In pursuit of national reconciliation, the CDC-led government promised to undertake the following interventions:</p>								
<p>RECONCILIATION (2 PROMISES)</p>								
252	Organize in various counties "Pavala Hut" peace initiative meetings involving youths, elders, and women groups to reconcile our people and nation	Reconciliation	C				Interview conducted, media reports https://analystliberiaonline.com/2020/12/04/president-weah-recommits-to-maintaining-peace/ , https://elbcradio.com/2020/12/03/pres-weah-challenges-liberians-to-see-peace-reconciliation/ ,	Several peace and reconciliation dialogues/ forums held across counties, funded by UNDP. Government through MIA/ Liberia Peacebuilding Office, CSOs, youth, elders and women driving reconciliation efforts; 15 counties consolidated peace and reconciliation plan developed.
253	Create an inclusive government and employment opportunities, not based on the common practice of winner takes all	Reconciliation				NR	Interview conducted, desk review	No available information

Security and National Defense

The CDC-led government promised to embark on the following interventions:

SECURITY AND NATIONAL DEFENSE (6 PROMISES)

254	Focus attention on making the army attractive for our youth to serve Liberia and participate in international peacekeeping missions	Security & National Defense		O			Media Monitoring and Meeting (MoD Website) and facebook page Truth FM 96.1 and President George M Weah State Of Nation Address (January 29, 2019)	The Liberian army participating in the International Peacekeeping Mission in Mali and Sudan, training and promotion ongoing, promotion examination administered by the AFL, deployed 4 rotation troops to Mali. Liberia, through the Armed Forces of Liberia, has become the newest member of the multinational Trans-Regional Maritime Network (T-RMN).
255	Strengthen the technical and operational capacities of the National Police and public security agencies in our urban and rural cities	Security & National Defense				NR	Interview conducted, desk review	No available information
256	Improve upon the professional and operational development program of the Armed Forces of Liberia with focus on securing better equipment, strategic recruitment of new soldiers, and physical and skill training	Security & National Defense		O			Media Monitoring, Truth FM 96.1, MoD Website and Facebook page , https://www.facebook.com/modliberia/ Executive Mansion website “Be Soldiers of the People,” President Weah Urges New Batch of AFL Graduates (emansion.gov.lr)	Ongoing training has taken place for security personnel. The army in 2022 recruited, trained and graduated 176 new recruits of the Armed Forces of Liberia on December 22, 2022.

257	Renovation of the Zwedru Military Barracks in Grand Gedeh County; the Camp Todee Military Barracks in Todee, Montserrado County, and the Voinjama Military Barracks in Voinjama, Lofa County Source: (Executive mansion website, 65th Armed Forces Day Message, delivered on July 26, 2022)	Security & National Defense		O			Interview conducted, desk review and field visit	Renovation work ongoing at the Zwedru, Camp Todee, Montserrado and Lofa Military barracks
258	Construction of an additional twenty-five (25) housing units and five (5) multi-purpose bathroom facilities within the EBK Military Barracks Source: (Executive mansion website, 65th Armed Forces Day Message, delivered on July 26, 2022)	Security & National Defense			NS		Interview conducted, desk review and field visit	No construction work has started
259	Construction and completion of the Clar Marie Weah Vocational Center for Army Wives at the Edward Binyah Kesselly Military Barracks Source: (Executive mansion website, 65th Armed Forces Day Message, delivered on July 26, 2022)	Security & National Defense	C				Media monitoring, interviews conducted	Completed and dedicated

PILLAR FOUR: GOVERNANCE AND TRANSPARENCY

Decentralization of Institutions and Systems

Decentralization has the potential to create an effective, efficient and inclusive service delivery and advance economic activities at the micro-level. The CDC-led government promised to carry out the following actions in decentralizing institutions and systems:

Key Indicators (Status) **C** Completed **O** Ongoing **NS** Not Started **NR** Not Rated

	Promises	Sector	Status				Means of Verification	Comment
DECENTRALIZATION OF INSTITUTIONS AND SYSTEMS (9 PROMISES)								
260	Initiate and execute a nation-wide consultation process on the extent and structures of a viable decentralized governing system	Decentralization of Institutions & Systems		O			Newspaper report, interviewed with MiA Minister and social media	The Local Government Act has been passed into law but implementation is slow.
261	Call for a national referendum and submit to the nation a comprehensive framework that would ensure full participation of all citizens in national development.	Decentralization of Institutions & Systems		O			Online Monitoring, Executive Mansion Website https://www.emansion.gov.lr/doc/Official National Referendum 2020 20191015 2.pdf Newspaper report Daily Observer) October 2, 2019 https://www.liberianobserver.com/news/legislature-set-agenda-for-popular-referendum/	National Referendum held on December 8, 2020 as planned. The Liberia Official Gazette on The National Referendum - 2020 Published By Authority of the MFA, RL (VOL. XIX TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2019, NO. 52). National policy on development - PAPD developed.
262	Design the physical layout of the designated proclaimed city area to host the new Capital City of Liberia	Decentralization of Institutions & Systems			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No available information

263	Governing systems, and responsibilities shall be decentralized within three demarcated geo-politico regions, (Western, Central, and Eastern)	Decentralization of Institutions & Systems			NS		Interview conducted, desk review	No policy or law formulated to implement this promise.
264	Increase citizens and residents' registration in the national biometric database from 0.5% (22,312) to 50%	Decentralization of Institutions & Systems		O			PAPD Pillar Four Reports, 2020	The National Identification Registry (NIR) is functional and citizens have started using the system.
265	Improved overall service delivery and wage bill management in the Public Sector through an established Civil Service Commission (CSC)	Decentralization of Institutions & Systems		O			PAPD Pillar Four Reports, 2020	Three (3) County Service Centers in Grand Kru, RiverCess, and River Gee have been renovated.
266	By 2023, strengthen land tenure security and improve land information management system	Decentralization of Institutions & Systems		O			PAPD Pillar Four Reports, 2020	The LLA is in the process of developing policies and regulations for the implementation of the Land Rights Act.
267	By 2023, ensure the full implementation of the national environmental policy	Decentralization of Institutions & Systems		O			PAPD Pillar Four Reports, 2020	Government through the NDMA has begun preliminary work for the implementation of the National Environmental Policy.
268	Formalize customary land tenure	Decentralization of Institutions & Systems		O			Desk review, media monitoring and Guidelines for the Recognition of Customary Tenure in Liberia LandLinks (land-links.org) 2020	Passage of the Land Right Act, the LLA was able to test and draft methodologies for community engagement and self-identification, the development of community land governance bylaws, the establishment of Community Land

									Development and Management Committees (CLDMCs), etc.
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Accountability and Anti-Corruption

The lack of accountability and the mismanagement of public resources is a major challenge facing Liberia’s governance system and it impacts negatively on the country’s development process. The CDC-led government committed itself to undertaking the following actions in addressing this problem:

ACCOUNTABILITY AND ANTI-CORRUPTION (12 PROMISES)

269	Review structures, mandates and operations of the four major existing agencies with responsibilities for ensuring accountability and transparency	Accountability & Anti-Corruption		O			The GAC Annual Report of 2021: (https://gac.gov.lr/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/Annual-Report-of-the-AG-2021.pdf)	The General Auditing Commission (GAC) has strengthened its operations and is ensuring accountability and transparency at all levels of government.
270	Review and build upon the current Code of Conduct for Public Officials together with the Assets Declaration Platform	Accountability & Anti-Corruption		O			The LACC Request for Expression on the Development of the Asset Declaration Platform and the media on the amendment of the National Code of Conduct: (https://liberianewsagency.com/2022/07/06/liberian-senate-amends-code-of-conduct/)	Sen. Varney Sherman has pushed an amendment of Section 5.2 of the Code of Conduct which has been passed by the Liberian Senate and awaiting passage from the House of Representatives Asset Declaration and Asset Verification (AD/AV) Management Operating System expected to be developed.
271	Review mandates, structures, administrative procedures and staffing levels and requirements of current Ministries and Agencies and undertake necessary restructuring exercises	Accountability & Anti-Corruption		O			Interview conducted and desk review: Liberia Annual Economic Review of 2022 and the Joint Statement on Strengthening Development Cooperation: Liberia 2022 Action Dialogue	The Government of Liberia have been involved with revamping government Ministries, Agencies and Commission (MACs) and ensuring staffing level reforms.

272	Pursue without fear or favor legal actions against companies involved in bid rigging, price fixing and corrupt practices	Accountability & Anti-Corruption			NS		Interview conducted and desk review	No available information
273	By 2023, increase internal audit presence in government from 85% to 99%	Accountability & Anti-Corruption		O			PAPD Pillar Four Reports, 2020	Eighty-seven (87) new staff/auditors were trained and deployed at various ministries.
274	By FY2021/2022, an e-procurement system deployed to 50 MACs	Accountability & Anti-Corruption		O			PAPD Pillar Four Reports, 2020	PPCC on November 8, 2019 launched the monitoring of 100 government entities.
275	By 2023, the total number of cases persecuted by LACC, through MoJ increased from 6 to 30	Accountability & Anti-Corruption		O			Desk review and interview conducted	Several cases investigated by LACC and prosecuted by LACC or jointly with the Ministry of Justice (MoJ). Ex: Ministry of Gender Payroll Paddling Case; Tubman University Bribery Case; Ministry of Defense/Mismanagement of AFL pension fund etc.
276	Deployment of an integrated management system that will automate the voter registration and post-voting processes	Accountability & Anti-Corruption		O			PAPD Pillar Four Reports, 2020 and media report	The National Elections Commission (NEC) of Liberia have hired LEXTON Group to provide biometric materials for the ensuing 2023 elections.
277	Introduce new legislation to amend the law creating the Liberia Anti-Corruption Commission, in order to give it more prosecutorial powers	Accountability & Anti-Corruption		O			Desk reviewed, media monitoring and interviewed conducted.	An amended Anti-Corruption Law was passed by the Legislature which repealed the LACC Act of 2008 and creating a robust commission but the law has been challenged in Court by the current Chair of the Commission.

278	Propose legislation for the establishment of a dedicated criminal court for the prosecution and convictions of public officials, individuals, or institutions engaged in corrupt practices and financial offenses	Accountability & Anti-Corruption				NR	Interview conducted, desk review and media monitoring	No available information to rate this promise
279	Commit to fairness, transparency, and accountability in election funding	Accountability & Anti-Corruption		O			Desk review, interviewed conduct with NEC officials.	Campaign Finance Regulations for Political Parties and Candidates in Liberia has been revised to strengthen current political financial realities in Liberia.
280	Make all legislative votes public	Accountability & Anti-Corruption				NR	https://www.liberianobserver.com/iberia-house-record-votes . Desk review and media monitoring, etc	While the Deputy Speaker has pushed to amend Rule 19 of the Rules of the House, entitled, "Voting Procedures" is geared toward boosting transparency, there no voting records available to the public.

Foreign Policy and Diplomatic Relations

The CDC-led government made six promises in this sector:

FOREIGN POLICY AND DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS (6 PROMISES)

281	Establish strategic partnerships with countries that share mutual commitments towards and respect for the protection of human rights, democracy and negotiate development-oriented agreements	Foreign Policy & Diplomatic Relations		O			Newspaper reports-Daily Observer (September 7, 2018), In profile Daily, (November 30, 2018) Executive Mansion Website, Daily Observers, Inquirer Newspaper)	Several Ambassadors presented letters of Credence to President Weah and pledged support to the Government of Liberia. The Government secured a US\$120 Million grant from USAID and U.S Government through direct support.
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282	Develop and maintain a cordial working relationship with the Foreign Affairs Committees of both houses of the legislature on matters related to the formulation and implementation of foreign policy	Foreign Policy & Diplomatic Relations				NR	Interview conducted and desk review The Ministry of Foreign Affairs (mofa.gov.lr)	Liberia's Foreign Policy is firmly rooted in its political ideology of liberalism, democracy and capitalism, There is no clear information on how the Foreign Affairs Committees in the Legislature on matters relating to formulating and implementing the national foreign policy.
283	Review the staffing, premises, and operations of our Diplomatic Missions abroad and put in place requisite diplomatic and consulate machineries, structures and approaches to effectively meet 21st century diplomatic challenges	Foreign Policy & Diplomatic Relations		O			Executive Mansion website & Facebook page: October 17, 2022, Media monitoring	President Weah approved the Revised Regulation to govern the appointment, nature and scope of the operations and conduct of Honorary Consuls of the Republic of Liberia.
284	Initiate and undertake measures that would ensure that foreign policy agenda and its implementation are guided by the principles of good governance	Foreign Policy & Diplomatic Relations				NR	Interview conducted and desk review	No available information
285	Secure national interests by forging and maintaining closer and stronger ties of friendship and economic partnerships with our traditional allies	Foreign Policy & Diplomatic Relations		O			Monitoring of newspaper reports, Daily Observer September 7, 2018, FPA October 26, 2018 President George M. Weah State of the Nation Address (January 29, 2019)	Government seeking and establishing Private Sector Partnership with China, EU and other nations.
286	Implement a Visa-upon-Arrival program, as well as the issuance of Tourist Visas.	Foreign Policy & Diplomatic Relations				NS	President George M. Weah State of the Nation Address (January 29, 2019), Media monitoring	There is no available information on policy or program to implement a visa upon arrival and insurance of tourist visas in Liberia.

COVID-19 PANDEMIC & STATE OF EMERGENCY

On April 8, 2020, President George M. Weah declared a State of Emergency (SoE) for the period of one (1) month in response to COVID-19. In furtherance of this action, the President wrote to the Legislature providing reasons for the SoE and outlined actions that were needed to be taken in responding to the pandemic. The President promised to undertake the following actions:

	Promises	Sector	Status	Means of Verification	Comment	
COVID-19 PANDEMIC & STATE OF EMERGENCY (6 PROMISES)						
287	Distribute food to households in designated affected counties for the period of 60days.	COVID-19 pandemic and State of Emergency	O	FPA, June 6, 2020- https://frontpageafricaonline.com/front-slider/liberia-government-still-raising-hope-over-covid-19-food-distribution/ . https://thenewsnewspaper.com/food-distribution-in-full-swi.../	Legislature to re-appropriate US\$25 million for the remainder of the 2019/2020 budget year in support of the government’s stimulus package to facilitate food distribution for designated households for 60 days. There was no access to report on the distribution of the food.	
288	Pay electricity bill of households in the affected counties for the duration of STAY-AT-HOME order	COVID-19 pandemic and State of Emergency		NR	Interview conducted, desk review and media monitoring	No available information that actions were taken to pay LEC bill of households in affected counties.
289	Fully pay the loans owed by market women, and petty and small traders in affected counties	COVID-19 pandemic and State of Emergency		NR	Interview conducted, desk review and media monitoring	No available information
290	Begin servicing of Government’s domestic debts incurred in the last several years in the tone of US\$15 million from the FY2020/2021 national budget	COVID-19 pandemic and State of Emergency		NS	Interview conducted, desk review and media monitoring	No available information
291	The Government is suspending for the period of six months the Sub charge Regulation that imposes an additional charge on imported goods that are also manufactured in Liberia	COVID-19 pandemic and State of Emergency		NS	Interview conducted, desk review and media monitoring	No available information

292	The Government is also immediately suspending the Pre-Shipment Inspections (PSI) penalty until otherwise notified	COVID-19 pandemic and State of Emergency	C				LRA Official Website	The Government suspended the Pre-Shipment Inspections (PSI) penalty
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