



BUTONDO WOMEN SUPPORTED IN HORTICULTURE

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Corporate Social Responsibility is often considered as a means of charity or donations. In practice, it is a successful approach for companies to engage themselves in activities that help society at large and achieve a balance between profitable activities and social development.

Lubambe's Corporate Social Investment (CSI) programmes cover a wide range of areas with the aim of fostering sustainability.

The mine, has this time around supported Butondo Women's Club with a petrol pump and accessories to enable the Club commence its horticultural production in Butondo area, on an interest free loan basis.

Additionally, the mine has engaged the services of an agricultural expert from the Ministry of Agriculture to train members of the club in vegetable production and management. The training will also focus on record keeping and successional production of vegetables.

Speaking at the official handover of the water pump on 24 May 2022, Lubambe Community and Stakeholders Relations Manager (CSR) Lomthunzi Mbewe said that the club needed to work hard to ensure that results are seen at the end of the day.

She urged club members to work together and find market for their produce so that their livelihoods change for the better.

Butondo Women's Club Chairperson, Lizzy Gama who could not hide her joy begun her showcase of appreciation to Lubambe through a song and dance.

She described Lubambe as a parent who was always concerned about the wellbeing of its offspring. She urged the mine not to relent in its quest to change the livelihoods of people around its operation.