Project Update: December 2021

Objective 2: To set mitigation measure in conflict sites

Introduction

This phase was a follow up of the conflict zones identified in the study area. Conflict sites were visited, and the extent of beehive damage assessed. Several mitigation measures were identified for the sampled conflict areas. Mitigation measures were placed with the assistance of the community in the affected areas. This phase was done in the dry season in December, in order to access the roads to affected apiaries.

What Has Been Accomplished

The areas sampled for the implementation of the mitigation measures were based on the extent and severity of damage to the beehives and the estimated amount of honey that was expected to be harvested. Some of the damaged beehives were repaired by community members while the dirty hives were cleaned and placed back at the apiary.

The mitigation measures used ranged from simple roofing and clearing the bushy areas to fencing the apiary.

The project had gone through phase two of the project successfully. The final phase of the project will identify the set mitigation measures that are effective in deterring the honey badger attacks.









