

No.	AGES-P-08	
Title of the Project	Implementation of Panchayat Resource Mapping	
Name of Funding agency/ Client	Kerala State Land Use Board (KSLUB)	
Name of Investigator/ Coordinator	S. Mohankumar, K.P Mohandas and Abdul Karim	
Associate/collaborating institution, if any	-	
Nature of project	R&D/ Consultancy/Implementation monitoring/ Quality Audit/EIA/EMP/Resource audit/Mapping	
Area/Location	Porur and Vallikunnu areas of Malappuram District in Kerala State	
Status	Completed (2008)	
	Duration	Eight years
	Date of Initiation	2000
	Date of completion	2008
Brief description of the project (<i>objectives, approach and salient findings/recommendations</i>)	<p>The programme was participatory in nature, implemented by the beneficiary group (BGs) in partnership with the concerned <i>Grama Panchayat</i> (GP) and with the backing of support organization (SO). The principal objective of the scheme was to assist the government of Kerala in increasing the access of rural community to sustainable drinking water and meeting sanitation needs of each household within the geographical boundaries of Porur and Vallikunnu GPs. The work included technical and logistic support for implementation of small and large water supply schemes to provide sustainable drinking water and sanitation needs to the beneficiary groups of the two GPs. AGES as SO provided technical and logistic support for identification and development of sources, laying of pipes, construction of tanks, electrification, etc.</p> <p>The work was Initiated by conducting a baseline survey to organize the beneficiary groups and collection of BG contribution. The support was later extended for awareness creation, motivation and mobilization of people to participate, plan, implement, own and operate the scheme. Thus, the involvement of SO was from inception to exit of the project.</p>	