

1. Clean drinking water at door steps of communities

Village Abbas Perozani is located in Deh Darsi Union council & Taluka Kharo Chhan District Thatta is about 29 km from Garho and 99 km from Thatta. The people of caste Perozani are stayed here for more than last 40 years.

Village is situated at the bank of river Indus. As village is located near sea so drinking water is saline and brackish. People especially women have to travel long distance to bring drinking water. As reported by villagers they would bring drinking water through their own transport covering the distance of 8 kilo meters thrice a week. They then store water in dug wells constructed at villages, which they narrated became costly for them.



SAFWCO under the project Sindh Coastal Areas Development (SCAD) intervened in village and with its facilitation were organized, which is mandated to work for the up lift of village with participation of all. When people sit together and discussed the problems they are facing, the problem of drinking water was reported by them as the major problem affecting entire populace. Taking into consideration this situation, they moved an application to SAFWCO CPI program for installation of Drinking Water Supply Scheme (DWSS).



Program team carried out technical survey and found that this scheme is feasible and very essential for villagers, because if scheme of “Drinking Water Supply” in the village is installed, it would address problem of diseases caused by contaminated water and save their money spent on purchasing commodity of water.

After installation of DWSS scheme in village Abbas Perozani now the villagers are consuming and using clean drinking water and by installation of 5 hand pumps over there, they are getting the water at their door steps. They now don’t need to go away for bringing water and are very much at comfort and happy from that. According to them occurrence of diseases like diarrhea have significantly reduced.