

A photograph of two men standing in a lush green cornfield. The man on the left is wearing a white cap with a logo and a patterned shirt. The man on the right is wearing a green shirt. They are both looking towards the camera. The corn plants are tall and vibrant green.

Shaping Lives and Ecosystems Through Offsetting

Unleashing the Potential of Carbon Offsetting
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When the project started in 2012, no lion had been reported in the area. Now big herds of 20-50 are recorded on the escarpment, and the situation has improved significantly. The private Conservancy for over a decade and returned to the region with a strong base and sustainable growing prey base and sable and roan were rarely seen, and level of security in the area. only as single animals.



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Only 28% of Zambia's population has access to electricity.

Charcoal dependency is at an all-time high.



BCP's mission is making conservation of wildlife habitat valuable to people.



BCP is an African company which develops African dryland forest carbon projects in partnership with local communities

Founded in 2012

- Social Enterprise with regional business plan
- Total project size = Slovenia

Deforestation is a global problem accounting for about 15% of the world's emissions.

Forests now cover only 6% of the planet.

428 million people depend on dryland forest in sub-Saharan Africa.

Half of African species face extinction by 2100.



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Why Zambia?

High deforestation rate

Zambia loses forest 3 times the size of Paris every year.

Critical ecological position as a last remaining strongholds for wildlife species including lion, elephant & wild dog



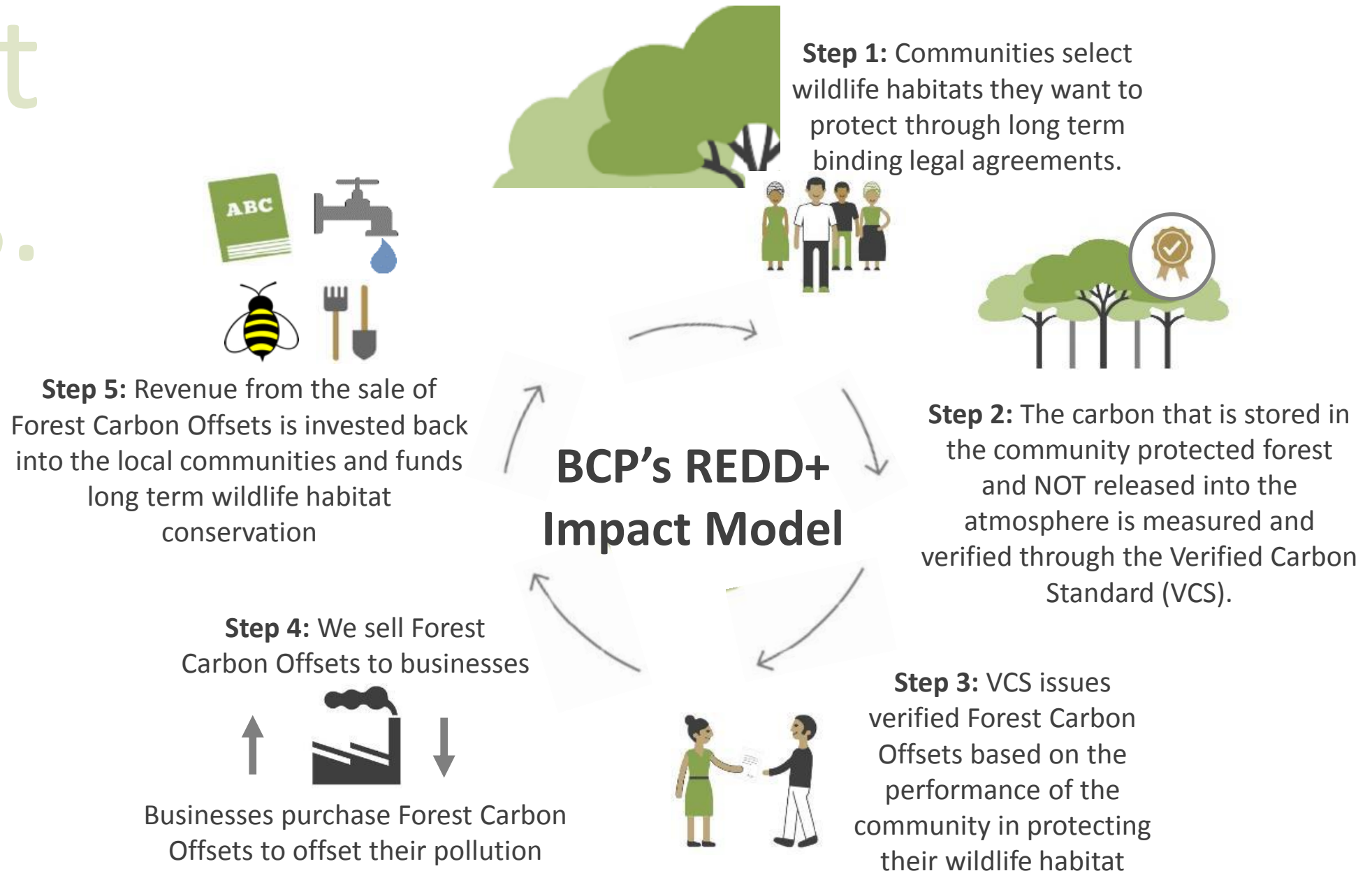


To combat climate change cost-effectively, we need to protect wildlife habitats.

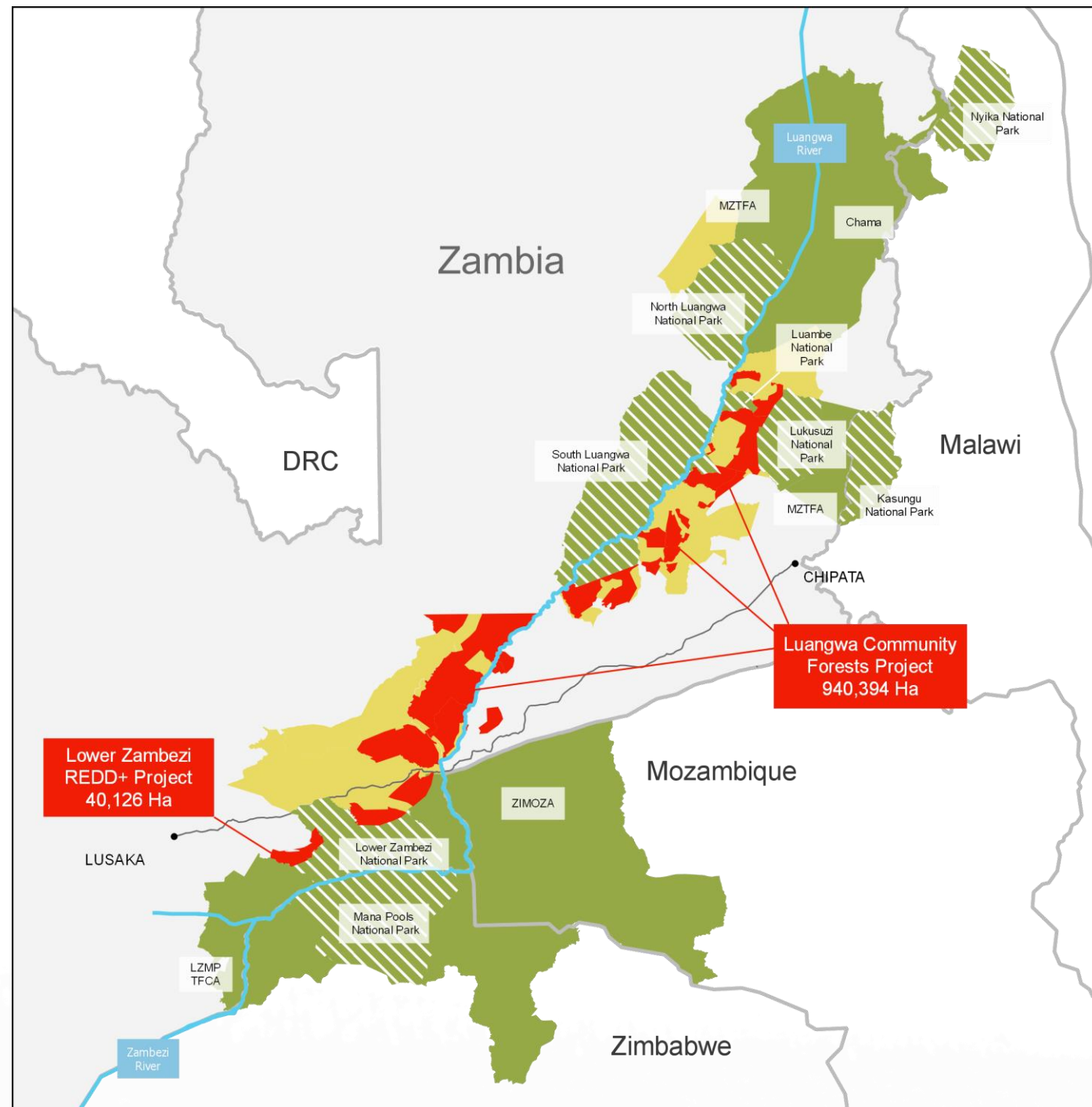


To protect forests, we need to invest in communities and field level conservation.

How it works.



REDD+ is catalyzing
one of the largest
biodiversity
corridors in Africa.





Alternative livelihood
promotion and expansion



High impact climate change
mitigation.



Biodiversity Conservation and
habitat management

80,000 people benefitting

80% of participants earn more
income after they start using
conservation farming techniques.

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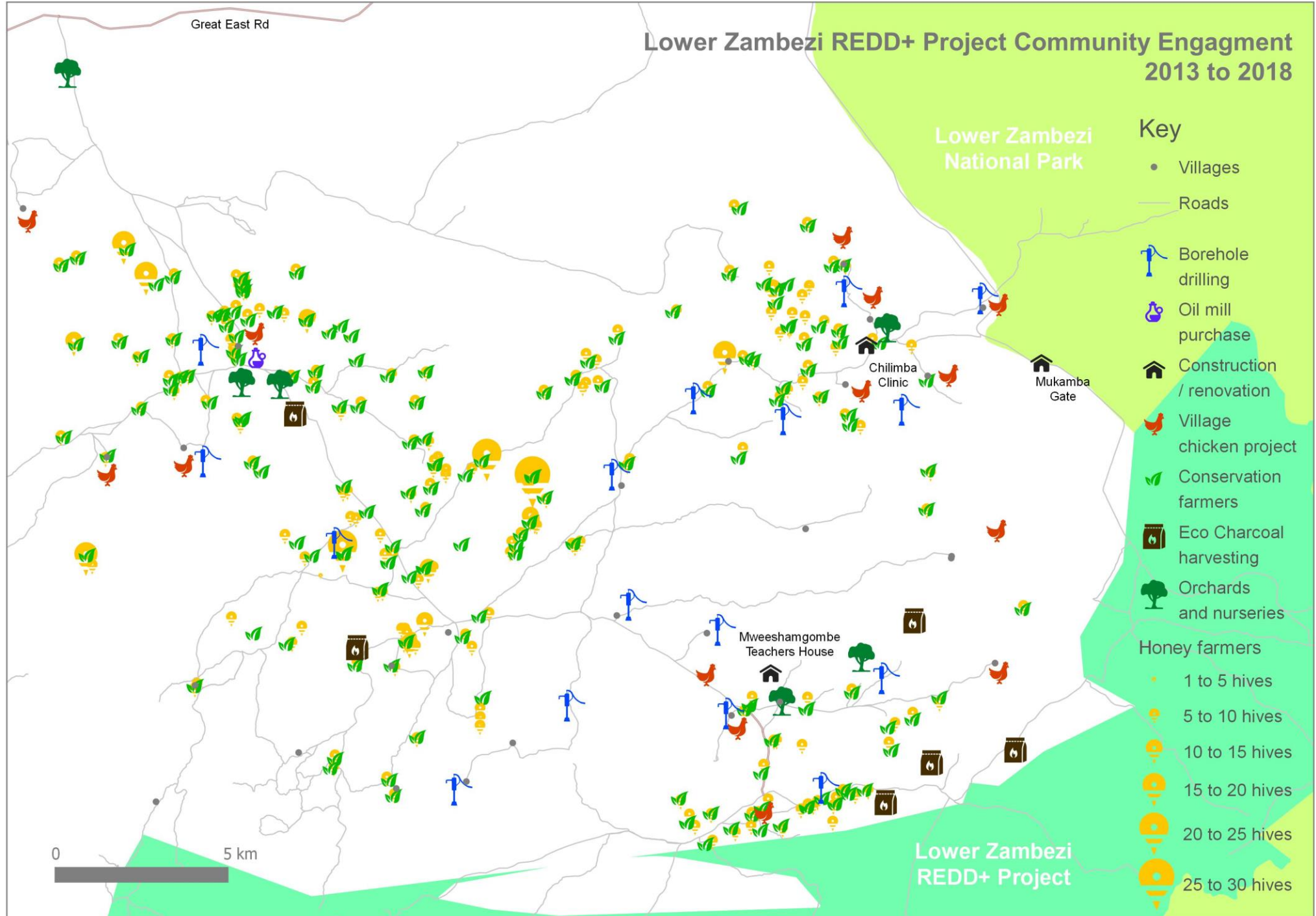
70% of all clean water in LZRP
enabled through BCP boreholes.

96% of impacted individuals
report they are glad that BCP is
in their community.

662 million trees protected.

91% of LZRP community report
receiving direct benefits to their
household.

Lower Zambezi REDD+ Project Community Engagment 2013 to 2018





30 gigatons/year of CO₂e need to be cut by 2030 to keep global temperature below 2 degrees C.

Forest conservation can provide **37% of the carbon reductions** needed to meet Paris goals, with co-benefits.



What You Can Do.

1. Commit to deep annual CO2 reductions
2. Offset directly from projects
3. Changes in your lifestyle
4. Use your buying power

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