



Press Release

“Grant Program supports rural clinic”

Wednesday 1st of February, 2023 – The Muya Clinic located in the Wampar LLG of Morobe Province has had a much-needed extension through the support of The Voice Inc. (TVI) and its CleanGen Innovation Grants Program. A project led by CleanGen Ambassador and University of Papua New Guinea (UPNG) graduate, Greg Castle Sa’a, the Muya Clinic extension now ensures that community members have a waiting area and outpatient to use when visiting the clinic.

As part of the official program to open the extension of the clinic, Community Health Worker and Officer in Charge, Dacquesie Sa’a, shared that the extension will provide much needed relief to his patients and ensure that operations run smoothly. The Muya Clinic serves three LLGs within the area and provides services such as Immunization, Treatment of TB, STI/STD Testing and referral to major hospitals when necessary.

“On most occasions our patients will sit out in the sun or under a shade that they can find whilst waiting to be treated. It was even more difficult when it rained as the clinic could not properly shelter the number of people we would see in a day”.

“I thank The Voice Inc. (TVI) for this timely support. The people of our community are extremely grateful that we now have a waiting area and outpatient. I encourage all surrounding communities to take ownership of our clinic and see how best we can support each other”, remarked Mr. Dacquesie Sa’a.

The Voice Inc. (TVI) provided a total grant funding of K9,000 for the extension. This is the third project that the organization has funded within Morobe Province and the second project to be led by Greg Castle Sa’a. The organization has supported Sa’a’s projects with a total of K17,000 to date.

The CleanGen Innovation Grants is a flagship program within The Voice Inc. (TVI) that has been supporting community projects since 2018. To date more than 20 projects have been successfully completed in 16 provinces throughout Papua New Guinea.

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