

**CONSULTATIVE MEETING WITH CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS  
(CSOs) ON YEAR 2020 REVISED BUDGET, HELD ON 5<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2020, AT  
GOSHEN HOTEL, LOKOJA, KOGI STATE.**

The meeting with Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), was organized as part of the ongoing consultations with stakeholders on the review of 2020 Approved Budget, necessitated by the effects of COVID-19 pandemic, which caused significant shortfalls in revenues (statutory transfer and IGR) and altered the State development priorities. Basically, therefore, the meeting was to obtain the inputs of the CSOs in the revised Budget. In the last few years, the CSOs have made very useful contributions to the budgeting process, particularly in the areas of drawing attention to areas that needed greater attention and what we needed to get right, to improve the budgeting processes.



**COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE, BUDGET AND ECONOMIC PLANNING-HON. MUKADAM ASIWAJU ASIRU  
IDRIS(STANDING) DELIVERING THE OPENING REMARK.**



**COMMISSIONER OF INFORMATION-EVANGELIST KINGSLEY FANWO  
DELIVERING HIS REMARK**



**MR MATHIAS OKPANACHI(CSO) DELIVERING THE OPENING PRAYER**



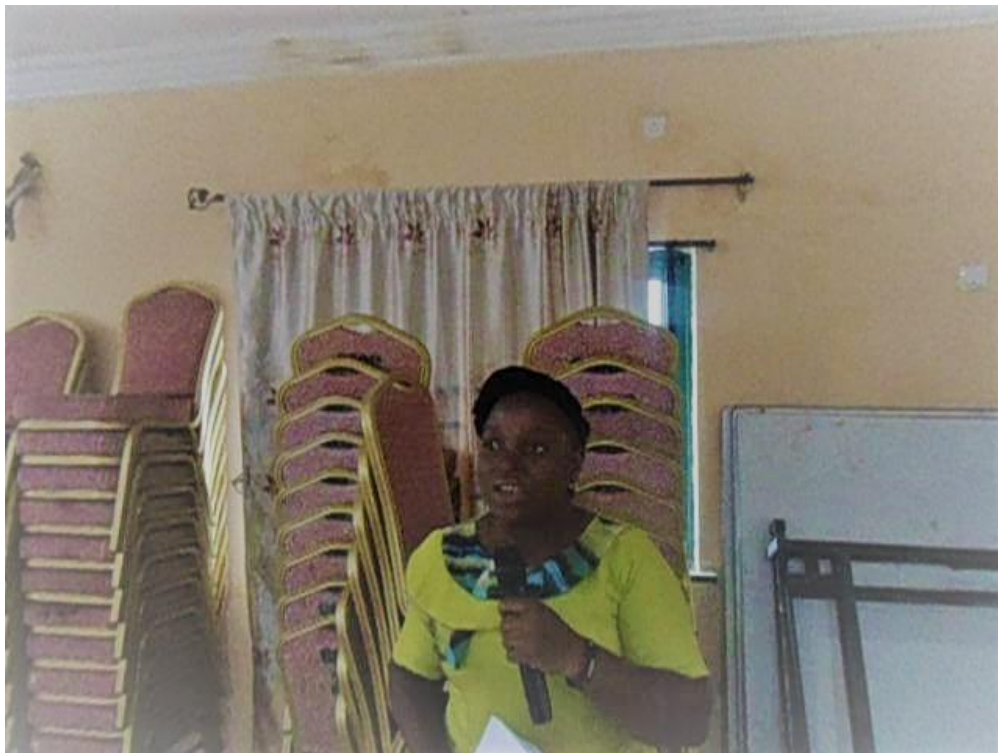
**COMMISSIONER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT-HON. HON. DANIEL O'NEAL EJIGBO(ON SIT)  
AND DIRECTOR INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION-SANNI H.M(WITH MIC)**



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,BUDGET AND ECONOMIC PLANNING-JIMOH A. MOHAMMED**



**DIRECTOR ADMIN. AND FINANCE, MINISTRY OF FINANCE**  
**, BUDGET AND ECONOMIC PLANNING-**  
**MR EMMANUEL ACHIMUGU**



**PROJECT COORDINATOR, SEARCH FOR COMMON GROUND (SFCG),**  
**MRS. GIFT OMONIWA**



**THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, INITIATIVE FOR GRASSROOT  
ADVANCEMENT (INGRA), HAMZA ALIYU**



**STATE SFTAS COORDINATOR (WORLD BANK ASSISTED), MR. E.O BAYODE**



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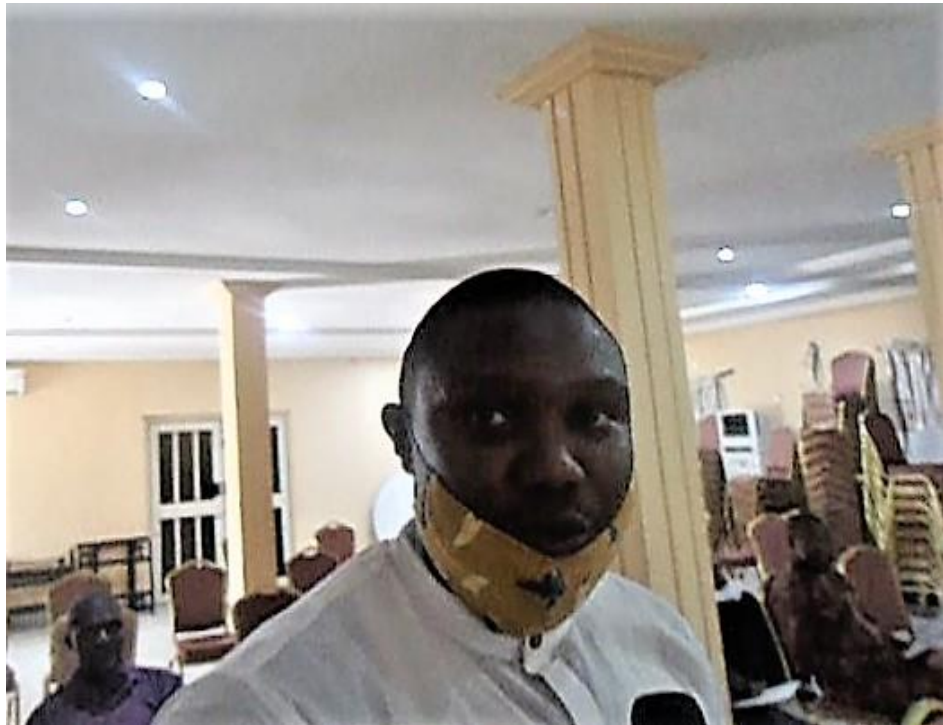


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**STEVE O. SALAWU, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-CEPAT**



**UMAR DANASABE MUHAMMED, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-HAADI**



**A MEMBER OF CSOs IN ATTENDANCE**



**IDRIS OZOVEHE MURAINA, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-(RECEF)**



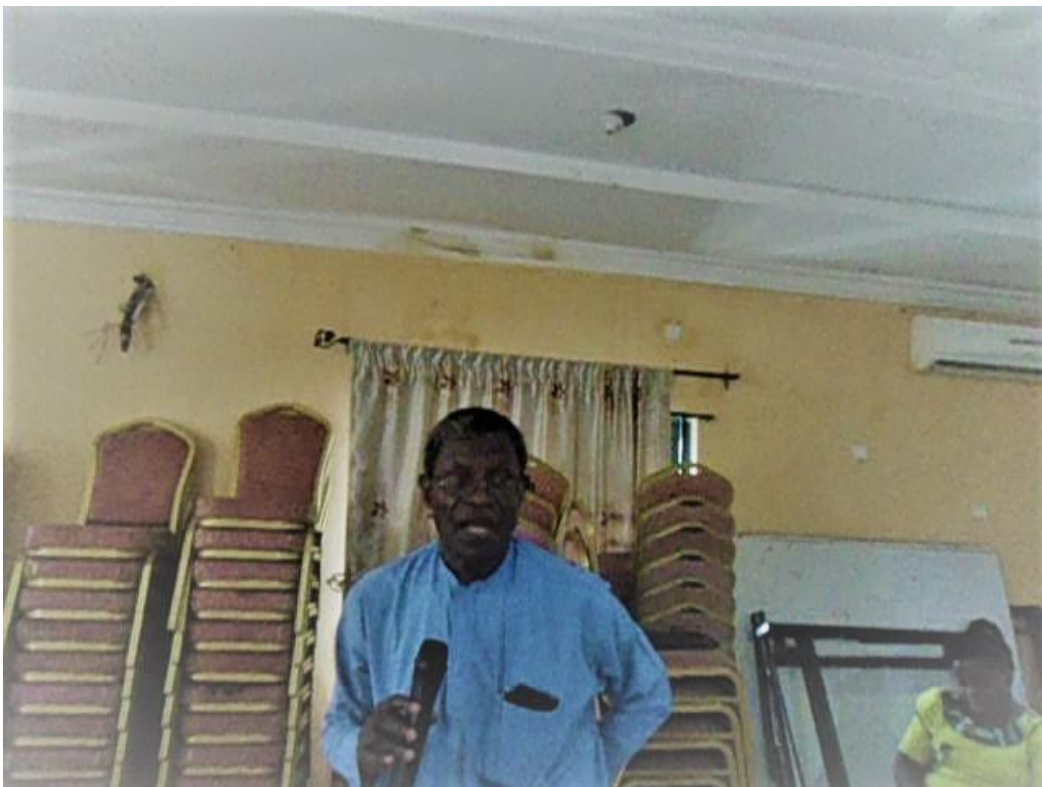
**ODOK KATHERINE BANKU, PROJECT OFFICER-SOCIO-ECONOMIC  
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTRE**



**A MEMBER OF CSOs IN ATTENDANCE**



**AMABI O. JOHN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR- (FEPFL)**



**COMRADE RAJAN SULEIMAN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-DEVELOPMENT  
AND FEMALE GENDER INITIATIVE (DEGENDER)**



**ABANIWO C. NATHANIEL, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-REHOBOTH  
COMMUNITY ADVANCEMENT INITIATIVE (RECAN)**



**Halima. O. Sadiq, Executive Director-PIBCID**