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SOUTHERN KADUNA
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EMPOWERMENT
FOUNDATION

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INTRODUCTION

Southern Kaduna is made up of 12 Local Govemment Areas in present Kaduna State (as at 2021), consisting of over 67 ethnic groups with a landmass of 26, 322.50 square kilometers and a population of 3, 381,307 as at 2006 census.

The area has favorable geographical environment of rugged mountain terrains, flood plains, forests and good weather with most of the population being famers.

Since the creation of the Nigerian State in 1914 PROGRAM THEMATIC AREAS and the adoption of indirect rule, the ethnic 1. Economic Development/Empowerment groups of Southern Kaduna have been margin- 2. Peace, Security and Conflict Management alized under the erstwhile Northem Nigeria, North Central State and now Kaduna State. 4. Human Development Except for the influence of Christian Missionaries who brought education and medicine to these PROGRAM STRATEGIES ethnic groups, they would have been totally over- 1. Economic Development/Empowerment run by poverty and degrading lifestyles.

The neglect, oppression, inequities and inequali- • Training workshops and skill acquisition ties perpetrated by governments against the • Networking people of Southern Kaduna, led to the formation • Information dissemination and registration of the Southern Kaduna Peoples Empowerment Foundation (SOKAPEF) by the 2. Peace, Security and Conflict Southern Kaduna Peoples' Union as an inde- Management pendent body to create opportunities and em- · Advocacy, campaigns and workshops powerment for Southern Kaduna People.

VISION

The enhancement of growth and development through empowerment of the people of Southem Kaduna towards sustainable development.

AIM AND OBJECTIVE

To promote the total development of Southern Kaduna through activities such as skill acquisitions, education/training, humanitarian i nterventions, agriculture, tourism, sensitization, among others.

- 3. Humanitarian Interventions

- Entrepreneurship
- Advocacy and campaigns

- Community dialogues
- Women, peace and security
- Peace education
- Inter-religious peace forum

3. Humanitarian Intervention

- Provision of basic needs for IDPs (food, clothing, shelter)
- Education in emergency situations.
- Intervention in cases of gender based violence

4. Human Development

- Maternal and child health
- Community health services
- Health care service delivery
- School-based initiatives
- Scholarship scheme for indigent community members
- Advocacy and training
- Awareness creation/sensitization

SOURCES OF INCOME

- 1. Grants from donors, foundations and development partners
- Donations from individuals and companies
- 3. Income generation activities
- 4. Dues and levies
- 5. Publications





