

SUCCESS STORY OF FARMER ON LANDLESS TANKY AT SERCHHIP VILLAGE, SERCHHIP DISTRICT

NAME OF VILLAGE: SERCHHIP

NAME OF ACTIVITY: WATER HARVESTING STRUCTURE AND DELIVERY SYSTEM

NAME OF LANDLESS FIG: TUICHAR LANDLESS FIG

NAME OF BENEFICIARY: Lalchhuanawma Siakeng

YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION: 2021-22

Amount: Rs. 5,00,000/-

Capacity: 18000 litre

INTRODUCTION: Lalchhuanawma Siakeng s/o Rochhinga (L) is a resident of Serchhip village and member of Tuichar Landless FIG under DMU-FOCUS, Serchhip. His main source of income is rabi crop cultivation which is located at tuichar zau. He mainly cultivate sweetcorn, mustard, pumpkin, brinjal, broccoli, cabbage etc. But water scarcity is the main problem faced by them. Moreover, he wanted to increase his income.

FOCUS INTERVENTION: Upon hearing his problem, in the year 2021, DMU-FOCUS Serchhip, allotted Tuichar Landless FIG for construction of elevated water storage structure-tank. Construction of water tanky is done through community procurement, all the members of FIG involved in this work. After construction was completed, their major problem was solved, the stored water is fully utilized for irrigating their crops. There is increase in production compared to last year production. In addition, they also received quality seeds from FOCUS which was very successful and increase his income. He is very grateful to FOCUS project.



