## SUCCESS STORY ON CONSTRUCTION OF PROTECTION OF WATER SOURCE UNDER FOCUS AT KANGHMUN SOUTH, SERCHHIP DISTRICT

## **PROFILE**

Name of Activity: Construction of Water Storage Structure – Protection of Water Source

Name of Village: Kanghmun South

District: Serchhip

Name of FIG: Sihpui CCA FIG

**Amount**: Rs 70,500 per unit (3 units per village)

**INTRODUCTION: Kanghmun South** is a village in Serchhip District. Due to the scarcity of clean water and lack of good water sources at the village, there has been a high demand for protection of water sources. After thoroughly surveying the importance and level of necessity, FOCUS, DMU-Serchhip felt the need to construct check dam for protection of water sources at Kanghmun South under Community Conservation area FIG.

AFTER FOCUS INTERVENTION: Upon hearing their problem, DMU-Serchhip District have allotted 3 units for Construction of Checkdam and Water Storage Structure under Protection of water source - CCA FIG. From this assistance they have constructed 2 Checkdam and 1 unit for Water Storage Structure at Sihpui located at 3 km away from the village under the supervision and regular monitoring by DMU Staff. Therefore, this serves as the main source of irrigation eliminating several irrigation constraints faced by villagers /farmers as well as nearby villages such Ramlai tui, Sekhum Mualthuam, Buangpui, and Thenzawl. The rain water has been checked after construction of the dam and increases the availability of water for irrigation of their farm crops and for domestic use.







