

# CENTRE FOR SOCIAL COHESION PEACE AND EMPOWERMENT ORGANIZATIONAL PROFILE

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### ABOUT THE ORGANISATION

Centre for Social Cohesion, Peace and Empowerment (CENSCOPE) is a non-profit organization that focuses on promoting the ideals of self-sustainability, equality and social justice to the members of the society, it was founded in the year 2014 out of the need to give succor and support to the victim of arm conflict and natural disasters in Nigeria. CENSCOPE focuses mainly on promoting social cohesion, preventing and countering violent extremism, conflict management, mitigation of human right abuses, promoting the principle of good governance and good public policy formulation, empowerment and provision of lifesaving and livelihood skills to victims of violent conflict, as well as promoting political participation and social inclusion on the basis of gender, religion and disability.

CENSCOPE is enhancing and strengthening the fabrics and structures of the society, and as well creating equal and sustaining empowerment opportunities across all boards. CENSCOPE partners with critical government institutions, private sector, philanthropies and non-governmental organizations

### Mission:

To advocate the ideals of self-sustainability, social justice and equality

### Motto:

Together we stand stronger

### Vision:

To promote and enable the creation and the actualization of a self-sustaining

### AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- I. To enhance the capacity of the members of the society towards the promotion of peaceful coexistence and resilience against the act of violence
- II. To advocate and provide support, care and empowerment opportunities to the victims of arm conflict
- III. To create a network of citizens working together for the enhancement of common societal interests and effective public policies
- IV. To promote equality and enabling opportunity to all citizens
- V. To promote the development of interpersonal skills for building networks and management of conflict
- VI. To advocate for the formulation and implementation of policies that will promote human value
- VII. To promote inclusion on the basis of gender, political participation and religion
- VIII. To empower members of the society to prevent and counter violent and extremist narratives
  - IX. To fight injustice against any member or part of the society

## **POLICIES**

# CENSCOPE's operations are governed by the following policies;

- I. Administration and financial policy
- II. Design, Monitoring, evaluation and Learning Policy
- III. Gender Policy

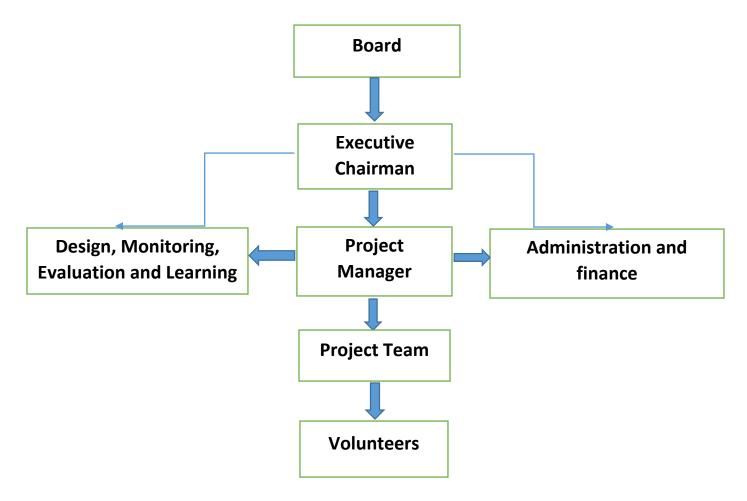
### **CORE VALUES**

- I. Integrity
- II. Honesty
- III. Accountability
- IV. Team work
- V. Dedication

### **BANKERS**

**Sterling Bank PLC** 

#### ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- 1. CENSCOPE in partnership with United Nations High commission for Refugees (UNHCR) and the Youth Federation for World Peace (YFWP) have organized and commemorated the 2018 - International Day for Peace to celebrate the return of peace and promote the reinforcement of sustainable and lasting peace in the state. CENSCOPE however, partners with other key and strategic partners to celebrate the commemorative days.
- 2. Community Resilience and Peace Networks (CRPN): In total efforts to actualize its mandate of promoting last lasting and sustainable peace in the society. In 2017 created a network of community members made up of mainly young people to periodically seat together and analyze the signs of conflict and possible signs of the break of law and order, CENSCOPE was able to inculcate and enhance the abilities of those community members to be resilient and advocates of peaceful coexistence. These platforms are still existing in Old Maiduguri of Jere LGA and as well Gamboru of Maiduguri Metropolitan council

- 3. Rapid Needs Assessment by the United Nations Food and Agricultural Organization (UN-FAO): in 2018, CENSCOPE in collaboration with the Network of Civil Society Organization Borno state (NECSOB) embarked on a rapid needs assessment to determine agricultural inputs for the 2018 raining reason for Internally displaced persons and returnees of Mafa Local Government Council
- 4. Distribution of food items in partnership with Dangote Foundation: In 2014, CENSCOPE in collaboration with Network of Civil Society Organization (NECSOB), partnered with Dangote Foundation through the Likeminds projects in Borno state to distribute assorted food items to internally displaced persons in Old Maiduguri of Jere Local Government council. In this intervention, more than 2,000 households were target and have successfully benefitted
- 5. Campaign on violent free election: Towards the 2015 general elections, CENSCOPE in partnership with the National Youth Council of Nigeria organized a youth summit and organized a vigorous advocacy to sensitize the young people in preparations for the 2015 general elections. Prior to electoral periods, the youth were perceived by most political actors as tools for violence and rigging the electoral process. This campaign have taken place in the markets, streets, tertiary institutions and major places that attracts the attention and audience of the youth
- 6. Environmental Protection and Community Development Program: CENSCOPE flagged-up an environmental protection program and community development program in Gamboru ward of Maiduguri Metropolitan Council and Old Maiduguri of Jere LGA, the program is aimed at creating awareness and sensitizing the youth and other members of the society of the importance of contributing their meaningful quota towards the development and the advancement of their society, these project have been thought provoking and woke the youth to deliver to their responsible as citizens
- 7. CENSCOPE is implementing a UK Government's Conflict Security and Stability Fund (CSSF); titled "Our Unity, Our Strength" in partnership with International Alert.