Sustainability Assessment Report

Location: Latitude: 14.14714107238158, Longitude: 79.07135009765626

Reporting Period: 2024

Executive Summary

This report assesses the sustainability potential of the specified site based on solar, wind, water harvesting, and green area analysis. The assessment reveals good potential for solar energy generation. However, wind energy is not feasible due to the residential nature of the land. Water harvesting potential is moderate, influenced by high rainfall but low soil suitability and slope. While the area boasts significant green coverage exceeding the feasibility criteria, the low barren land coverage limits certain development options. Recommendations focus on maximizing solar energy utilization and exploring specific water harvesting techniques suited to the site conditions.

Detailed Analysis

Resource	Feasibility	Details
Solar	de Good potential	4.752 kWh/m². Solar installation is beneficial.
Wind	Not Feasible	Land is residential. Not suitable for wind farms.
Water	Moderate Potential	Rainfall Score: 0.908, Soil Score: 0.04, Slope Score: 0.067, Overall Water Harvesting Score: 0.479
Green Area	Not Feasible	Green Coverage: 56.67%, Barren Coverage: 0.70%. Feasibility Criteria: Green >20% (Met), Barren >10% (Not Met)

- **Solar:** The site exhibits strong solar potential with an estimated 4.752 kWh/m². This indicates a favorable environment for solar energy generation and warrants further investigation into implementing solar installations.
- **Wind:** Wind energy generation is deemed unsuitable due to the land's residential designation, likely due to zoning restrictions and potential noise pollution concerns.
- Water Harvesting: The location receives substantial rainfall (score of 0.908). However, low soil suitability (0.04) and slope (0.067) present challenges for effective water harvesting. The overall score of 0.479 suggests that while some water harvesting is possible, careful selection of appropriate techniques and technologies is crucial.
- **Green Area Analysis:** The site has abundant green coverage (56.67%), exceeding the required threshold of 20%. However, the limited barren/open land area (0.70%), falling short of the 10% criterion, restricts development options that may necessitate open space. This suggests potential land

management strategies might be needed if future developments require more open area.

Recommendations

- **Prioritize Solar Energy:** Conduct a detailed feasibility study for solar panel installation, including optimal placement, system sizing, and connection to the grid or for off-grid applications.
- Optimize Water Harvesting: Explore water harvesting methods suitable for low soil permeability and gentle slopes, such as rooftop rainwater harvesting connected to appropriately sized storage tanks, and potentially consider permeable pavement solutions for runoff management.
- Land Management Strategy: Develop a long-term land management plan to address the limited barren/open land area. This could involve strategies for land acquisition, repurposing existing spaces, or implementing vertical development solutions if future projects require more open space.
- Further Site Investigation: Conduct further on-site assessments to evaluate soil composition, topography, and potential environmental impacts related to proposed sustainability initiatives. This would provide a more comprehensive understanding of the site's capabilities and limitations.