



KOGI STATE AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT
KOGI AGRICULTURAL SUMMIT: “AGRICULTURE: INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES”
PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

DAY 1

DATE	EVENT	TIME
19 th Nov. 2017	Arrival & Lodging	4.00pm
20 th Nov. 2017	i) Arrival & registration of participants ii) Opening ceremony <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - National Anthem - Opening prayer – <i>Most Rev Emmanuel Egbunu, Archbishop of Lokoja Ecclesiastical Province</i> - Keynote Address by Hon Commissioner of Agriculture and Natural Resources, <i>Hon (Barr) Olorunfoba Kehinde</i> - Interlude – Kogi State Arts & Culture - Address by <i>His Excellency, Alh Yahaya Bello</i> to declare the summit open - Lunch of Fair Agric Project by His Excellency. Facilitator MD ADP 	8.00 - 9.00am 9.00 – 9.05am 9.05 – 9.10am 9.10 – 9.20am 9.20 – 9.35am 9.35 – 9.50am 9.50 – 10.05am
	<u>Presentation 1:</u> i) It is Agriculture’s Time to Shine- By the Hon Minister of Agriculture & Rural Development, <i>Chief Audu Ogbah</i>	10.05 – 10.30am
	Tea Break	10.30 – 11.00am
	<u>Technical Paper 1:</u> ii) The Cassava Industry in Kogi State: The Journey so Far. - <i>By Dr. Godwin Alhassan, Kogi ADP</i> Paper Discussants: <i>Etudaiye Husseni, NRCRI, Umudike/ADP Board Member</i>	11.00 – 11.20am 11.20 – 11.40am
	<u>Presentation 2:</u> iii) Biofuel Prospects in Kogi State. By <i>Engr. Hussaini Solomon, MD Biodiesel Nigeria Limited</i> and <i>Dr Sashi Mozumder, Project Director, Contec Global Energy Limited</i>	11.40 – 12.00pm
	<u>Presentation 3:</u> iv) Supporting agricultural transformation. By Mr <i>Adewale Ajadi, Country Manager Synergos Nigeria</i>	12.00 – 12.10pm



	<p><u>Technical Paper 2:</u></p> <p>v) Economic Prospects of Agricultural Investments in Kogi state. – By <i>Prof. Zakari Abdulsalami</i>, Faculty of Agriculture, ABU Zaria</p> <p>Paper Discussants: <i>Mr. Tayo Adewunmi</i> , National Coordinator Fadama</p> <p><u>Presentation 4:</u></p> <p>vi) Agiriculture in Kogi State: Farmers Perspective: By <i>Mr. Shatta Adoga, Mrs. Rabi Emaieku , Dcn. Simeon Ocheni and Youth Representative</i></p> <p><u>Presentation 5:</u></p> <p>vii) Agriculture: Investment Opportunities. By DG Bureau for Public and Private Partnerships, <i>Arch. Bob Achanya</i></p>	<p>12.10 – 12.30pm</p> <p>12:30 – 12.50pm</p> <p>12.50 – 1.40pm</p> <p>1.40 – 2.00pm</p>
	<p>Interaction with foreign and local investors / Lunch</p>	<p>2.00 – 3.30pm</p>
<p>21st Nov. 2017</p>	<p>DAY II</p> <p>i) Registration of Participants</p> <p><u>Technical paper 3:</u></p> <p>ii) Value Chain in Farm Settlement/Villages. - By <i>Prof Tunji Arokoyo</i>, International Consultant Agriculture & Rural Development</p> <p>Paper Discussants: Professor <i>Emmanuel Ikani</i>, NAERLS ABU Zaria</p> <p><u>Technical Paper 4:</u></p> <p>iii) Investment and Business Opportunities in Kogi State Agricultural Sector. – By <i>Prof. Dauda Yusuf</i>, IAR Zaria</p> <p>Paper Discussant: <i>Dr (Mrs) Mary Agada</i>, University of Agriculture, Makurdi</p> <p><u>Presentation 6:</u></p> <p>iv) Bank of Industry Presentation by <i>Mr Kings Jack</i>, Regional Manager North Central.</p>	<p>8.00 – 9.00am</p> <p>9.00 – 9.30am</p> <p>9.30 – 9.50am</p> <p>9.50 – 10.10</p> <p>10.10 – 10.40</p> <p>10.40 – 11.00</p>



	Tea Break	11.00 – 11.20
	<p><u>Technical Paper 5</u></p> <p>v) Commercial Cassava Production and Processing in Kogi state: our experience – By <i>Mr. Dele Ogunlade</i>, MD/CEO Crest Agro.</p> <p>Paper Discussant: <i>Mr. Abdulrasaq Abdulkadir</i> and <i>Mr. Aminu Okikiri</i></p> <p><u>Presentation 7:</u></p> <p>vi) Harnessing Agricultural Potentials of Kogi State for Youth Engagement – By <i>Mr Mohammed Onudoga Sumaila</i>, Agriculture & Livelihood Consultant, Lift Up Care Foundation Lokoja</p> <p><u>Technical Paper 6</u></p> <p>vii) Investment Opportunity in Agric sector: Our involvement. – By <i>Dr. Dikko Raja</i>, DG. SMEDAN</p> <p>Paper Discussants: <i>Prof. Paul Bolorunduro</i>, NEARLS ABU Zaria</p> <p><u>Presentation 8:</u></p> <p>viii) CBN Presentation – By <i>Mr Sunday Sorungbe</i>, CBN Development Finance Officer, Lokoja</p>	<p>11.20 – 11.40pm</p> <p>11.40 – 12.00pm</p> <p>12.00 – 12.20pm</p> <p>12.20 – 12.40pm</p> <p>12.40 – 1.00pm</p> <p>1.00 – 1.20pm</p>
	Presentation of prices to winners of essay competition- By <i>Dr Isah Ochepea</i> , Permanent Secretary Ministry of Agriculture, Kogi	1.20 – 1.25pm
	Exhibition / Early Departure	1.25 – 1.50pm
	Vote of Thanks – By <i>Mr Isaac Ejiga</i> , Director Rural Infrastructural Development Kogi ADP	1.50 – 1.55pm
	Closing Prayers - By <i>Alh. Isah Usman</i>	1.55 – 2.00pm
	Lunch/MOU Signing/Tour/Departure	2.00pm