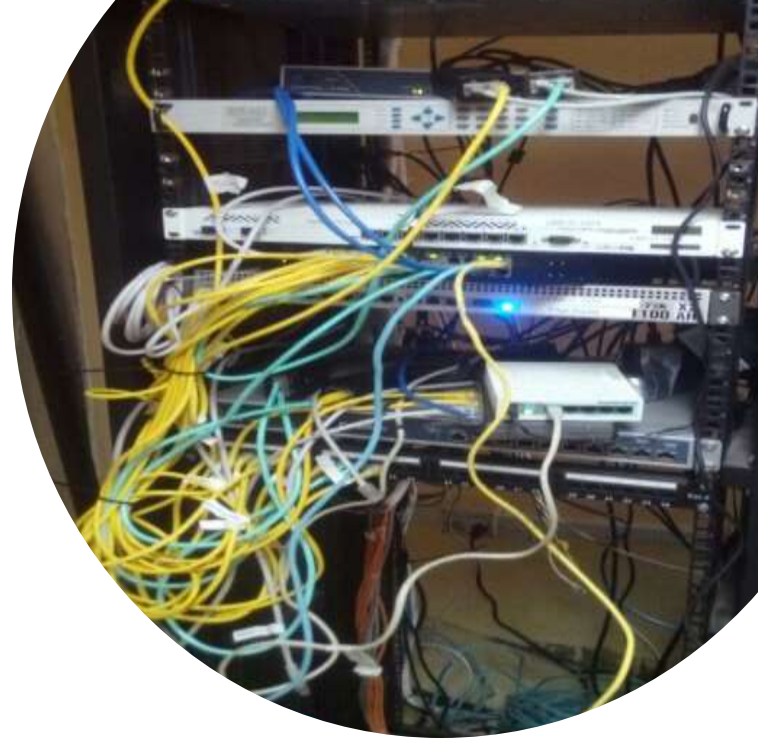# DIGITAL LIBERIA AND ELECTRONIC GOVERNMENT ACTIVITY (DIGITAL LIBERIA E-GOV)

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USAID Digital Liberia e-Gov Activity aims to improve government's performance and bring government closer to citizens by assisting it to develop its internet and computer technology capability. It will do this by providing technical assistance to help improve the connectivity and institutional capacity necessary to provide effective services.

The Activity also seeks to increase sustainable utilization of ICT related systems, processes, and procedures at targeted Ministries, Agencies and Commission to improve government decision making and management. By supporting the capacity development of government internet services provision, the Activity works to extend inter-agency connectivity.

Current Activities

- Rolling out Integrated Financial Management System (IFMIS), Asset Management Information System (AMIS) and Liberian Revenue Authority (LRA) revenue sites eServices on GovNet;

- Building Public Procurement & Concessions Commission capacity to guide and regulate internet procurement processes;

- Guiding Ministry of Post and Telecommunications (MOPT) in information and actions required to secure ICT systems in transition; and

- Assisting the MOPT in its efforts approach to improve utilization of scarce ICT skills in Government

Accomplishments to Date

- Deployed Asset Management Information System (AMIS) by General Services Agency and adoption by Liberian Revenue Authority (LRA), and enhanced sustainability of software purchased by a previous USAID project;

- Enhanced Project Management Office (PMO) capacity to manage MOPT's relationship with Metro Fibre Ring implementer;

- Developed MIS, project management and eGov communications implementation toolkits for the MOPT;

- Created Government Network (GovNet) for inter-Government communications; which has potentital of saving GOL more than $400,000 annually;

- Piloted Integrated Financial Management System (IFMIS) at four MACs and entered agreement to expand IFMIS sites, as well as LRA revenue sites and AMIS; and

- Developed guidelines, standard bidding documents, evaluation template and concept of operations for the procurement of internet connectivity .

Planned Outcomes

- GoL will have a greater capability to implement the National eGovernment Strategy and thereby improve its performance through the use of ICT (Information and Communications Technology).

- GoL will have improved capability to "harness the potential of ICT…" to:
  - provide more effective, better integrated and more efficient services with improved outcomes within GoI, and for citizens and businesses;
  - connect government entities to the public and the world;
  - better organize itself to encourage developments and investments; and
  - decision-makers will be better able to act smartly, with the availability of reliable information, not least to help GoL to prevent, detect and respond to crises more effectively