

Independent Study Title People’s Participation in Process of Village Civil Society in
Infrastructure Development in Tambon Talad Kwan, Amphoe Doi
Saket, Changwat Chiang Mai

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Abstract

The objectives of this study , “ People’s Participation in Process of Village Civil Society in Infrastructure Development in Tambon Talad Kwan, Amphoe Doi Saket, Changwat Chiang Mai”are : to study process of civil society in development of infrastructure and role of people in civil society process in area of Tambon Talad Kwan, Amphoe Doi Saket, Changwat Chiang Mai. The sampling group in this study was villagers from 6 villages of Tambon Talad Kwan, Amphoe Doi Saket, Changwat Chiang Mai.

The result of this study revealed that people had knowledge and understanding in process of civil society in development of infrastructure at low level. There should be an opportunity for villagers in local communities to set up Civil Society Forum at both village and Tambon levels.

The system for community management should be established together with working committee which was designated its duties and responsibilities clearly and suitability. There should be cooperation in designation of visions, objectives and guidelines for development of infrastructure. Furthermore, villagers should also have opportunities to get information, be able to monitor works from government sector, to participate and be aware of impacts that might occur in communities. There should also be supportive for local people in order to gain knowledge and help among another, to exchange working experiences and to apply local wisdom in solving problems and sustainable development of communities.