Rights to Land and Resources in the Enguserosambu Community Forest, Tanzania

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Project Location
Enguserosambu Ward

- 4 villages – Enguserosambu, Nann, Ng’arwa, Orkiu-Juu
- a decade of negotiation
- central government gave land management authority [title] to the local communities [2012]
- a management mechanism was established – the Ensguserosambu Forest Trust
- the EFT trying to build their capacity to mount comprehensive planning and implementation for building the benefits from their lands
- management and benefits are based on cultural traditions and focused on preserving the Maasai culture