

Shared Site

6-Month Update

Mahubo, Mozambique



Site Description:

Located in the district of Boane, Mozambique, the Mahubo site has an area of 402 hectares. The Mahubo site offers a unique mangrove ecosystem teeming with life serving the local population with vital fisheries. The local community comprises over 102,000 people, most of whom rely on agriculture for subsistence. The area has seen a massive loss of its mangrove forests due to resource poverty and the need for fuelwood. So frequently, the local populations of communities like this are exploited by larger businesses to use their resources unsustainably, all while paying extremely low wages.

Eden Reforestation Projects Mozambique offers long-term employment and environmental protection at the Mahubo site to 30 people. Through empowering the local community, the people are incentivized to protect their environment. In addition, they are given the opportunity to save money to enhance their overall well-being.

With the support of our business partners who sponsor this site and the local community’s participation, Eden Reforestation Projects Mozambique planted 334,946 trees at this site from October 2020 - March 2021. Through Eden’s “Employ-To-Plant” methodology and the active support of our donors, we look forward to restoring and protecting this vital habitat

Monthly Planting Numbers - Mahubo 2020-2021						
Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Total
134,450	72,092	16,634	3,950	70,000	37,820	334,946

Forest Type: Mangrove
Coordinates: 26°10'18.62"S, 32°23'53.76"E
Planting Density: 10,000-20,000 Trees/Hectare
Area of Reforestation Site: 402 Hectares



Reforestation Progress: [Mahubo, Mozambique](#)

Photo 1: A part of the local community that relies on the river estuary system.



Photo 2: A member of our planting crew planting mangrove propagules.



Photo 3: Young mangroves thriving 6 months after being planted



Photo 4: Mangrove propagules planted along a river canal

