

# A Journey Toward Local Content Regulation for Better E.I Governance in Gunung Mas District *a Lesson Learned*



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# BACKGROUND



The Gunung Mas (Gumas) District has abundant natural resources especially mineral resources.



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YTS is advocating for more opportunity to achieve harmony and synergy between district government, extractive industries, local indigenous communities, and the informal mining sector.



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- To do so, there are several concerns that need to be addressed include: technological, environmental, economic, social, government and politic.
- Gumas do not have local regulation that govern relation between government, companies, and community toward maximum benefits from the mining industry.

# Governance Issues on EI

Formal mining companies already face challenges and problems in Gumás District include: engagement, access to resources utilization, direct benefits for local people, and security issues.





# Governance Issues on EI

Role of Government as service provider  
(supply side)



# Governance Issues on EI

Role of community in demand side

on demand community



# YTS and CSR

- More than 8 years on community development especially livelihood program under Exploration Mining Company, KSK.
- During project implementation throughout the years, we discover that CSR has to be put as complementary aspect into government framework for sustainable development.





# Promoting Local Content Regulation

- We don't use direct approach
- It takes four years for government to be on board with YTS advocacy for local content regulation initiative
- We are now in inquiry of more knowledge and good practises in sub national that successfully developing local content regulation

# Governance Project Initiative



## First Step:

Cognitive development of government staff & officials on good governance principles and technical skills especially in planning and budgeting;

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Second Step:  
Policy Advocacy on Planning and Budgeting



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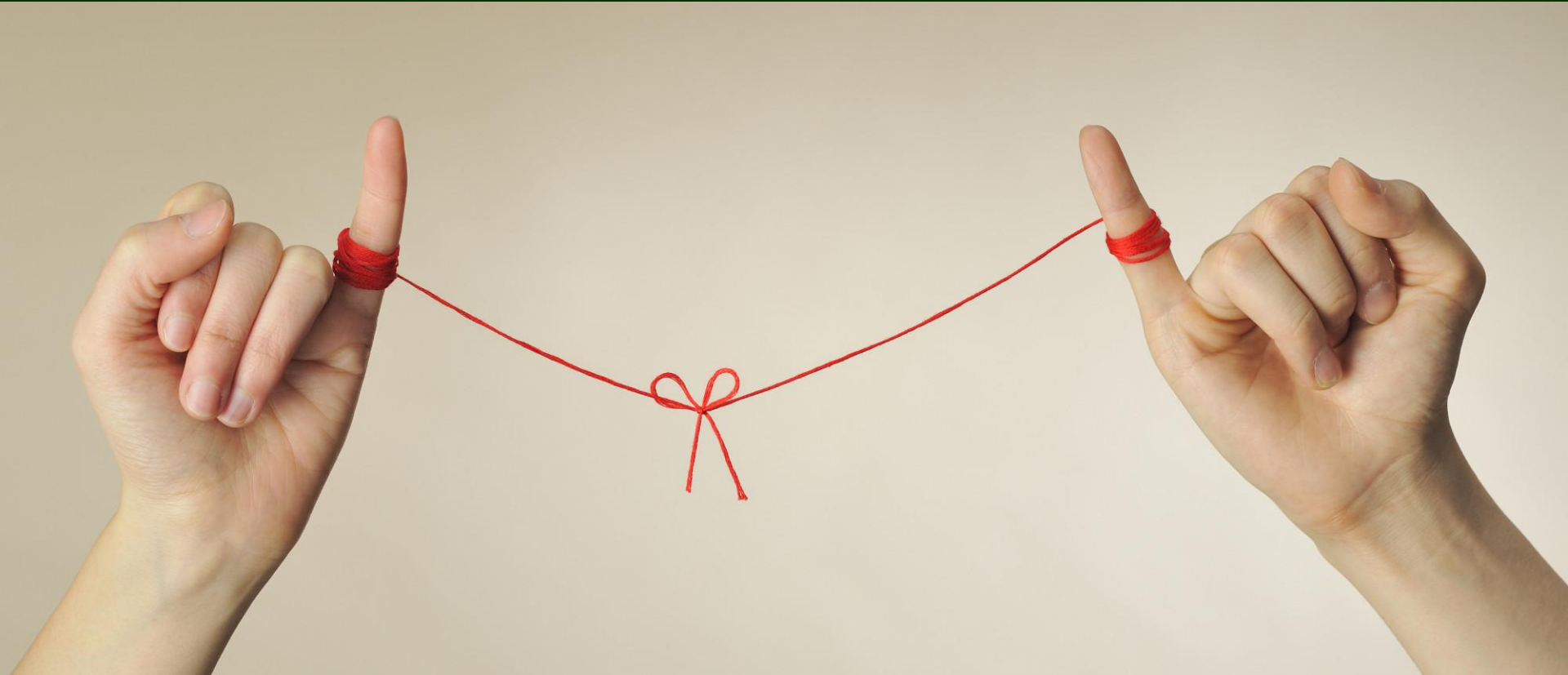
Next Step :

Intensify development planning and budgeting include: local content regulation drafting and revenue management from benefit sharing from EI.

# Summary

- We started from the basic
- Advocacy for better governance extractive industry come later on (in third year)
- Governance Project extend its advocacy agenda based on needs and opportunity
- Momentum to bring advocacy agenda on the table plays crucial part.

# The Lesson Learned



We need to earn recognition and then trust improved; ---  
your reputation proceed you ---- persistence-  
consistence-patience



# The Lesson Learned

Cognitive development plays key roles in countering ignorance and resistance



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Finding wisdom together  
Your success is ours



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