

## **APPENDIX 3.10.7**

### **LIST OF REQUESTS FOR ASSISTANCE BY FIVE VILLAGES FOLLOWING PUBLIC MEETINGS**

Item	Sub item	Abnabna	Ayanfuri	Fobinso	Gyaaman	Nkonya A/P	Comments
Project Acceptance	Acceptance by the people	x	x	x	x	x	
	Registration with District Assembly	x				x	Comment from the DCE
	Customary rites to the Local and Paramount Chiefs for the project area	x		x		x	Comment from Abnabna, Mampon and Ataase Chiefs and DCE
	Courtesy call by Directors to Local and Paramounts Chiefs for the project area	x					No Director has paid courtesy call to the Chief and his elders.
	Name of Project	x					Why the name "Central Ashanti"
Project Impact	Areas to be affected/impact	x				x	Extent of impact and total area of communities land to be affected
	Processing plant location	x					To be located on Abnabna land so that they could benefit from electricity
Electricity	Extension of electricity	x		x		x	
	Upgrade of existing electricity				x		
Drinking water	Borehole (s)	x		x		x	
	Extension piped water from Ayanfuri				x		
Sanitation	Vector control			x	x		
	Propoer Waste management		x		x		Proposed by the District Assembly
	KVIP				x		Immediate need
Education	New school Block			x	x	x	
	School Improvement					x	
	Accommodation for Teachers						
	Vocational school / training		x		x		
	Scholarships for needy but brilliant children from the communities		x		x		
	Computer Science Centre				x		
	Support for Senior Secondary School		x				
	Sports / Playing Ground		x				
Health	Establish clinic				x		
	Upgrade existing clinic to Hospital		x				
	NHIS cover for needy farmers			x	x		

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	NHIS cover for needy Locals		x				
Employment	Unskilled - Local people only	x			x		
	Drivers – priority to locals		x				Complained that current CAGL drivers are non-locals
	Skilled – Priority to Local if suitable	x	x				
	% local Predetermined		x				
	Locals employed through Palace only		x		x		
	Married women opportunities		x		x		Alleged that previous operation discriminated against married women
	Women opportunities		x	x			women to be given priority
	HR Manager - must be Local		x				
	Apprenticeship for unskilled locals		x	x	x	x	To acquire employable skills
	Quota to be linked with level of impact	x	x				
	Contract works to local Contractors		x		x		
	Local employment on permanent basis			x			
Galamsey Operation	Set aside an area for ‘galamsey’	x	x	x	x	x	
Crop compensation	Fair assessment procedures						
	Attitude of crop assessors	x	x		x	x	Farmers not given due respect. Farmers not informed before entry into their farms.
	Monthly/yearly payments not lump sum		x		x		Prefer monthly/yearly compensation payment to lumpsum.
	Plans for the aged who will lose their cocoa farm and farmland			x	x		
	Payment through Banks outside District					x	Prefer to be paid via banks in the District
	Rates negotiation to involve District Assembly						Proposed by DCE from Wassa Akropong
	Compensate for wild palm in the wetland		x				Wild palm is source of income as local wine is tapped from it.
	Compensation for uncultivated land				x		
	CAGL to provide land for cocoa farms			x	x		
	Stage dev - Farmlands to be destroyed only when required			x			
Development fund (1)	During construc./operations		x		x		To be based on ounce produced
Development fund (2)	To invest in small scale industries within		x	x	x		Proposed by Member of Parliament to

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	the communities after closure						provide employment after closure
Alternate Livelihood			x	x	x		Proposed by District Assembly
Upgrade of Roads	Main access road to village			x			
	Roads network within the village		x				
Customary Practices	Respect for the people & their customs	x				x	
	Local bye laws by the Chiefs		x				CAGL to respect these bye laws
Others	AGA's Liability passed on to CAGL?		x				
	Chief's palace- commitment by AGA		x				Commitment by AGA to Ayanfuri
	New Market - commitment by AGA		x				Commitment by AGA to Ayanfuri
	Improve on Market to standard one				x		
	Request for Chief's Palace				x	x	
	Finance to local businesses				x		
	Rent payment from use of mine camp		x				
	Access to interest-free loans by women			x	x		
	Community Centre		x		x		
	Improvement of existing meeting place			x			
	Pits to be backfilled after closure		x		x		
	CAGL to encourage employees to live within the communities		x				
	Provision of Corn Mill				x		
	Copy of plans & commitment to DA				x		Proposed by DCE
Resettlement	Provision of all essential amenities			x			