

**Agenda for  
Meeting On Learning Alliance  
23 June 2006**

**Micro-Agricultural Water Management Technologies  
For Small-Scale Farmers  
In  
Southern Africa**

**FAO-IWMI-USAID/OFDA**

**Venue: Kopano Conference Room,  
Campus of ARC- Institute for Agricultural Engineering (ARC-ILI)  
International Water Management Institute (IWMI),  
141, Cresswell Street, Weavind Park, Silverton, Pretoria 0127.**

**Meeting Chairman: Dr Martin Ager, FAO Regional Office, Harare.**

- 08.30: Registration and Coffee
- 09.00 Official Opening by Mr. George Mburathi, FAO Representative in South Africa
- 09.15: Presentation by Dr. Douglas Merrey of Final Report on Agricultural Water Management Technologies for Small Scale Farmers in Southern Africa: An Inventory and Assessment of Experiences, Good Practices and Costs.<sup>1</sup>
- 09.45: Presentation by Mr. Felix Dzvurumi, FAO Consultant, of his Evaluation of Emergency Small-Scale Irrigation Projects in Southern Africa<sup>2</sup>. This evaluation is focused on Mozambique, Zimbabwe, Malawi and Lesotho
- 10.30 Coffee
- 10.45: Discussion of both papers
- 11.45: Synthesis of lessons learned, follow-up actions and next steps.
- 12.15: Discussion on formation of Learning Alliance for Micro-Agricultural Water Management Technologies in Southern Africa
- 12.45: Closing Remarks by Chairman
- 13.00: Finger Lunch.

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<sup>1</sup> Study commissioned by United States Office of Foreign Disaster Assistance (OFDA), Southern Africa Regional Office, United States Agency for International Development and Investment Centre of the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO –TCI)

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