What’s happening in Bumi?

Bumi is a small neighborhood close to the commercial center of Solo. Many Bumi residents live close to where they work in the local batik factories. Since it is an older area, it is built up and some areas, but not all, have access to services.

This Mini Atlas collects information about Bumi so everyone can see and understand what is going on. Information about the condition of services can help people discuss what they want from the annual participatory budgeting process, the musrenbang. Our goal is to make citizens more informed about their communities.

What are Bumi’s assets?

- Good education of youth
- Batik factories and skilled batik workers
- Near the river

What are potential issues?

- High poverty rate
- Low public water service
- Poor condition of the river

What can be done to clean up the river?

There are areas of flooding and rubbish along the river. This puts housing at risk.

Does the community need more public sanitation and WC?

Two out of three families have access to private sanitation. This is below the Kec. average of 76%. More people use public toilets than the Kec. in general, where the average is 11%.

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Residents are concerned about the environment and access to information about health. This suggests people may get involved.

What information about health do residents want?

- Low awareness of the environment
- Not enough information from government about health issues
- High price of health care

Land tenure is almost as high as the Kec. average, which is 79%. 7% of HH without title are magersari, who live on royal land. Tenure is lowest near the river.

SUMMARY

- Population = 7,097
- # Households (HH) = 1,687
- Average HH size = 4.2

- 76% of the land is titled
- Average age 60+ = 0% 20 – 29 = 9%
- 34% of the population is male
- Permanent location = 80%
- Educational level = 8th grade

- 18% of the area is flood prone
- 6% of the area has groundwater

- 57% of the area is covered by buildings
- 43% of the area is open space
- 0.5% of the area is water

- 80% of the population is Muslim
- 18% of the population is Hindu

- 4% of the population is Christian

- 40% of the population is below the poverty line

- 34% of the population is employed
- 4% of the population is unemployed
- 62% of the population is self-employed

- 3% of the population is vacation
- 0% of the population is retired

- 56% of the population is married
- 44% of the population is single

- 0% of the population is divorced

- 0% of the population is separated

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