



December 29, 2020



DISTINGUISHED SENATOR AHMED LAWAN SENATE PRESIDENT



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HON. BENJAMIN OKEZIE KALU OFFICIAL SPOKESPERSON, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

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Thank you for honouring my invitation to this townhall meeting, another fulfilment of my promise to ndi Bende to frequently engage the leaders and stakeholders of Bende in consultation and also regularly tender a report of my activities at the National Assembly.

It is now one and half years since I was sworn in to represent Bende and the passion to rewrite the history of our people and reposition Bende Federal Constituency for national political inclusion and the development of Bende has remained my driving force.

2020 has been an interesting year with the peculiarities of the Covid-19 pandemic posing a formidable challenge to our mission to economically emancipate Bende. I, therefore, encourage everyone to continue complying with all government issued health and safety guidelines as we navigate these trying times. Thankfully, the spirit of resilience divinely gifted to every son and daughter of Bende has given us the extra push we needed to survive and thrive this year. In spite of challenges and opposition, considerable progress has been made on the promises in my manifesto to the glory of God.

While I thank all the leaders, traditional rulers, indigenes and other stakeholders of Bende for the love and support so far, I must also encourage you to keep this divine mission in your prayers as we match towards the promised land.

The following constitutes a brief summary of the journey so far.

Signed Hon. Benjamin Okezie Kalu (MHR)

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Introduction Presentation of Kola Nuts

Chairman's Opening Speech Honourable Member's Speech

Inauguration of 40 Aides Music Interlude

Presentation of Report Interactive Session

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Debates: Over 15 contributions to Debates and Motions that aligned with my legislative agenda, especially, those crucial to the well-being of ndi Bende and Niaeria as a whole.

2 Petition: Laida petition before the House for the re-instatement of a constituent who was wrongfully dismissed by the Nigeria Army.

Committee Membership: Appointed Chairperson of House Committee on Media and Public Affairs and Official Spokseperson of the House, a record a chievement for a first timer in the National Assembly. Also appointed member of the Bollowing STRATEGIC COMMITTEES - L MEDIA & PUBLIC AFFAIRS 3.

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- A. COMMITTEE ON FCT JUDICIARY
- B. COMMITTEE ON CLIMATE CHANGE C. COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

D. COMMITTEE ON DEFENCE E. COMMITTEE ON FEDERAL CHARACTER

F. COMMITTEE ON HEALTH INSTITUTION

G. COMMITTEE ON HEALTHCARE SERVICES H. COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS

- I. MEDIA & PUBLIC AFFAIRS L PETROLEUM RESOURCES (UPSTREAM) K.COMMITTEE ON PILGRIMS AFFAIRS LCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC PETITIONS M.COMMITTEE ON RULES & BUSINESS N.COMMITTEE ON FEDERAL JUDICIARY OCOMMITTEE ON AIRFORCE PNATIONAL SECURITY & INTELLIGENCE

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It is now just about 180 days ago that I was sworn in to represent Bende and the passion rewrite the history of our people and reparition Bende Federal Constituency for noilo political Incision and the development of Bande has remained my driving force. I am pro to announce that I hit the ground running upon my swearing in to the "bihlouse Representatives on the 11th of June, 2015with a minick-et to deliver the dividends democroy to my people and the nation at large, July executing the 3 locets of my functions an elected representative- legibiliting, representation and oversight.

The following constitutes a brief summary of my activities so far

Signed Hon. Benjamin Okezie Kalu (MHR)

2. Bills: Sponsored 27 bills; one of the highest number of bills sponsored by a first time Bill No. Title HB.18 Acts Authentication Act (Amendment) Bill, 2019 Acts Authentication Act (Amendment) Bill, 2019 Committee on Justices
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ACHIEVEMENTS Motions: Moved total of 5 motions including the first motion of the 9th Assembly;

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- Motion on theNeed to Combat Threatening Environmental Degradation in Nkpo, Bende, Itambuzo, Alayi and Communities in Abio State and other communities across the Country and surrounding communities in Bende Federal Constituency.
- Motion on the need to suspend the implementation of the cashless policy on deposits by the Central Bank of Nigrefra. Motion on the need to investigate the alleged violation of tabour laws by international ail companies in Nigeria.
- Motion on the urgent need to investigate the failure and refusal of the Niger-Delta Development Commission to submit its budget estimates for 2019 to the National Assembly for approval.







Project Title SUPPLY OF EMPOWERMENT MATERIALS IN BENDE TOWN, **BENDE CONSTITUENCY,** ABIA STATE

Date: 8th February, 2020 / Time: 10:00am Venue: Agbamuzuvillage Hall Bende



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Moved total of 15 motions including the first motion of the 9th Assembly;

A Need to Combat Threatening Degradation in Nkpa, Bende, Itumbuzo, Alayi and Other Communities Across the Country	B Breach of Privilege of the House of Representatives Brought Pursuant to Order 6 of the Standing Orders of the House of Representatives and Section 17 of the Legislative Houses (Powers and Privileges) Act, 2018	C Need to Suspend the Implementation of the Cashless Policy on Deposits by the Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN)
D Urgent Need to Ensure Speedy Reconstruction of the Akanu Ibiam International Airport Runway and Installation of Landing Aids	E Urgent Need to Combat Severe Landslide and Other Threatening Environmental Degradation in Alayi and Other Communities in Bende Federal Constituency	F Need to Investigate the Failure and Refusal of the Niger-Delta Development Commission to Submit its Budget Estimates for 2019 to the National Assembly for Approval
G Urgent Need to Investigate the 'Deep Blue' Contract of \$195,300,000 Between the Federal Ministry of Transport and HSL International Limited and the Alleged Use of Cabotage Funds to Service the Contract	H Need to Increase the Government's Funding of Nigeria's Health Sector	Need to Investigate the Alleged Violation of Labour Laws by International Oil Companies (IOCs)
J Coronavirus: Urgent Need to Evacuate Over 65 Nigerians From the City of Wuhan and the Wider Hubei Province in the Peoples Republic of China	K Maltreatment and Institutional Racial Discrimination Against Nigerians Living in China by the Government of China	L Need to Curb the Rising Incidences of Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) Related Explosions Nationwide
Need to Suspend the Proposed Recapitalization of Insurance Companies, Insurance Intermediaries and other Players in the Insurance Sector in View of the COVID-19 Pandemic and the Economic Recession	N A Call on the Nigerian Customs Services (NCS) to Suspend the Directive to Stop the Use of Barges for Evacuation of Containers Into and Out of Nigerian Ports	Need to Investigate the Non-Payment of PPPRA Administrative Charge on Imported Refined Petroleum Products by members of the Major Oil Marketers Association of Nigeria (MOMAN), Depot and Petroleum Products Marketers Association of Nigeria (DAPPMAN) and the Independent Petroleum Marketers Association of Nigeria (IPMAN) since 2015

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Sponsored a total of 36 bills; one of the highest number of bills sponsored by a first timer in the history of the National Assembly.

S/No.	Bill No.	Title	First Reading	Second Reading	Committee(s) Referred
1.	HB.18	Acts Authentication Act (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Wed., 3 Jul., 2019	Tue., 5 Nov., 2019	Committee on Justice
2.	HB.19	Nigerian Meteorological Agency Act (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Wed., 3 Jul., 2019	Thur., 18 Jul, 2019	Committee on Aviation
3.	HB.20	Nigerian Communications Act (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Wed., 3 Jul., 2019		
4.	HB.21	Federal Capital Territory Education Resource Centre (Est.) Bill, 2019	Wed., 3 Jul., 2019	Wed., 27 Nov., 2019	Committee on Federal Capital Territory
5.	HB.22	Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (Alteration) Bill, 2019	Wed., 3 Jul., 2019		Withdrawn
6.	HB.29	Export Prohibition Act (Repeal) Bill, 2019	Thur., 4 Jul., 2019	Wed., 18 Sept., 2019	Committee on Commerce
7.	HB.34	Nigeria Export Processing Zones Authority Act (Repeal and Re-enactment) Bill, 2019	Thur., 4 Jul., 2019		
8.	HB.35	Investment and Securities Act (Repeal and Re- enactment) Bill, 2019	Thur., 4 Jul., 2019		
9.	HB.186	Foreign Service Commission (Establishment) Bill, 2019	Thur., 18 Jul, 2019		
10.	HB.187	National Planning Process Bill, 2019	Thur., 18 Jul, 2019		
11.	HB.188	Entrepreneurship Development Bank of Nigeria Bill, 2019	Thur., 18 Jul, 2019		
12.	HB.189	Patents (Additional Rights) Bill, 2019	Thur., 18 Jul, 2019		
13.	HB.190	Unclaimed Dividends Trust Fund Bill, 2019	Thur., 18 Jul, 2019		
14.	HB.227	Statutory Bodies (Annual Reports, etc.) Bill, 2019	Tue., 23 Jul, 2019		
15.	HB.228	Federal Character Commission Act (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Tue., 23 Jul, 2019		
16.	HB.229	Internal Loans (Rehabilitation, Reconstruction and Development) Act (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Tue., 23 Jul, 2019		
17.	HB.230	Public Accounts Implementation Tribunal Act (Repeal) Bill, 2019	Tue., 23 Jul, 2019		
18.	HB.231	Official Secrets Act (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Tue., 23 Jul, 2019		
19.	HB.631	National Inspector-General for Tax Crime Commission (Establishment) Bill, 2019	Thur., 20 Dec., 2019		
20.	HB.852	Federal College of Education, Bende (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2020	Wed., 10 Jun., 2020		
21.	HB.853	Federal College of Land Resources Technology, Igbere (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2020	Wed., 10 Jun., 2020		
22.	HB.854	Industrial Development (Income Tax Relief) Act (Amendment) Bill, 2020	Wed., 10 Jun., 2020		
23.	HB.855	Counterfeit Currency (Special Provisions) Act (Amendment) Bill, 2020	Wed., 10 Jun., 2020		
24.	HB.856	Dangerous Drugs Act (Amendment) Bill, 2020	Wed., 10 Jun., 2020		
25.	HB.951	Federal College of Agriculture, Ishiagu (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2020	Tue., 14 Jun., 2020		

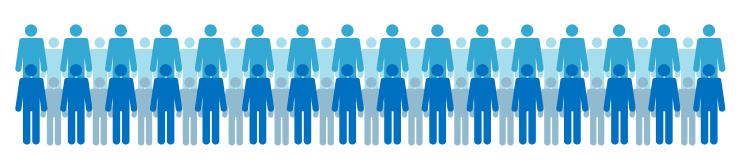
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26.	HB.955	Federal College of Land Resources Technology, Owerri (Establishment, etc.) Bill, 2020	Tue., 14 Jun., 2020	
27.	HB.972	Interpretation Act (Amendment) Bill, 2020	Tue., 14 Jun., 2020	
28.	HB.1035	Epidemologist-General of the Federation of Nigeria (Est. etc.) Bill, 2020	Thur., 23 Jul., 2020	
29.	HB.1036	Nigerian Street-Trading Regulatory Commission (Est., etc.) Bill, 2020	Thur., 23 Jul., 2020	
30.	HB.1037	Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria, 1999 (Alteration) Bill, 2020	Thur., 23 Jul., 2020	
31.	HB.1038	Legal Aid Act (Amendment) Bill, 2020	Thur., 23 Jul., 2020	
32.	HB.1039	Nigeria Incentive-Based Risk Sharing System for Agricultural Lending (NIRSAL) Bill, 2020	Thur., 23 Jul., 2020	
	HB.64	Oil and Gas Free Zones Act (Repeal and Re- enactment) Bill	Tue., 24 Nov., 2020	
33.	HB.65	Petroleum Technology Development Fund Act (Repeal and Re-enactment) Bill	Tue., 24 Nov., 2020	
34.	HB.1165	Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria (Alteration) Bill, 2020	Tue., 15 Dec., 2020	
35.	HB.1168	Nigeria Special Economic Zones Authority Bill, 2020	Tue., 15 Dec., 2020	
36.	HB.1167	Chartered Institute of Cooperatives and Social Enterprise Management (Est.) Bill, 2020	Tue., 15 Dec., 2020	



Debates

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Over 100 contributions to debates and motions that aligned with my legislative agenda, especially, those crucial to the well-being of ndi Bende and Nigeria as a whole.

Committee Membership

Appointed Chairperson of House Committee on Media and Public Affairs and Official Spokesperson of the House, a record achievement for a first timer in the National Assembly. Also appointed member of the following strategic committees whose activities he is expected to cover so as to defend the House well

01	Committee on FCT Judiciary	11	Committee on Pilgrims Affairs
02	Committee on Climate Change	12	Committee on Public Petitions
03	Committee on Commerce	13	Committee on Rules & Business
04	Committee on Defence	14	Committee on Federal Judiciary
05	Committee on Federal Character	15	Committee on Airforce
06	Committee on Health Institution	16	Committee on National Security & Intelligence
07	Committee on Healthcare Services	17	Committee on Niger Delta Development Commission
08	Committee on Human Rights	18	Committee on Insurance and Actuarial Matters
09	Committee on Media & Public Affairs	19	Committee on Public Accounts
10	Committee on Petroleum Resources (Upstream)		

Covid-19 Interventions, Palliatives and Cash Transfers

The Covid-19 pandemic of 2020 and the resultant lockdown protocols quickly evolved beyond a global public health concern to an economic crisis of unprecedented proportions for mankind as a whole, but more immediately, for the indigenes of Bende Federal Constituency in Abia State.

In supporting the state and federal government efforts to combat the pandemic, the office of Rep. Benjamin Okezie Kalu implemented the following interventions:

A Deployed thousands of relief supplies and hygiene materials for distribution around all communities in the constituency; including face masks, hand sanitizers, hand gloves, washing soaps, thermometers and various food items.	В	150 bags of rice, 1000 cartons of indomie noodles, 1000 bottles of sanitizers, 5000 facemasks, 5000 pairs of hand gloves, and 5000 branded buckets with taps for hand washing, distributed to members of our Constituency, particularly the most vulnerable, to cushion the effects of the pandemic and check mate the spread.	С	Sponsored the training of training of selected health workers from every ward by the emergency response team at Federal Medical Centre (FMC), on the World Health Organization (WHO) approved guidelines for preventing the spread of Coronavirus.
D Radio jingles, billboards, posters and other awareness materials were produced to educate ndi Bende on the necessary protocols to be observed in curbing the spread the Covid-19 pandemic.	E	About 4550 persons were given palliative in every federal ward (350 per ward).	F	About 4550 elderly people were attended to in every federal ward (350 per ward).



Financial Support

In 2020, financial support was rendered through the constituency office to support constituents to the tune of N15,748,680. Records of transfers are available at the constituency office.

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185	(redacted)******UKS	N	150,000.00	12/18/20
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Bende Projects in the National 2021 Budget

Worked assiduously and against stiff opposition to ensure that the following capital projects were captured in the 2021 Appropriation Act for the good of Bende Federal Constituency:

	2021 APPROPRIATION BILL REPORT FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS ALLOCATION FOR BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY	
S/N	PROJECT TITLE / ALLOCATION DETAILS	STATUS
1	CONSTRUCTION OF ROAD IN NKPA BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE	NEW
2	CONSTRUCTION OF ROAD IN ALAYI BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE	NEW
3	CONSTRUCTION OF 2KM (PHASE 1) BENDE-OKPOROENYI-NKALUNTA ROAD IN BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE	NEW
4	SUPPLY OF AGRICULTURAL SEEDS TO FARMERS IN BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE	NEW
5	FLOOD AND EROSION CONTROL PROJECT AT AMANKALU, ALAYI AND OZUITEM IN BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE	NEW
6	RENOVATION OF UMUNATO ITEM HEALTH CENTRE, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE.	NEW
7	SUPPLY OF DRUGS FOR EYE TREATMENT IN BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE.	NEW
8	WATER SUPPLY SCHEME IN BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE	NEW
9	BLOCK OF CLASSROOMS IN IGBERE BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY	NEW
10	INSTALLATION OF SOLAR POWERED BOREHOLE IN BENDE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OF ABIA STATE, ABIA STATE	ON-GOING
11	REHABILITATION OF BENDE - AROCHUKWU - OHAFIA ROAD SECTION I C/NO.6481	ON-GOING
12	UMUAHIA-BENDE-OHAFIA ROAD	ON-GOING
13	CONSTRUCTION/RENOVOVATION AND FURNISHING OF BLOCK OF CLASSROOMS ACROSS 6 GEO POLITICAL ZONES (BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY)	NEW
14	REHABILITATION OF 21KM BENDE-ITUMBAUZO-NTALAKWU ROAD IN ABIA AND AKWA-IBOM STATES	NEW
15	REHABILITATION OF BENDE - ITUMBAUZOR - ETITIULOR ROAD, BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE	NEW
16	GENERAL MAINTENANCE OF UMUAHIA - BENDE - OHAFIA ROAD ROUTE NO.421 (F.107) IN ABIA STATE	NEW
17	CONSTRUCTION OF A BLOCK OF 2 CLASSROOMS AT UMUIMENYI SECONDARY TECHNICAL SCHOOL, NKPA IN BEBDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE	NEW
18	RENOVATION OF CLASSROOMS AT COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL APUANU ITEM, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW

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19	RENOVATION OF A BLOCK OF 2 CLASSROOMS WITH OFFICE, STORE AND PROVISION OF FURNITURE AT TOWNSHIP SCHOOL, BENDE, UZUAKOLI, UMUHU, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
20	RENOVATION OF A BLOCK OF 2 CLASSROOMS WITH OFFICE AND PROVISION OF FURNITURE AT NKPA CENTRAL SCHOOL, NKPA, UMUHU, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
21	PROVISION OF CLASSROOMS FURNITURE TO UBIBIA CENTRAL SCHOOL, UBIBIA, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
22	PROVISION OF CLASSROOMS FURNITURE TO ONU-IBINA PRIMARY SCHOOL 1, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
23	PROVISION OF CLASSROOMS FURNITURE AT OVER RAIL PRIMARY SCHOOL 1, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
24	PROVISION OF FURNITURE AT OZUITEM CENTRAL SCHOOL OZUITEM, BENDE LGA	NEW
25	RENOVATION OF A BLOCK OF 2 CLASSROOMS WITH OFFICE, STORE AND PROVISION OF FURNITURE AT TOWNSHIP SCHOOL BENDE, UZUAKOLI, UMUHU BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
26	RENOVATION OF A BLOCK OF 2 CLASSROOMS WITH OFFICE, STORE AND PROVISION OF FURNITURE AT NKPA CENTRAL SCHOOL, NKPA, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
27	CONSTRUCTION OF A BLOCK OF 2 CLASSROOMS WITH OFFICE, STORE AND FURNITURE AT UBIBIA CENTRAL SCHOOL 1, UBIBIA, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
28	CONSTRUCTION OF A BLOCK OF 2 CLASSROOMS WITH OFFICE, STORE AND FURNITURE AT ONU-IBINA ORIMARY SCHOOL 1, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
29	PROVISION OF FURNITURE AT OZUITEM CENTRAL SCHOOL, OZUITEM, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
30	PROVISION OF FURNITURE AT OVER RAIL PRIMARY SCHOOL 1, BENDE, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
31	PROVISION OF CLASSROOMS FURNITURE TO UBIBIA CENTRAL SCHOOL 1, UBIBIA, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
32	PROVISION OF CLASSROOMS FURNITURE TO ONU-IBINA ORIMARY SCHOOL 1, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
33	PROVISION OF INFRASTRUCTURAL MATERIALS, TEXTBOOKS, FURNISHING AND EQUIPMENT AT CENTRAL SCHOOL 1, BENDE LGA, ABIA STATE	NEW
	HON. MEMBER'S NAME AND SIGNATURE: HON. BENJAMIN KALU	
	CONSTITUENCY / STATE: BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY, ABIA STATE	
	CONTACT PHONE NUMBER:	

Umuahia-Bende-Ohafia Road

Secured the approval of the Federal Executive Council for the rehabilitation and construction of the Umuahia-Bende-Ohafia Road (LOT2) in Abia State to the tune of **N12bn**.

Health

- **01** Completion of Health and Maternity Centre for Bende, Bende Federal Constituency.
- 02 Health Insurance Scheme for Bende providing 90% subsidized healthcare for over 500 Bende indigenes.
- **03** Ntalakwu Health Centre at 90% completion.

Education

- 01 Construction/renovation of classroom blocks in 13 schools in the federal constituency
- 02 Academic Fiesta for Bende students.
- **03** New construction of Ubibia Central, Nkporo and Onu Ibina primary school, Igbere.
- 04 Renovation of schools: i. Uzuakoli Practicing School ii. Amazu Central School, Umuhu Ezechi

Water

Solar powered borehole drilling commenced in Ovum Ugwu, Nkpa and 2 other communities in Bende North and Bende South.

Power Infrastructure

- Secured approval to build a solar farm to house a mini grid for energy supply in Bende. The facility will provide light for 25 years non-stop, away from the national grid.
- **02** Electric transformer to Item, Bende, LGA, Abia State

Etitiulo-Itumbauzo Road

Secured the commencement of the rehabilitation of the Etitiulo-Itumbauzo road which has now been asphalted.

Employment

Several Bende graduates have benefited from federal employment.

Agriculture

- 01 Commencement of construction of Palm Oil Processing Plant in Bende LGA
- **02** Training and empowerment of Bende indigenes on poultry farming including the distribution of;
 - i. 20,000 birds
 - ii. 1000 bags of bird feed
 - iii. 100 bird cages
 - iv. 100 bird drinkers and feeders

03 Training and empowerment of over 1000 Bende indigenes on best agricultural practices.

Security and Transport Support Programmes

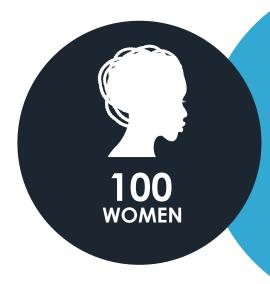
Donation of 27 motorbikes and 13 tricycles (keke napep) to various wards in Bende to curb insecurity and improve transportation in Bende.

Townhalls

01 Rehabilitation of Uche-Ebiri hall in Igbere

02 Agbamuzu town hall, Bende at 90% completion

Micro-Business Support Program



30k grant

for 100 hardworking women, single mothers and widows in the federal constituency.

Bende Widow Support Programme

Bende Food Support Programme

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2-DAY AGRIBUSINESS TRAINING AND EMPOWERMENT POWERED BY REP. BENJAMIN KALU



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CONSTRUCTION OF MATERNITY HEALTH CENTRE WITH EQUIPMENT IN BENDE



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BEN KALU BENDE HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM



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REP KALU PRESENTING THE 2ND EDITION OF THE GREEN CHAMBER MAGAZINE TO SPEAKER FEMI GBAJABIAMILA



REP. KALU WITH THE SPEAKER FEMI GBAJABIAMILA



REP. KALU WITH THE SPEAKER FEMI GBAJABIAMILA



REP. KALU WITH THE EUROPEAN UNION DELEGATION TO NIGERIA



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SECURITY AND TRANSPORT PROGRAMME



TRAINING AND EMPOWERMENT OF BENDE INDIGENES ON BEST AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES



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BEFORE - NTALAKWU HEALTH CENTRE (BEFORE REHABILITATION)



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BEFORE - STATE OF THE ETITIULO-ITUMBAUZO ROAD BEFORE REHABILITATION



AFTER - STATE OF THE ETITIULO-ITUMBAUZO ROAD



BENDE TRADITIONAL RULERS BLESSING HON, KALU DURING TOWNHALL MEETING IN AUGUST 2020





2020 BENDE FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY TOWNHALL MEETING/EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMME