Lessons on Agricultural Transformation in a Devolved System

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Key Messages

Agricultural transformation is only possible if county governments play an effective role in the sector. Unbundling functions for both levels of government will enhance the coordination as roles for each level of government become clear. There is need to improve planning at the county level. This can be done through inclusion of technical officers in drafting the CIDPs, use of data to inform prioritisation of projects and programs. There is need to strengthen the M&E system at the county to enable learning There is need to strengthen the budgeting making process, improve budget allocation process/formulas and less political interference Clear role of MCA is oversight and not implementation Capacity building of county governments (both legislative & executive) to perform functions as expected Allocate resources to the Agriculture sector.

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