

M. Sc. Carlos Manuel Rodriguez
CEO and Chairperson

August 11, 2025

Ms. Renae Stenhouse
Vice President, GEF Agency
World Wildlife Fund (WWF-US)
Washington DC, USA

Dear Ms. Stenhouse,

I am pleased to inform you that I have endorsed the full-sized child project detailed below:

Decision Sought:	CEO Endorsement of Full-sized Child Project
GEFSEC ID:	11154
Agency(ies):	WWF-US
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Focal Area:	Multi Focal Area
Project Type:	Full-sized Project
Country(ies):	Zambia
Name of Child Project:	Securing the species, habitat, health, and livelihoods of the Lower Kafue Ecosystem
Name of Program:	Wildlife Conservation for Development Integrated Program
Program ID:	11148
GEF Project Financing:	\$5,966,208
Agency Fee:	\$536,959
Funding Source:	GEF Trust Fund

Break-down:		Project Financing Amount (US\$)	Agency Fee (US\$)				Total Project Cost (US\$)
Agency	Trust Fund		20% committed at Council approval (US\$)	50% to be committed at first disbursement (US\$)	30% to be committed at mid-term review (US\$)	Total Agency Fee (US\$)	
WWF-US	GEF TF	5,966,208	107,392	268,480	161,087	536,959	6,503,167
Total		5,966,208	107,392	268,480	161,087	536,959	6,503,167

This endorsement is based on the understanding that the project is in conformity with the GEF focal areas strategies and in line with GEF policies and procedures.

Sincerely,

Ms. Stenhouse



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Chief Executive Officer and Chairperson

Copy to: Country Operational Focal Point(s), Trustee