

## **FUNCTIONS OF THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT UNIT**

- Organise literacy and adult education programmes
- Mobilise voluntary contributions and communal labour for the provision of facilities and services such as water, schools, library, community centres and public places of convenience
- Teach deprived or rural women home management and child care
- Offer employable and sustainable skills training for the youth.
- Promote and provide alternative livelihood empowerment skills for the deprived in the communities
- Promote entrepreneurial skills, business support services and linkages to financial institutions to beneficiaries of skills training programme
- Provide avenue for other institutions to implement community development programmes
- Mobilise and train voluntary leaders and community-based organisations as change agents in the communities