

Voices for Just Climate Action (VCA) started in 2020 as an alliance with four Southern civil society organizations (CSOs) and two Global CSOs. VCA is now a network that connects almost 200 organizations across seven countries – Tunisia, Kenya, Zambia, Brazil, Bolivia, Paraguay, and Indonesia – at local, regional, and global levels.

LOCAL PARTNERS ZAMBIA

In Zambia, VCA has **16 local partners** spread across ten districts in Lusaka and Southern Province namely, Chikankanta, Mazabuka, Itezhi Tezhi, Siavonga in Southern Province and Chirundu, Chongwe, Kafue, Lusaka, Rufunsa and Luangwa Districts. Among them a diversity of civil society organizations and grassroots organizations: some youth led, other woman led. These local partners employed their own approach to collaborate with their respective local partners. Thus, they provide a broader ecosystem of CSOs that connect through the network. For example, VCA Zambia partnered with the Institute of Architects and People in Need, two member organizations of the Governance cluster under the **'Gender Is My Agenda Campaign'** (GIMAC) of the **Pan African Climate Justice Alliance** (PACJA) with **Oxfam**. The partnerships are advocating energy poverty, gender, food security and resilient infrastructure development.

LOCAL PARTNER ORGANIZATION	MORE INFORMATION	TYPE OF ORGANIZATION	LEADERSHIP
CIVIL SOCIETY FOR POVERTY REDUCTION (CSPR)	www.cejzambia.com	National NGO	Youth led
CIVIL SOCIETY FOR POVERTY REDUCTION (CSPR)		National CSO	Women led
CIVIL SOCIETY SCALING UP NUTRITION (CSO-SUN)	www.suncivilsociety.com	National CSO	Youth led
CLIMATE SMART AGRICULTURE ALLIANCE ZAMBIA (CSAAZ)	https://www.facebook.com/csaazambia	National NGO	Women led Youth led
COMMUNITY TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT TRUST	www.ctdtzambia.com	National NGO & CSO	Women led
CUTS LUSAKA - CONSUMER UNITY AND TRUST SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL	https://cuts-lusaka.org/	International NGO	Youth led Women led
FREE PRESS INITIATIVE (FPI)	www.facebook.com/FPIZambia	Media organisation	Women led
HOUSE OF RUTH FONDATION	www.horfzambia.org	National NGO	Women led Youth led
KEEPERS ZAMBIA FOUNDATION (KZF)	www.equit.org.br/novo	Local NGO	Women led
PANOS INSTITUTE OF SOUTHERN AFRICA		NGO	
PEOPLES PROCESS ON HOUSING AND POVERTY IN ZAMBIA	www.pphpz.org		
WILDLIFE AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION SOCIETY OF ZAMBIA (WECSZ)	http://www.conservationzambia.org/	National NGO	
WOMEN'S LIFE AND WELLNESS FOUNDATION	https://www.facebook.com/ womenslifewellnessfoundation	National NGO & CSO	Women led
ZAMBIA ALLIANCE FOR WOMEN	www.facebook.com/ ZambiaAllianceofWomen	National NGO & CSO	Women led
ZAMBIA GOVERNANCE FOUNDATION (ZGF)	https://www.zgf.org.zm/	National CSO	Women led
ZAMBIA INSTITUTE OF MASS COMMUNICATION	https://www.zamcom.co.zm/	National NGO	Media Institution / NGO