



# Empowerment Trust of the Mohair Industry

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## OBJECTIVE:

TO PROMOTE BLACK ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT  
WITHIN THE MOHAIR INDUSTRY

## VISION:

- To ensure sustainable supply of Mohair
- Establish black participants and entrepreneurs
- Maintain and expand job opportunities for black workers



## WHAT WE FUND AND PROVIDE:

- Mentorship and Training Programmes( the SAMGA)
  - Angora Ewes and Rams
  - Animal Health Products
  - Free Advisory Services
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## KEY PARTNERS:

- Department of Rural development and Land Reform
- Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform
- Local and National Government



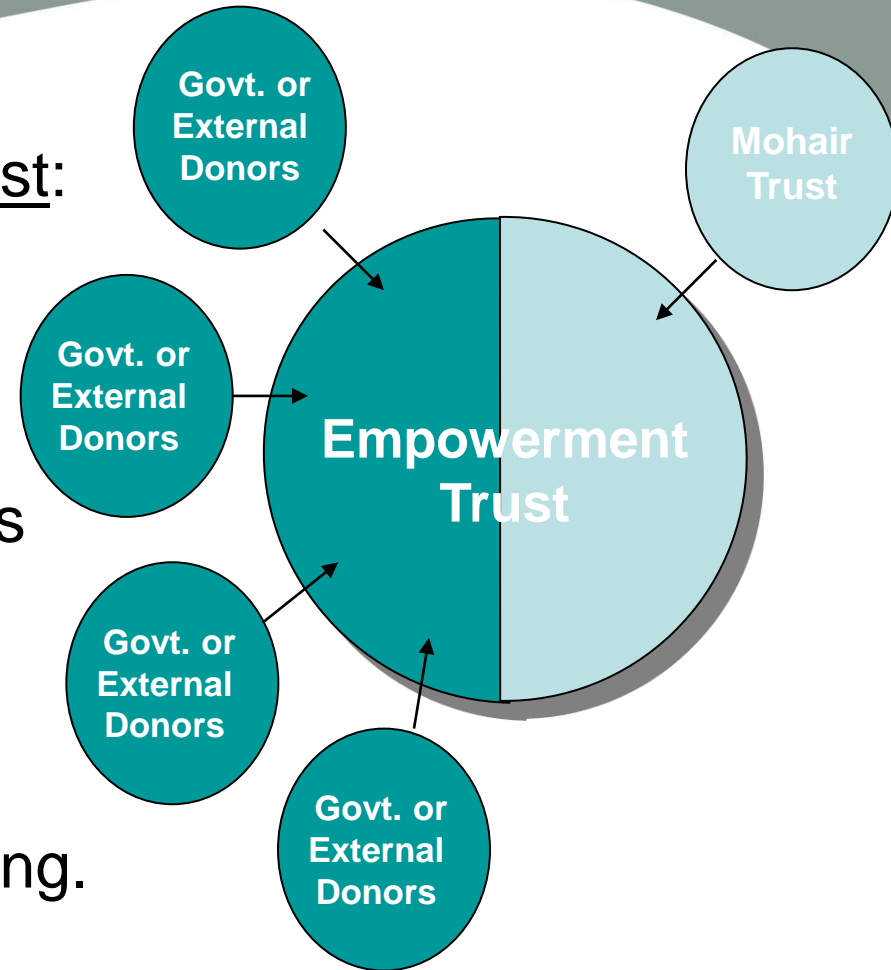
## TRUSTEES OF THE EMPOWERMENT TRUST:

- Three trustees from the Mohair Trust
- One trustee from Mohair South Africa
- One trustee from SA Mohair Growers
- Two trustees from the National Agricultural Marketing Council (NAMC)
- The formation of this Trust has the full support of the NAMC



## Funding of the Empowerment Trust:

- Mohair Trust
- Government and external donors
- The Empowerment Trust is facilitating funding.
- The NAMC to assist with Funding.





## BUDGET OF THE EMPOWERMENT TRUST: 2011/2012

TOTAL: R 1 490 142

ADMINISTRATION: R 670 780

CAPITAL EXP: R 170 000

PROJECTS : R649 362



## OTHER INITIATIVES FUNDED BY THE INDUSTRY

- BURSARIES – GROOTFONTEIN AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE
- BURSARIES – NELSON MANDELA METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY







## BENEFICIARY GROUPINGS:

- Angora goat Training Centres
- Communal farmers
- Commonage farmers
- Black Commercial farmers
- ❖ Uitkomst and Damascus





## PROJECTS DATA:

Projects: (8)	Beneficiaries: (65)
• Damascus:	3
• Uitkomst:	5
• Hardwood:	8
• Swartrivier:	8
• Aberdeen:	7
• Grootvlei:	5
• Matatiele:	9
• MountFletcher:	20



## CHALLENGES:

- Agricultural Land & Conditions of Lease Agreements
- Departments not working together
- Attracting Donor Funding



# UITKOMST FARM





# INVOLVEMENT FROM OTHER INDUSTRY ROLE-PLAYERS

- **SAMIL**
- **BROKERS**
- **VIRBAC**





THANK YOU

