Piloting Regular Desludging in Balikpapan City, Indonesia

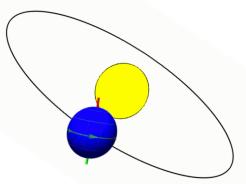
From Planning to Implementation.....

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BALIKPAPAN CITY GOVERNMENT









Background

- City population: 664,600 inhabitants (132,919 households)
- City water utility (PDAM) currently serves 76 % of households with piped water
- PDAM manages piped water and domestic waste water (off-site and on-site systems) since :

2006: Sewerage system with capacity of 5000 house connections (currently connected to 1300+ HCs)

2016 : Fecal Sludge management







Activities for piloting regular desludging

- Teams established to develop preparatory work and bridge the process :
 - PDAM special team
 - City promotion team
- New local laws on domestic wastewater
- Set Tariff and payment mechanism
- Select pilot area and conduct on-site sanitation census using android application
- Develop Information and communication technology applications to support FSM
- Promotion for regular desludging in pilot area



New Regulations on Domestic wastewater

- Local Law No. 10 2014: PDAM is appointed to manage wastewater – off-site system and FSM, besides piped water
- Local Law No. 8 /2016 :: Integration of off-site and on-site systems
- Mayoral Decree No. 24 / 2016 : implementing regulation:
 - defining the responsibilities of city government, PDAM, private operator and households
 - ➤On-site system in one of requirement in building permit
 - ➤ Regular emptying every 4 years
 - >mandatory to provide access lid
- Tariff regulation : in process....

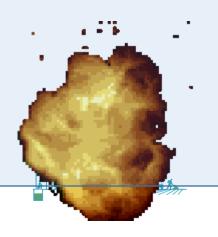




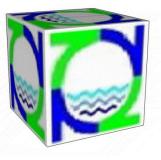
Tariff for regular desludging

- Tariff is set lower (USD 34) than on-demand emptying (USD 43)
- Monthly payment of USD 0.71 for over four years
- Charges in monthly water bill
- Using existing payment mechanism





Partnerships with Private Operators



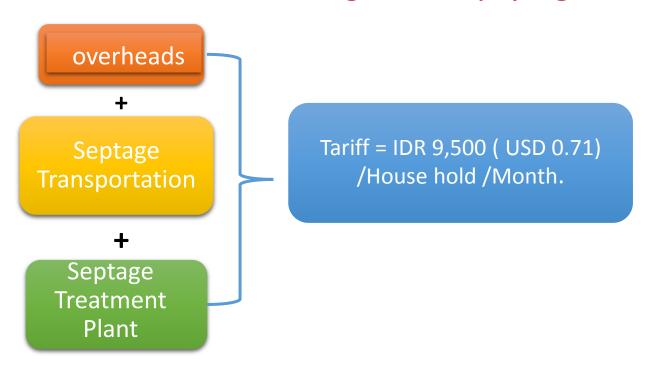
- Regular and on-demand emptying will be served by private companies
- PDAM not to provide vehicles reduce capital investment
- PDAM provides initial budget to fund private companies
- Piloting of regular desludging is included in PDAM business plan 2017



Tariff components



Tariff calculation for regular emptying - all expenses :

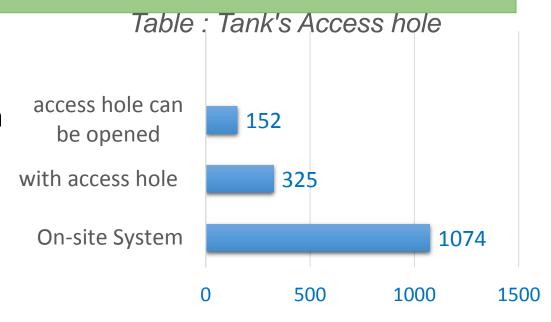


Fees for private operator is included in the tariff



E-census in selected pilot area for regular desludging

- Census for on-site system conducted in selected area covering 1100 households
- The results:
 - 98.5 % (1085) PDAM customers for piped water
 - 99 % (1074) had on-site system
 - Only 30 % (325) had accellid

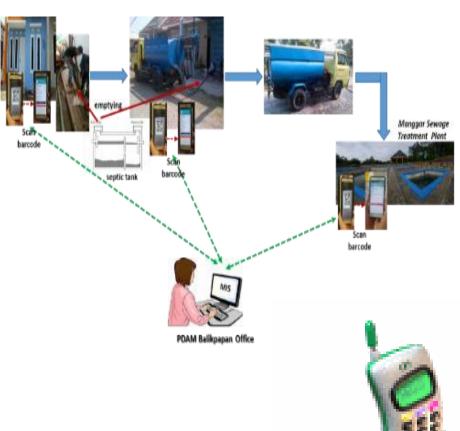






Information and Communication Technology applications to support operation

Mobile and Web-based system



- To support the operation services, track and monitor and scheduling plan
- Two emptyings per trip with total volume of 1.5 m3/location
- Trial test conducted in 8 locations



PROMOTION activities

Using the "10-step toolkits promotion" method

KICK OFF WORKSHOP INVOLVING STAKEHOLDERS

FORM A
PROMOTION
TEAM

TRAINING AND PRACTICE

The promotion team involving communities in the pilot area in designing and testing the promotion products













Media campaign Products



public service announcements Vid



Banner For on-demand emptying service



Balikpapan Sanitation Spot Vid



Brochure for regular emptying service



Promotion Implementation and evaluation





The results:

• Understanding of regular desludging: 92 %

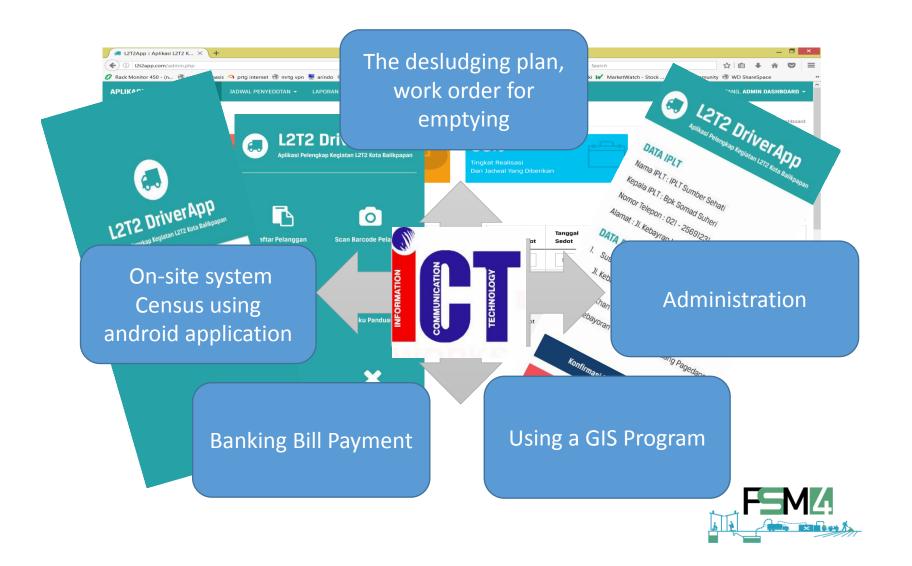
• Willingness to be a customer : 70 %

• Willingness to pay USD 0.71/mo : 63 %

(trough city water utility's billing system)



Integrating septage management into PDAM System



Lessons learned / Recommendations

- ✓ City promotion team to develop promotion strategy to households have no access to their tanks- for next batch
- ✓ Census results will be used together by other city agencies to develop city integrated sanitation program
- ✓ PDAM will need training program for staff to support existing wastewater division for operation, planning and scaling up
- ✓ Inclusion of **FSM** into tasks of PDAM's Customer Services
- √ FSM Standard operating procedures are required



The City Team Activities



One of training sessions for Promotion Team



One of Workshops: Sharing progress and experience with other cities



Promotion implementation



Training of using e-census application



Create media campaign



Simulation Process using ICT application





L2T2 YES!

THANK YOU

