

RHINO CHARGE MOTORSPORT RAISES \$ 1.5 MILLION

This year's Rhino Charge, held in Nannapa Conservancy, Isiolo County, raised KES 153,500,000 (\$1.5 million). The proceeds from the fundraising will partly go towards fencing Mt Kenya Forest, of which 190km has already been completed, and the fencing of Kakamega Forest. The funds will also be used to maintain and upgrade the 400km Aberdare Forest Fence of which over 50km have already been upgraded and to maintain the 43.3km Mau Eburu Forest fence. Other activities that will be supported by this Charge's fundraising

include conservation education and bio-enterprise development in South Western Mau Forest, aerial surveillance in Mt. Kenya, Aberdares and South Western Mau forests, as well as building fire-fighting capacity in Mt. Kenya, Aberdares and Mau Eburu.

Plans for the eventual fencing of Kakamega Forest are at an advanced stage with substantial contributions still to come from Kakamega County, Vihiga County and the conservation charity Rhino Ark.



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