

iMass Innovation Calls For Private Sector Investment In providing Water for the people Kete Krachi in Oti Region Ghana.

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The Executive Director of iMass Innovation has indicated District Assembly's preparedness to partner with private investors in the Water sector to turn the current seemingly helpless water situation for the people.

He said Assembly would continue to create the needed enabling environment and therefore welcomes private sector investment in water supply especially in the areas of innovative technologies, infrastructure and services.

Mr. Emmanuel Dzadeyson called on all private investors, young university graduates, civil engineers, all business-minded people, and the academia, to explore business opportunities in the water and sanitation challenge to help us to solve the problem while we create jobs. As part of efforts to tackle the dwindling funding for the water sector,

Ghanaians should take charge and ownership and accept the responsibility as a people of fixing the problems we had in sanitation and water in order to achieve the SDG 6 targets.



Some indigenes of Kete-Krachi who spoke in the documentary say the commercial hub of Kete-Krachi was submerged to make way for the creation of the Volta Lake and the Akosombo Dam. Before the lake and the dam, there was a road from Tamale that passed through Krachi to Accra, making Krachi a major trading centre between the north and the south of the country.

That commercial hub attracted businesses and settlers from all over the country to the area. A group of settlers from the Ashanti Region used to perform the Kete dance in the evenings so people often said they were going to watch the Kete dance. With time, the commercial centre was named after the dance as Kete, hence the compound name, Kete-Krachi. The lake completely submerged Kete and the people had to relocate. For the people of Kete-Krachi, this is the time to compensate them with a regional capital for the huge loss the suffered in the interest of the entire nation. 25,000 district population