

Table 1**Summary Statistics before trimming**

	JSIF Community			Non-JSIF Community		
	Obs.	Mean	St. Dev	Obs.	Mean	St. Dev
Male respondent	328	0.48	0.50	350	0.47	0.50
Age respondent	314	45.25	17.05	243	46.80	16.78
Male respondent under 25 years	337	0.05	0.21	350	0.06	0.24
Number household earners	337	1.40	0.75	350	1.49	0.68
Household Size	336	3.50	1.95	350	4.32	2.36
Highest level education in HH	332	10.14	3.18	343	9.97	2.83
Number children schooling age	337	0.90	1.22	350	1.21	1.33
Female headed household	337	0.51	0.50	350	0.53	0.50
Protestant	337	0.79	0.41	350	0.83	0.37
Rastafari	337	0.07	0.25	350	0.04	0.19
Permanent resident	337	0.20	0.40	350	0.34	0.47
Economic status	337	0.13	1.84	350	-0.17	2.08
Level of participation before JSIF	333	1.76	0.74	347	1.87	0.76
Married	337	0.32	0.47	350	0.33	0.47
Socialize in community activities	316	0.50	0.50	333	0.47	0.50
Socialize in traditional activities	316	0.37	0.48	333	0.42	0.49
No socializing	316	0.01	0.08	333	0.02	0.12
Number of VIP within community	337	1.42	1.24	350	1.06	1.02
Number of VIP outside community	337	1.20	1.35	350	1.35	1.36

Summary Statistics after trimming

	JSIF Community			Non-JSIF Community		
	Obs.	Mean	St. Dev	Obs.	Mean	St. Dev
Male respondent	291	0.48	0.50	320	0.49	0.50
Age respondent	283	45.66	17.39	228	46.68	16.98
Male respondent under 25 years	299	0.05	0.22	320	0.07	0.25
Number household earners	299	1.43	0.74	320	1.50	0.66
Household Size	299	3.58	1.96	320	4.34	2.41
Highest level education in HH	299	10.10	3.19	320	9.92	2.84
Number children schooling age	299	0.92	1.22	320	1.18	1.32
Female headed household	299	0.53	0.50	320	0.52	0.50
Protestant	299	0.81	0.40	320	0.84	0.37
Rastafari	299	0.07	0.26	320	0.04	0.20
Permanent resident	299	0.21	0.41	320	0.36	0.48
Economic status	299	0.11	1.83	320	-0.25	2.10
Level of participation before JSIF	295	1.78	0.74	318	1.91	0.77
Married	299	0.33	0.47	320	0.34	0.47
Socialize in community activities	292	0.49	0.50	314	0.45	0.50
Socialize in traditional activities	292	0.38	0.49	314	0.44	0.50
No socializing	292	0.00	0.06	314	0.02	0.13
Number of VIP within community	299	1.37	1.18	320	1.11	1.04
Number of VIP outside community	299	1.22	1.35	320	1.40	1.37

Table 2

Priority/Project (Project Obtained)	a) Port Royal (Education)		b) Virginia (Education)		c) Rock Creek (Education)		d) Arnette Gardens (Violence)		e) New Valley /Orange (Road)	
	Rank	%	Rank	%	Rank	%	Rank	%	Rank	%
Income Generation	1	22	4	16	3	14	2	16	3	8
Violence	2	21	NA	-	NA	-	1	58	5	3
Health	3	16	NA	-	NA	-	NA	-	NA	-
Education	6	2	4	4	5	2	6	3		
Lack of Water for Cattle/Crops	4	9	NA	-	2	18	NA	-	4	5
Roads	NA	-	2	25	NA	-	NA	-	1	39
Lack of Drinking Water	5	5	1	32	1	23	4	5	2	34
Lack of Telephones	NA	-	4	4	NA	-	NA	-	NA	-
Lighting System	NA	-	4	4	4	7	NA	-	NA	-
Credit Facilities	NA	-	3	25	1	23	NA	-	NA	-
Arguments in the Community	NA	-	NA	-	NA	-	3	8	NA	-
Lack of Leadership	NA	-	NA	-	NA	-	4	5	NA	-

Table 3**Targeting – Project Matched the First Priority – Probit Regression**

Variables	Marginal	t-statistic
Male respondent	-0.007448	-0.22
Age respondent	0.003160	0.6
Age respondent squared	-0.000024	-0.45
Male respondent under 25 years		
Number household earners	0.034939	1.58
Household Size	-0.025268	-1.88
Highest level education in HH	0.008839	1.42
Number children schooling age	0.006553	0.33
Female headed household	0.025555	0.82
Protestant	-0.074475	-1.34
Rastafari	-0.047292	-1.27
Permanent resident	0.165958	2.43
New Valley-Orange/Shadow-California	-0.058658	-1.32
Port Royal/Kennock	-0.024946	-0.48
Arnette Gardens/Union Gardens	0.572231	5.53
Rock Creek/Creighton	0.006995	0.55
Economic status	0.034893	1.74
Level of participation before JSIF	0.032005	0.75
Married	-0.103957	-2.34
Socialize in community activities	-0.035111	-0.87
Socialize in traditional activities	0.312179	1.99
Number of VIP within community	0.040328	2.57
Number of VIP outside community	-0.019895	-1.61
Number of observations		241
Wald test		104.55
Pseudo R-square		0.5088

Table 4**Would you have preferred Another Project?**

JSIF	
No	82.4 (174)
Yes	17.57 (37)
Total	100.0 (211)

Probit - Regression

Variables	Coefficient	t-statistic
Male respondent	0.0131	0.21
Age respondent	-0.0005	-0.05
Age respondent squared	-0.0000	-0.05
Male respondent under 25 years	0.0375	0.24
Number household earners	-0.3254	-0.77
Household Size	0.0079	0.33
Highest level education in HH	0.0059	0.55
Number children schooling age	-0.0161	0.39
Female headed household	0.0548	0.81
Protestant	-0.1268	-1.45
Rastafari	0.0572	0.41
Permanent resident	-0.1269	-2.04
New Valley-Orange/Shadow-California	0.0224	0.27
Port Royal/Kennock	0.1773	1.37
Arnette Gardens/Union Gardens	-0.0810	-0.98
Rock Creek/Creighton	-0.0260	-0.38
Economic status	-0.0261	1.33
Level of participation before JSIF	0.0302	0.74
Married	0.4171	0.67
Socialize in community activities	-0.3170	-0.75
Socialize in traditional activities	-0.4620	-0.51
Number of VIP within community	0.0036	0.14
Number of VIP outside community	-0.0051	-0.22
Number of observations		194
Wald test		22.49
Pseudo R-square		0.12

Table 5

Participation in Social Fund Meeting – Probit Regression

Variables	Marginal	t-statistic
Male respondent	0.093255	1.48
Age respondent	0.003055	0.38
Age respondent squared	-0.000010	-0.14
Male respondent under 25 years	0.086185	0.52
Number household earners	-0.018708	-0.48
Household Size	0.031997	1.38
Highest level education in HH	-0.005635	-0.57
Number children schooling age	-0.014043	-0.42
Female headed household	-0.002901	-0.05
Protestant	-0.011797	-0.14
Rastafari	0.097109	0.64
Permanent resident	0.123033	1.79
New Valley-Orange/Shadow-California	-0.023791	-0.29
Port Royal/Kennock	-0.117366	-1.33
Arnette Gardens/Union Gardens	-0.203641	-2.5
Rock Creek/Creighton	-0.152942	-1.84
Economic status	-0.026820	-1.45
Level of participation before JSIF	0.080577	2.04
Married	0.047801	0.8
Socialize in community activities	0.140674	1.32
Socialize in traditional activities	0.025144	0.21
Number of VIP within community	0.068108	2.75
Number of VIP outside community	0.041601	2.03
Number of observations		297
Wald test		73.34
Pseudo R-square		0.254

Table 6**Propensity Score**

Variables	Marginal	t-statistic
Male respondent	-0.0841638	-0.84
Age respondent	0.0086509	0.91
Age respondent squared	-0.0000692	-0.78
Male respondent under 25 years	0.0391364	0.32
Number household earners	-0.0128123	-0.33
Household Size	-0.0631853	-3.06
Highest level education in HH	0.0187891	1.92
Number children schooling age	0.0501981	1.52
Female headed household	-0.0476699	-0.48
Protestant	-0.1001048	-1.26
Rastafari	-0.0522881	-0.44
Permanent resident	-0.1186874	-1.96
New Valley-Orange/Shadow-California	-0.2819047	-4.20
Port Royal/Kennock	-0.2224293	-2.57
Arnette Gardens/Union Gardens	-0.1989795	-2.27
Rock Creek/Creighton	-0.0430962	-0.57
Economic status	-0.0011797	-0.07
Level of participation before JSIF	-0.1082521	-3.00
Married	0.0413458	0.73
Socialize in community activities	-0.0374556	-0.44
Socialize in traditional activities	-0.0603422	-0.69
No socializing	-0.3472967	-1.30
Number of VIP within community	0.0638849	2.54
Number of VIP outside community	-0.0325901	-1.55
Number of observations		463
Wald test		70.56
Pseudo R-square		0.1189

Table 7**Is it easier now to work with groups and associations of people outside the immediate household?****“Difference in Difference” Cross-Tabulations**

	JSIF	Non-JSIF
Very Difficult	7.48 (22)	7.01 (22)
Difficult	13.61 (40)	24.84 (78)
Same	21.77 (64)	20.06 (63)
Easy	37.76 (111)	38.85 (122)
Very Easy	19.39 (57)	9.24 (29)
Total	100.00 (294)	100.00 (314)

Pearson Chi-Square: 21.2458

Nearest Neighbor Estimates

Differences	
Nearest neighbor	
Mean	0.33
t-statistic ¹	4.83
Age ²	
Above Median	0.39
Below Median	0.28
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.80
Economic Status ³	
Above Median	0.47
Below Median	0.19
Test Difference Equal Zero	2.04
Education ⁴	
Above Median	0.43
Below Median	0.27
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.14
Gender	
Female	0.32
Male	0.34
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.12
Religious Preference	
Non-Protestant	0.18
Protestant	0.37
Test Difference Equal Zero	-1.12
Labor Status	
Employed	0.35
Unemployed	0.13
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.90
Married	
Non-Married	0.31
Married	0.39
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.49
VIPs within community	
Above Median	0.38
Below Median	0.30
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.57
VIPs outside community	
Above Median	0.30
Below Median	0.35
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.32

¹ Bootstrapped standard errors² The median for age is 42 years³ The median for economic status is 0.36⁴ The median for years of education is 11

Table 8**Trust in the Community****“Difference in Difference” Cross-Tabulations**

	JSIF	Non-JSIF
Worse	18.09 (53)	28.34 (89)
Same	35.15 (103)	33.79 (106)
Better	46.76 (137)	37.90 (119)
Total	100.00 (293)	100.00 (314)

Pearson Chi-Square: 21.2458

Nearest Neighbor Estimates

Differences	
Nearest neighbor	
Mean	0.13
t-statistic ¹	2.78
Age ²	
Above Median	0.17
Below Median	0.10
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.70
Economic Status ³	
Above Median	0.17
Below Median	0.09
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.88
Education ⁴	
Above Median	0.07
Below Median	0.17
Test Difference Equal Zero	-1.02
Gender	
Female	0.12
Male	0.16
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.48
Religious Preference	
Non-Protestant	-0.14
Protestant	0.20
Test Difference Equal Zero	-3.03
Labor Status	
Employed	0.15
Unemployed	-0.08
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.41
Married	
Non-Married	0.11
Married	0.18
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.71
VIPs within community	
Above Median	0.21
Below Median	0.08
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.40
VIPs outside community	
Above Median	0.21
Below Median	0.10
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.17

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Table 9**Easy to reach agreements****“Difference in Difference” Cross-Tabulations**

	JSIF	Non-JSIF
Very Difficult	11.50 (33)	6.21 (19)
Difficult	15.33 (44)	30.07 (92)
Same	21.25 (61)	17.65 (54)
Easy	34.15 (98)	24.18 (74)
Very Easy	17.77 (51)	21.90 (67)
Total	100.00 (287)	100.00 (306)

Pearson Chi-Square: 26.0728

Nearest Neighbor Estimates

Differences	
Nearest neighbor	
Mean	0.06
t-statistic ¹	0.83
Age ²	
Above Median	0.15
Below Median	-0.01
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.06
Economic Status ³	
Above Median	0.13
Below Median	0.00
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.88
Education ⁴	
Above Median	0.00
Below Median	0.10
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.66
Gender	
Female	0.13
Male	0.04
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.60
Religious Preference	
Non-Protestant	-0.10
Protestant	0.11
Test Difference Equal Zero	-1.10
Labor Status	
Employed	0.11
Unemployed	-0.48
Test Difference Equal Zero	2.27
Married	
Non-Married	0.08
Married	0.04
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.23
VIPs within community	
Above Median	0.21
Below Median	-0.05
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.76
VIPs outside community	
Above Median	0.21
Below Median	0.00
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.23

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Table 10**Community Leader Responsiveness****“Difference in Difference” Cross-Tabulations**

	JSIF	Non-JSIF
No	74.24 (219)	75.00 (240)
Yes	25.76 (76)	25.00 (80)
Total	100.00 (295)	100.00 (320)

Pearson Chi-Square: 0.0472

Nearest Neighbor Estimates

Differences	
Nearest neighbor	
Mean	0.01
t-statistic ¹	0.21
Age ²	
Above Median	-0.09
Below Median	0.09
Test Difference Equal Zero	-2.80
Economic Status ³	
Above Median	0.03
Below Median	-0.02
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.76
Education ⁴	
Above Median	0.05
Below Median	-0.02
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.14
Gender	
Female	-0.02
Male	0.04
Test Difference Equal Zero	-1.00
Religious Preference	
Non-Protestant	-0.07
Protestant	0.02
Test Difference Equal Zero	-1.19
Labor Status	
Employed	0.00
Unemployed	0.02
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.15
Married	
Non-Married	0.05
Married	-0.08
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.85
VIPs within community	
Above Median	0.05
Below Median	-0.03
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.32
VIPs outside community	
Above Median	0.09
Below Median	-0.03
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.71

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Table 11**Decisions by Community Leader****“Difference in Difference” Cross-Tabulations**

	JSIF	Non-JSIF
Less Now	19.29 (27)	28.57 (64)
Same Now	26.43 (37)	29.91 (67)
More Now	54.29 (76)	41.52 (93)
Total	100.00 (140)	100.00 (224)

Pearson Chi-Square: 6.3621

Nearest Neighbor Estimates

Differences	
Nearest neighbor	
Mean	0.18
t-statistic ¹	2.68
Age ²	
Above Median	0.31
Below Median	0.08
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.74
Economic Status ³	
Above Median	0.11
Below Median	0.25
Test Difference Equal Zero	-1.05
Education ⁴	
Above Median	0.01
Below Median	0.28
Test Difference Equal Zero	-2.02
Gender	
Female	0.24
Male	0.10
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.11
Religious Preference	
Non-Protestant	-0.03
Protestant	0.24
Test Difference Equal Zero	-1.75
Labor Status	
Employed	0.20
Unemployed	0.00
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.89
Married	
Non-Married	0.11
Married	0.33
Test Difference Equal Zero	-1.60
VIPs within community	
Above Median	0.19
Below Median	0.16
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.21
VIPs outside community	
Above Median	0.18
Below Median	0.18
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.03

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Table 12**Decisions by Community Meeting with Vote****“Difference in Difference” Cross-Tabulations**

	JSIF	Non-JSIF
Less Now	21.26 (27)	28.88 (54)
Same Now	28.35 (36)	24.06 (45)
More Now	50.39 (64)	47.06 (88)
Total	100.00 (127)	100.00 (187)

Pearson Chi-Square: 2.4126

Nearest Neighbor Estimates

Differences	
Nearest neighbor	
Mean	0.00
t-statistic ¹	0.06
Age ²	
Above Median	-0.14
Below Median	0.13
Test Difference Equal Zero	-2.08
Economic Status ³	
Above Median	0.06
Below Median	-0.04
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.75
Education ⁴	
Above Median	0.02
Below Median	-0.01
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.21
Gender	
Female	0.00
Male	0.00
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.01
Religious Preference	
Non-Protestant	-0.04
Protestant	0.02
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.40
Labor Status	
Employed	7.77
Unemployed	0.05
Test Difference Equal Zero	-0.21
Married	
Non-Married	0.06
Married	-0.11
Test Difference Equal Zero	1.18
VIPs within community	
Above Median	0.14
Below Median	-0.14
Test Difference Equal Zero	2.22
VIPs outside community	
Above Median	0.04
Below Median	-0.02
Test Difference Equal Zero	0.46

¹ Bootstrapped standard errors² The median for age is 42 years³ The median for economic status is 0.36⁴ The median for years of education is 11