

**Regional workshop in East Africa – FAO – Food for the Cities**  
**Ensuring resilient food systems in African Cities**  
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**Thematic Working Group 3:**

**Integrating Urban food and nutrition security and food system in risk  
reduction and eco system resilience**

<b><u>PILLARS</u></b>	<b><u>SUGGESTIONS</u></b>
CLIMATE CHANGE (ECO SYSTEM RESILIENCE)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Macro and micro irrigation ,</li> <li>• Water harvesting,</li> <li>• Integrated Nutrient harvesting and management</li> <li>• Greening of cities</li> </ul>
FOOD POLICIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Appropriate market access policies,</li> <li>• Enhancement of institutional capacity,</li> <li>• Enforcement of food policies,</li> <li>• Advocacy for implementation of policies</li> </ul>
FOOD SAFETY AND HEALTH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Domestication of global food safety standards,</li> <li>• Consumer awareness and willingness to pay for better hygienic foods,</li> <li>• Food handling,</li> <li>• Food traceability, labeling and certification</li> <li>• Consumer protection</li> </ul>
INFORMATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information and management,</li> <li>• Use of ICT to support agricultural extension,</li> <li>• Investment in IEC materials and programs (including media) ,</li> <li>• Encourage networks for information sharing e.g NEFSALF and other networks</li> </ul>
FOOD PRODUCTION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Promotion of innovations for local food productions like sack gardening, hydroponics, aeroponics and aquaponics,</li> <li>• Germ plasm/ biodiversity conservation</li> </ul>