



Brief Summary

This week's report on calls received from 1-6 June 2020 shows the main concerns among listeners to be the destruction being wreaked by locusts, especially across the north and central regions; the rise in cases of Covid19 and the impact on livelihoods across all regions; and the damage caused by floods in riverine areas, alongside emerging water shortages in other areas.

Covid19- the calls this week seem to indicate that many more people are experiencing cases of the disease, or assumed cases, in their immediate areas. In the north, several callers from Sanag complained that the public transport was still crowded, and khat is still being imported, despite the fact that Coronavirus cases are rising. One caller said people who were coughing should stay at home. A caller in Togdher said many people were showing symptoms including loss of taste and smell but they needed testing facilities to distinguish Covid19 from the common flu. A caller in Bari said the disease was spreading and they needed testing and treatment facilities. There were a number of callers from Mudug reporting the spread of the disease. One caller said cases had risen and doctors were needed. A caller in Galkayo said the government was not aware that there were so many people with symptoms so he was calling the media to get action. A caller in Dagari said half the people there were infected and the ministry of health should act. Others said Coronavirus had affected everyone as well as livelihoods and the economy. A female caller in Galkayo complained that the restaurants and khat trade were still operating. Another female caller wanted to know if you caught Coronavirus again would it be as severe the second time. In Galgadud, a caller in Guriel said the locusts had destroyed the pasture, they could not sell their sick animals, and the people were also sick with the virus. Another caller said the disease was among them and people needed to observe the guidelines as well as pray. Callers from Godinlabe and Abudwak said they have no water for handwashing. There was an unusually high number of calls from Kismayo in L. Juba. Two separate female callers complained that people were ignoring the guidelines and the schools had reopened. Another female caller wanted to be able to differentiate flu from Covid19. Another caller said people were still holding public weddings. Another said they did not know how to help the sick people in their area. Callers from Mogadishu talked about job losses and the need for physical distancing. A female caller from Barawe, L. Shabelle, said they needed help there for people with the disease. Callers from Gedo mentioned cases and asked for testing. In Baidoa, a caller said the sick should isolate themselves at home.

Livelihoods- there were a number of calls about the lack of jobs and rising food prices, although not specifically linked by the callers to Coronavirus. Callers from Bosaso, Adado, and Balad said there were no jobs. One of them, a woman with eight children in Adado, said they had fallen into limbo. A caller in Dhusamareb said prices of fresh fruit and vegetables had shot up.

Flood victims- there were a number of calls, notably from Hiran and M. Shabelle, saying people had not received any assistance despite their heavy losses in the river floods. A female caller from el-Jalle said people were returning to homes without water or electricity and plagued by mosquitoes. Callers demanded long-term solutions to the perennial floods.

Locusts- the largest number of calls this week were from people reporting the invasion of locusts. These came from all regions across Somaliland and Puntland, as well as Mudug, Galgadud and M. Shabelle. Most said the locusts were eating everything, covering water sources, and leaving larvae behind. A farmer in Bursalah, Mudug, said locusts destroyed his last watermelon harvest and look set to destroy his current crops as well. Many callers asked for control measures to be brought

to their areas. Some callers asked questions to the FAO experts in Radio Ergo's ongoing weekly locust programme about the effects of pesticides on animal and human health.

Livestock – There were several callers to the radio vet experts about livestock diseases, especially affecting goats in Puntland and Galmudug. One caller from Galkayo was worried about his livestock feeding on dead locusts, and wanted to know if this would affect their milk or meat.

Location	Date	Theme	Remarks
Badhan Sanag	6/5/2020	COVID19/ khat	(F) Hello I am calling from Badhan, my name is F.A.S. We would like the khat coming in from Ethiopia to be banned. Thank you.
Sanag	6/1/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is J.M.F in Sanag region. We pray that God saves us from the Corona virus. The public transport and Khat coming into Somaliland should be stopped, the number of cases is rising every day.
Lasqorey Sanag	6/1/2020	COVID19	Hello I am calling from Lasqorey. I would like to advise people to stay safe and avoid handshakes. The people who are coughing should stay at home. We pray that God protects us from this disease.
Sahil Togdher	6/1/2020	COVID19	Hello Radio Ergo my name is H.Y in Sahil. I would like to speak about this coughing disease and some people are saying that they have lost their sense of smell. We are not sure about who has got flu and who has got the Coronavirus. We would like to get diagnosis facilities to know the disease affecting the people. Thank you.
Bosaso Bari	6/5/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is S.S in Bosaso. The Coronavirus is fast spreading in Somalia. There are no health facilities and the pharmacies are under- equipped. We would like to get testing and treatment facilities.
Galkayo Mudug	6/6/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is F.A in Galkayo, the schools have been closed down, however the restaurants are still open and the khat is still coming into the country. The Corona guidelines should be implemented universally.
Galkayo Mudug	6/2/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is A.M in Galkayo, Mudug. I have not got the Coronavirus however it has affected the economy and our livelihoods.
Galkayo Mudug	6/3/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello my name is N. in Galkayo. I would like to inform the Somali people that the Coronavirus is a threat to the lives of individuals, their families and everyone in the society. People should take precautions. Thank you.
Galkayo Mudug	6/3/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello my name is F.B in Galkayo, I would like to ask the doctor if someone can get the Coronavirus again if you already had the disease. Also will it be as severe as the first time?
Mudug	6/4/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is M.A.J in Mudug. This area has seen a rise in the Coronavirus cases. We would like the doctors to tell us how we can deal with this pandemic disease. Thank you.

Galkayo Mudug	6/4/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is A.D in Galkayo. We seen many people with the symptoms of the Coronavirus and the government is not aware. I am sharing my voice with the media so that we can get action. Thank you
Dagari Mudug	6/1/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is A.M.A in Dagari. I would like to speak about the pandemic disease that has affected almost half the people. We would like the government and the ministry of health to reach us.
Dahar Mudug	6/4/2020	COVID/ Floods	Hello my name is M.Y in Dahar. We have been getting rainfall lately, the people should stay away from water streams that could potentially carry away people. The Coronavirus is also a threat and people should follow the guidelines.
Guriel Galgadud	6/2/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello my name is H. in Guriel. I am worried about the cases of Coronavirus found in Adado. The health workers and doctors need to help the people recover and curb the spread of the disease.
Guriel Galgadud	6/1/2020	COVID19/ Locusts/ Livestock	(F) Hello Radio Ergo, my name is F.A in Guriel, Galgadud. We been invaded by locusts that have destroyed the vegetation that grew during the rainfall. Our livestock have also got disease and we have not been able to sell them. The people are also getting disease and there have been cases confirmed in Adado. We would like to get help. Thank you.
Labagalle Galgadud	6/4/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is F.A in Labagalle. We are worried about the Coronavirus cases reported in Abudwak. We would like the government to reach us with medical aid.
Godinlabe Galgadud	6/4/2020	COVID19/ WASH	Hello my name is S.A.H in Godinlabe, Galgadud. We are facing water scarcity, and we don't even have water to wash our hands for sanitation against the Coronavirus. We would like the government and aid organisations to help us get clean water. Thank you.
Galgadud	6/4/2020	COVID19	Hello Radio Ergo my name is A. in Galgadud, in Galmudug. I would like to inform you that there is a Coronavirus outbreak (here). The people should practise the guidelines and practise social distancing, avoid crowded places and wash our hands. We should also pray to God to protect us from the virus.
Adado Galgadud	6/5/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is H.M in Adado. I would like to know the prevention measures or herbal medicine that can be used to cure the Covid19. I am looking forward to getting answers.
Abudwak Galgadud	6/5/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is M.A in Abudwak. I would like to speak about Coronavirus disease. We have not got any aid and we are requesting for aid. The people in remote areas need awareness and medical help. Please share my message.
Abudwak Galgadud	6/4/2020	COVID19/ WASH	(F) Hello my name is A. in Abudwak. We are pastoralists and we have been hit hard by the Coronavirus. We are facing water scarcity and we would like to get water wells drilled. We also pray for protection against the Coronavirus.
South Central	6/1/2020	COVID19	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Radalka, My name is A.M. I would like to inform the people to follow the guidelines so that they don't get the Coronavirus. Thank you

Kismayo L.Juba	6/1/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello my name is I.A in Kismayo. I would like to speak about the pandemic disease that has caused confusion and disrupted our lives, we would like to get intervention on this disease. Thank you.
Kismayo L.Juba	6/1/2020	COVID19	Hello Radio Ergo my name is I.A in Kismayo. There are risks caused by the Coronavirus that is prevalent in the area. We would like the government to reach us with aid and prevention measures.
Kismayo L.Juba	6/3/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is M.H.A in Kismayo. I think we can survive this pandemic Coronavirus, by getting close to God and maintaining body cleanliness.
Kismayo L.Juba	6/3/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello Radio Ergo, my name is F.I.A in Kismayo. The Coronavirus has the same symptoms as the flu, and we would like to know how we can differentiate between the two. We have heard that sometimes Corona patients don't have fever. Our main concern is the Coronavirus and we pray that God protects us from this disease.
Kismayo L.Juba	6/5/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello my name is S.M in Kismayo. The Coronavirus has had effects on our education, transportation, and all aspects of life. The people are still neglecting the disease and some believe it's just a myth or a punishment for non-believers.
Kismayo L.Juba	6/5/2020	COVID19	Hello am calling from Kismayo, Jubaland. The people are still gathering together, the public transport is operating and people are holding weddings. The people need awareness and measures to prevent the spread of the Coronavirus.
Kismayo L.Juba	6/5/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is H.M in Kismayo. The people in Kismayo are not following the Coronavirus guidelines. The schools have been reopened and people are going about their lives normally.
Kismayo L.Juba	6/5/2020	COVID19	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is I.Q in Kismayo. We are facing hardships, there are sick people and we don't know how to help these patients. Please share our message so that we can get help. Thank you.
Mogadishu Banadir	6/2/2020	COVID19	Hello my name S.A.M in Mogadishu. I used to work in a bank and now it has been closed due to lockdown and social distancing. We don't have an income now and we are forced to contact people by phone.
Mogadishu Banadir	6/2/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello my name is S.H.M in Mogadishu. I would like to advise the people in Mogadishu that the Coronavirus is highly contagious and people should practise social distancing. Thank you.
Shibis, Banadir	6/3/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is M.S in Shibis. I would like to ask the doctor about the symptoms of the Coronavirus and the course of action to take when I see these symptoms.
Barawe L.Shabelle	6/3/2020	COVID19	(F) Hello my name is N.M.A in Barawe, Lower Shabelle. We would like to get medical aid from the government. The people are facing disease.
Baidoa Bay	6/2/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is M.I in Baidoa. The people should stay at home whenever they see they have symptoms of the Coronavirus. They should self quarantine at home.

Baidoa Bay	6/4/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is M.I.A in Baidoa. I would like to know the symptoms of Coronavirus. I am a businessman and am living among a large number of people and I would like to know how I can recognize a person with the virus.
Dollow Gedo	6/3/2020	COVID19	Hello my name is A.M.W in Dollow, Somalia. I have been told that the Coronavirus can hardly survive in 25 degree temperatures. I would like to know how the virus can survive in human bodies with a temperature of 37 degrees.
Dhobley Gedo	6/6/2020	COVID19	Hello Radio Ergo my name is A.N.H in Dhobley. There are cases of disease and we don't have medical equipment to test for the virus. We would like to get the test kits.
Gedo	6/6/2020	COVID19	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.M in Gedo. We are doing well and we are concerned about the Coronavirus and the people need awareness.
Bosaso Bari	6/2/2020	Food security	Hello my name is A.A.S in Bosaso. I am a manual worker and we have seen lack of jobs and unemployment. We pray that we get the economy back to how it used to be.
Dhusamareb Galgadud	6/1/2020	Food security	Hello my name is A. in Dhusamareb, we are worried about the prices of fresh produce, the prices of bananas and tomatoes have risen sharply.
Adado Galgadud	6/4/2020	Food security	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name M.S.A in Adado. Our situation has fallen in limbo, we don't get jobs these days and I am a mother of eight children. My husband too is a destitute man.
Bal'ad M.Shabelle	6/4/2020	Food security	Hello my name is M.A in Bal'ad. We are the youth and we are facing unemployment, we would like to get job opportunities. Somali youth all over the country need jobs, be it recruitment into the police or other forces or even other sources of employment.
Galkayo Mudug	6/5/2020	Floods	(F) Hello my name is F. in Galkayo. The Hirshabelle government should respond to the flood-affected people. They have a responsibility to help the destitute families.
Jalalaqsi Hiran	6/4/2020	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo my name is A.J.N in Jalalqsi. I would like to speak about the Ali-Garob (parasite) tree that is taking over in the flooded areas that were abandoned.
Jalalaqsi Hiran	6/2/2020	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo my name is A.J.N in Jalalqsi, Hiran. I would like to speak about the flood water from Shabelle river that inundated the farms and houses.
El-Jalle Hiran	6/3/2020	Floods	(F) Hello Radio Ergo, my name is H.H in El-Jalle. The people are going back to their houses after the floods. The places are deserted now. There are mosquitoes, lack of running water and no electricity.
Beledweyne Hiran	6/4/2020	Floods	(F) Hello I am calling from Beledweyne Hiran. The flood water is still in the area. There are mosquitoes and we have not got any intervention. We are complaining about the perennial river floods that do not get proper action.
Beledweyne Hiran	6/6/2020	Floods	Hello my name is A.M.A in Beledweyne, Hiran. There have been recurring floods in Beledweyne and we would like to get long term solutions to this menace.

Beledweyne Hiran	6/5/2020	Floods/IDPs	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is M. in Beledweyne. We have seen charcoal burning and people are cutting down trees. It is now hard to find any shade (shelter) especially after people were displaced and there are no houses.
El-Baraf M.Shabelle	6/5/2020	Floods	Hello my name is O.S in El-Baraf. There are many farmers who have lost their crops in the floods. The farmers' associations should come together and try to solve the water issue. Some times of the year there is no water and at other times, water is destroying the farms.
Mahaday L.Shabelle	6/2/2020	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo my name is H.M.A in Mahaday, I would like to speak about river Shabelle floods. We have not received any help and we are appealing for help.
Gashamo, S. Ethiopian Region	6/1/2020	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo my name is H.D in Samatar, Gashamo. We have injected our goats with Agost and we would like to know if we need to inject them with other medications. Thank you.
Garowe Nugal	6/3/2020	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Garowe, I would like to speak about an unknown widespread disease. The livestock in Burtinle and parts of Puntland are facing fever and body weakness. We would like the ministry of livestock to reach us.
Galkayo Mudug	6/1/2020	Livestock/ Locust	Hello Radio Ergo my name is A.H in Galkayo, Mudug. Our livestock are feeding on dead locusts on the field and I would like to ask the experts what are the effects of these locusts on the meat and milk of the livestock. The Somali people are dependent on the meat and milk for food. We would like to know if we should continue to feed on the livestock meat and milk or we should stop. Thank you.
Galgadud	6/2/2020	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A. in Galgadud. Our young goats have got unknown disease and their eyes are sticking together. We would like the livestock vet to tell us about this disease.
Abudwak Galgadud	6/2/2020	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo my name is L.Y in Abudwak. Our goats are sick and they have got runny noses and they are coughing. We would like to know how we can treat this disease.
Guriel Galgadud	6/6/2020	Livestock	(F) Hello my name is F in Guriel. Our livestock are sick and they are coughing, they have got bloated stomachs and mouth sores. We would like to know how we can treat our livestock.
Bardera Gedo	6/6/2020	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo. I am calling from Bardera. Our livestock are sick and they have got runny noses. We would like aid organizations to get us livestock treatment and injections for our livestock.
Sool	6/5/2020	Locust	Hello I am calling from Sool. We are worried about locusts that are destroying our plantation and grazing fields. We would like to get help in controlling the locusts.
Taleh Sool	6/1/2020	Locust	Hello my name is M.A.H in Taleh, we have been devastated by locusts and we would like to get intervention from the federal and regional governments.
Taleh Sool	6/2/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A. in Taleh. This area is under the grip of invasive locusts, they have taken over the valleys. The locals are beginning campaigns to drive away the locusts.

Badhan Sanag	6/2/2020	Locust	Hello my M.A.J in Badhan. We have got rainfall in the area and we are now getting water and vegetation. However the locust plague is our main concern now, we would like to know how we can control the locusts. Thank you.
Hingalol Sanag	6/1/2020	Locust	Hello my name is H.A.Y in Hingalol. I would like to speak about large swarms of locusts that are destroying our grazing lands. We would like to get pesticides and control measures. The livestock are not grazing and the land is losing the green vegetation.
El-Buh Sanag	6/6/2020	Locust	Hello my name my name is H.M in El-Buh, we are worried about the locusts that are destroying our livestock fodder. We have seen some aerial spraying however it seems they might not eradicate the locust plague.
Egaag Togdher	6/1/2020	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo my name is S.A.S in Egaag. I would like to speak about locust swarms that have left behind larvae. They have covered the whole environment and the livestock don't get grazing lands. We would like to get help in controlling the livestock. Thank you.
Sahil Togdher	6/4/2020	Locust	Hello my name is M.A in Sahil. We have been invaded by locusts that have destroyed our grazing lands and affected our farms. We would like aid organizations to intervene.
Burao Togdher	6/2/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A.M.Y in Burao. We have been invaded by very large swarms of locusts. Please share our message. Thank you.
Sheikh Togdher	6/5/2020	Locust	Hello my name is K in Sheikh. The weather is very hot and the temperatures have risen to 44 degrees. There are also larvae and locusts that are coming from the valley area. We don't have the capacity to deal with these locusts. Thank you Radio Ergo.
Balli-dhiig Togdher	6/6/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A.M.A in Ballidhiig. There are large swarms of locusts that are destroying our farm lands and falling into our water sources. They are moving at night and we would like to get intervention with this plague.
Doqoshey Togdher	6/6/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A.I in Doqoshey. The locusts have left behind larvae and they are destroying our animal fodder and vegetation. That is my concern.
Bosaso Bari	6/1/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A.O.A in Bosaso. The people are complaining about the locusts but we have not seen the negative effects that people are complaining about. We hope the people that need help with the locusts will get help.
Qarar	6/2/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A.A. in Qarar. We would like to get swift response to the locust plague, it has devastated the farms and grazing lands. Please share my voice in the programme.
Burtinle Nugal	6/3/2020	Locust	Hello I am calling from Burtinle, my name is H.S.H. We are worried about the locust plague that has wreaked havoc across the country. Thank you.
Puntland	6/2/2020	Locust	Hello my name is M.A.M. We have been invaded by plagues of locusts and we are appealing for intervention from the government to help us curb the locusts.

Puntland	6/2/2020	Locust	(F) Hello my name is A.M.N, I would like to say that Locusts and the vegetation are God's creations. We should let nature be and the people trying to poison the locusts will get problems.
Puntland	6/1/2020	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is I. I would like to speak about destructive locusts that have formed a blanket and are laying larvae on the fields. We would like the Puntland locust control committees to reach out to us.
Puntland	6/4/2020	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo my name is A.M in Garosoor. We have seen large numbers of invasive locusts. Please share our message with the government officials. Thank you.
Gardafuu Bari	6/5/2020	Locust	Hello my name is M.A.F in Gardafuu. We have been invaded by locusts and they are eating away all green vegetation. Our livestock don't have grazing fodder and we would like to get them sprayed. Thank you.
Mudug	6/5/2020	Locust	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is A. in Mudug. I would like to speak about the locust plague and larvae that have taken over this area. Please share our messages so that we can get intervention. Thank you.
Bursalah Galkayo Mudug	6/4/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A.H in Bursalah, Galkayo. We have seen locusts that have been feeding on the fields, however they have not caused us any damage or hardship and we are urging people to leave the locusts alone.
Bursalah Galkayo Mudug	6/4/2020	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo my name is S.A.A in Bursalah. I am growing watermelons and they were destroyed by locusts in the last harvesting season. However they are now exploding again just when we are getting ready for harvest. I would like to know how we can deal with this problem. We are desperately asking for help. Thank you
Mudug	6/4/2020	Locust	Hello my name is S.W in Mudug. We are being devastated by large numbers of locusts that are destroying all vegetation in their wake. We would like to get intervention and control measures to chase away the locusts.
Galkayo Mudug	6/2/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A.M.A in Galkayo. Some people are spraying the locusts and the fields. The livestock feed on the same fields and they could be poisoned and could die. We would like the experts to explain to us about the pesticides.
Galkayo Mudug	6/2/2020	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo my name is M.A in Galkayo, Mudug. We have been invaded by locusts and there are larvae on the grazing fields. We would like to get intervention.
Galkayo Mudug	6/2/2020	Locust	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is B.M in Galkayo. There are locust larvae that are widespread and they are wreaking havoc. We would like to get aerial spraying to combat the locust plague. Thank you.
Galkayo Mudug	6/5/2020	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A. in Galkayo. We have seen large numbers of locusts that have descended on us. We are appealing for intervention. Thank you.
El-Aqwan Mudug	6/3/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A.N.A in El-Aqwan, Mudug. We have invested into our farms and now the locust plague has wreaked havoc in our farms. We would like intervention to save our farms.

Adado Galgadud	6/1/2020	Locust	Hello my name is M.A.H in Adado. We have been invaded by locusts and we would like the aid organization to intervene. The locusts have destroyed everything and fallen into water sources.
Adado Galgadud	6/5/2020	Locust	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is A. in Adado. We are concerned about the locust plague that are laying eggs and larvae on the ground. We are afraid the locusts might never go away. We would like the government to intervene.
Adado Galgadud	6/2/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A.H in Adado, I would like to speak about the locust invasion that has spread over the whole area and is threatening the vegetation and our livestock. We would like to get help.
Adado Galgadud	6/4/2020	Locust	Hello my name is I.A.H in Adado, Galgadud. I would like to speak about the large number of invasive locusts that stormed in yesterday night. We are afraid they will cause havoc, we would like to get intervention.
Galgadud	6/1/2020	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo my name is J.A.M in Galgadud. Large numbers of locusts have descended on us and I would like to ask the experts how we can control the locusts. Thank you.
Balanbale Galgadud	6/4/2020	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A. in Balanbale. I would like to speak about swarms of locusts that have descended on us and we have not been able to drive them away. We would like the government to intervene and help us spray the locusts.
Beledweyne Hiran	6/1/2020	Locust	Hello my name is A. in Beledweyne. I would like to speak about locust larvae that are in large numbers. They are destroying our farms and they have fallen into the water sources.
Afgoye M.Shabelle	6/2/2020	Locust	(F) Hello my name is L.A.J in Afgoye, Middle Shabelle. The locusts are leaving behind larvae and we are losing our vegetation to these larvae. We are appealing for help in controlling the larvae.
Middle Shebelle	6/3/2020	Locust	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is J. in Middle Shabelle. We have been invaded by huge swarms of locusts. The locusts have been reported in different parts of the country.
Jigjiga S. Ethiopia Region	6/3/2020	Locust	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is S.A.J in Jigjiga. There are locusts that have invaded us and it causing havoc, we hope that the locusts will disappear.
South Central	6/4/2020	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo, I would like to know if the pesticides aimed at killing locusts could have effects on our livestock. Thank you.
South Central	6/5/2020	Locust	Hello I am calling from Central Somalia. We have been invaded by locusts and larvae. They are stripping the land of the green vegetation. Our livestock are not getting fodder and we depend on livestock for our livelihood.
Bardera Gedo	6/3/2020	Agriculture	Hello my name is A.H.M in Bardera. I am a farmer and we have been infested by farm pests, I would like to know how to effectively deal with the farm pests. Thank you.
Kismayo L.Juba	6/3/2020	Agriculture	(F) Hello my name is J.I.Y in Kismayo. I would like to speak about farm pests that are eating into our maize and beans plantations. We would like to get pesticides to deal with these pests. Thank you.

Wanlaweyn L.Shabelle	6/6/2020	Agriculture	Hello my name is M.M in Wanlaweyn. We are praying to get good rainfall, we have planted our produce and grains and we hope to get good rainfall for their growth.
Wanlaweyn L.Shabelle	6/5/2020	IDPs/WASH	Hello Radio Ergo my name is M.H. in Wanlaweyn. We have got rainfall. There are displaced families here and there is poor sanitation. We would like to get cleaning services.
Jalalaqsi Hiran	6/1/2020	Sanitation/ Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Jalalaqsi, I would like to speak about widespread plastic waste that our livestock are feeding on. We would like to get action against the plastic waste.
Adado Galgadud	6/2/2020	WASH	Hello my name is A.F in Adado. I would like to speak about the water scarcity and drought, we would like aid organizations to help us get water aid.
Buhodle Togdher	6/4/2020	Conflict	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Ayn, Buhodle. There are clan conflicts in the area and we hope that the clans will find peaceful settlement.
Abudwak Galgadud	6/3/2020	Conflict	Hello my name is G.A in Abudwak. I would like to speak about camel rustlers and people slaughtering 10 camels overnight. We fear there could be outbreaks of conflict. That's our main concern.
Abudwak Galgadud	6/5/2020	Conflict	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.M in Abudwak, Galgadud. There are clans that are fighting in the area. These clans are fighting over grazing lands. We would like to get peace settlement and intervention.
Dhusamareb Galgadud	12/4/2019	Agriculture	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is A. in Dhusamareb, Galgadud. I am a farmer and I have been planting date trees for six years and they are only producing more branches. I don't understand the branches because I thought they would grow just like pawpaw trees. I have also planted lemons and their leaves are turning dark and they are oily. Please explain to me these issues.
South Central	12/3/2019	Agriculture	(F)Hello Radio Ergo my name is F. and I would like to ask the agriculture expert to tell what we can use to enhance the growth of tomato plants.
Berbera W.Galbed	11/29/2019	Agriculture	Hello Radio Ergo my name is A.M in Berbera. We are farmers and we plant tomatoes, mangoes, pawpaw and others. There are pests that have affected our produce. We have tried to spray them but they are resistant. Thank you Radio Ergo.
Berbera W.Galbed	12/3/2019	Agriculture	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is K.S.A in Las-idle, Berbera. We have heavy rainfall and it has destroyed our farms. We need help so that we can revive our farms. Please share our message with the government so that we can get help.
Kismayo L.Juba	12/3/2019	Rain	(F) Hello my name is S.M.I in Kismayo. We are doing good and we have got rainfall. Thank you Radio Ergo for you work.
Adado Galgadud	12/3/2019	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is O.S.A in Adado. Today we are are doing better, we have not got rainfall this week although the area is still wet. The roads have all been unblocked so they can now be used again. Thank you Radio Ergo.
Buhodle Togdher	11/27/2019	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo my name is A.A in Buhodle. We have got the Deyr rainfall. The area is good. We thank God. We also Thank Radio Ergo.

Adado Galgadud	12/1/2019	Rain	Hello my name is O.S.A in Adado. We are doing good and we have got rainfall. The locals are working to clear the roads and drainage and that is a good thing.
Adado Galgadud	11/30/2019	Rain	Hello my name is A.A in Adado. There are heavy rains and the many water catchment areas. There is cleaning processes going on and we are happy to see the city getting cleaned up.
Wanlaweyn L.Shabelle	11/29/2019	Rain	(F) Hello my name is F.A.I in Wanlaweyn, Lower Shebelle. We are getting rainfall for the sixth consecutive day. The livestock are doing better and we are thankful.
El-adde Hiran	11/30/2019	Rain/ Services	Hello my name is A in El-Adde, Hiran. We have got rainfall and the livestock are doing better. However, we don't have hospitals and schools in the area.
El-adde Hiran	11/29/2019	Rain/ Services	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from El-Adde, Hiran. We have got rainfall, however this area still lacks basic services including, education and health services. Thank you. [Ed. This caller/number has called at least twice]
Far-Libah Hiran	12/3/2019	Education	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Far-libah, I have also told you previously. This area does not have schools. We lack education centers although the area is doing fine and we have good security.
Abudwak Galgadud	11/30/2019	Education	(F) Hello Radio Ergo my name is I.A.A in Abudwak. I am young and I would like to learn and have a better future. We are destitute family and we cannot afford to go to school. I need help.
South Central	11/29/2019	Migration	Hello my name is A.O.M in Olow. The overseas migration is risky and not worthwhile, I have migrated from Djibouti and I spent hours of terrifying travel in the sea. I would like to warn the young people from such trips.
Adado Galgadud	11/29/2019	Migration	(F) Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Adado my name is A.M. There was a young man who used to own a shop and he decided to go on overseas migration, where he was captured by militia. His family paid ransom money to free him. He is now back in Somalia and people should learn from these stories and not attempt these trips.
Buhodle Togdher	11/29/2019	Migration	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Buhodle. I would like the young people attempting overseas trips to know they risk their lives and health. They should stay in their country and work on rebuilding the country.
Guriel Galgadud	11/27/2019	CASH	(F) Hello my name is F.N.R in Guriel. We are still worried about the Somali shilling that is not used in central Somalia regions. The people are still confused in the use of EVC [mobile money], the people still don't trade the way they used to and people always feel like they are missing something.
Abudwak Galgadud	11/29/2019	Governance	Hello I am calling from Abudwak, there is a new local commission and it has caused a dispute and we need representation in the district commission.

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