

**Brief Summary**

Calls to Radio Ergo's independent feedback platform this week (8-14 June 2023) reflected both the fears of communities along the river Shabelle of possible further flooding, as well as announcements of rainfall in many areas of the country bringing benefits to farmers and pastoralists. Callers in a few places indicated no or inadequate rainfall. There were several calls from people struggling to earn a living with rising prices and no jobs. Livestock herders in southern regions continued to complain about disease killing their camels and asked for veterinary treatment. The following summarises the calls by theme.

**Flooding** – among several callers from Hiran, two callers in Beletweyne said they were growing their crops and feared that flooding could destroy everything. The farmers wanted preventive action. A female caller asked for information about the causes of flooding and methods of prevention. A female caller among those displaced by flooding in Beletweyne said they were concerned about mosquitoes. Another impacted by recent flooding said they needed help. In Middle Shabelle, several callers in Jowhar and Mahaday said they saw the river rising and were worried about further flooding and how to protect their crops.

**Food Security** – a female among several callers from Bosaso said food prices had become high due to the ongoing drought and heat there and many people had migrated away. Another said the drought was severe and they needed aid. A caller in Wajid, Bakool, asked the government to create job opportunities to curb rampant unemployment among youth. In Kismayo, a female caller said high prices had affected her small business selling onions and tomatoes. A caller in an unspecified area said he had sustained eye and head injuries in his work breaking stones for gravel and now needed help to support his children.

**Shelter** – a female caller in Garowe said their shacks were destroyed in heavy rainfall and they needed help with better shelter. A female caller in Guriel said they were happy about the rain but needed mosquito nets.

**IDPs/Education** – a caller displaced by conflict in Lasanod said there were no schools in the area of Sool where they were currently living.

**Livestock** – several callers from Middle Juba, Lower Juba, and Bay asked for treatment and advice for their sick and dying camels. A female caller in Baidoa wanted to know the health risks of eating the meat from camels that had died of disease.

**Locusts** – two callers in Sanag reported locusts destroying vegetation and farm produce.

**Conflict** – a caller living near the Somaliland border with Ethiopia said they were affected by the Lasanod conflict, which needed to be settled peacefully. A caller in an unspecified location said they had been unable to work on their farms now that the rain had arrived after years of drought because of attacks by Mawisley militia. He said they did not know whom to report this to.

**Rainfall** – many callers in various parts of the country reported rainfall that was spurring vegetation to grow for the first time in a long period of drought, and refilling water sources. Many said their livestock were recovering weight and reproducing. A caller in Kamsumo, Lower Juba, added that they were still struggling despite the rainfall.

Date	Location	Gender	Theme	Remarks
14/6/2023	Beledweyne	male	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Beledweyne. We would like to know what causes floods and how we can prevent them. Thank you.

14/6/2023	Hiran	male	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is M. in Hiran region. We are farmers and we have been growing our farms, however there is fear that floods could hit us and destroy our crops. We need help so that we can save our crops.
8/6/2023	Beledweyne Hiran	male	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is M. in Beledweyne, Hiran. We have got rainfall which has led to floods. Our farms were hit by floods and there is fear that there might be more river floods.
9/6/2023	Beledweyne Hiran	male	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is M.M.A in Beledweyne. There are river floods in the area, and we fear there might be more floods. Thank you.
10/6/2023	Beledweyne Hiran	female	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is H. in Beledweyne. We have been hit by floods and people are suffering, we need intervention. Thank you.
14/6/2023	Beledweyne Hiran	female	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is N.H in Beledweyne, Hiran. We have got rainfall and there has been flooding however we are are doing well. Thank you.
10/6/2023	Beledweyne Hiran	male	Floods/ Health	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is J. in Beledweyne. We are doing well and we have got rainfall. There were floods in this area that have led to displacement to higher ground. We are now concerned about mosquitoes breeding in the water.
9/6/2023	Jowhar M.Shabelle	male	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is H.A in Jowhar. We are doing well although the Shabelle river has been refilled with water and it could possibly lead to floods. However, we are generally doing well. Thank you.
11/6/2023	Mahaday M.Shabelle	male	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is Y.H.A in Mahaday, Middle Shabelle. We are worried about floods in this area. We are requesting for intervention. Thank you.
9/6/2023	Middle Shabelle	male	Floods	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.M. in Middle Shabelle. We are doing well although there have been floods and our crops have been destroyed. Thank you.
9/6/2023	Garowe Nugal	female	Shelter/Rain	Hello my name is W. in Garowe. We are living in small shacks and they have been getting destroyed in the heavy rainfall. We are facing poor shelters and we need help. Thank you.
13/6/2023	Guriel Galgadud	female	Health/Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is F. in Guriel, we are happy since we are in the rainy season, the temperature has cooled down although we are worried about mosquitoes in the area. We need nets, thank you.

14/6/2023	Bosaso	female	WASH/ Food Security	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is F.S. in Bosaso region. There is drought and inflation of prices. Many people have migrated from this area and food commodities have become expensive. We hope that the temperatures will cool down and things will stabilise.
11/6/2023	Bosaso Bari	male	Food Security	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Bosaso. We are doing well although there has been heat in this area. We don't know where to go since we are destitute. The commodities are also getting expensive. Thank you.
11/6/2023	Bosaso Bari	male	WASH/Aid	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is Y.N in Bosaso. We have been facing drought and we are appealing for aid intervention. Thank you.
8/6/2023	Wajid Bakool	male	Food Security/Jobs	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.A.D in Wajid. There is rampant unemployment among the youth in this area. We need the government to create job opportunities for us. Thank you.
10/6/2023	Kismayo L.Juba	female	Food Security	Hello my name is A.A.H. I am a mother in Kismayo and I used to sell onions and tomatoes, however now the commodities have become too expensive and that has affected us. Thank you.
9/6/2023	South Central	male	Food Security	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is M.A.S. I have been breaking stones to earn a living but I was hit by some stones injuring my head and eyes. I have children and I would like to get help. Thank you.
8/6/2023	Sool	male	IDPs/ Education	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is R.M in Sool region. We have been displaced from Lasanod. There are no education centres in our new area and we hope that we get stability in our region.
13/6/2023	Bosaso Bari	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.A.S in Bosaso. There are diseases including PPR disease affecting the livestock and also pests that have invaded the vegetation. Thank you.
10/6/2023	Seyla Awdal	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Sayla. Our goats have got weak limbs and we would like to know how we can treat them. Thank you.
14/6/2023	Ayn Togdher	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Ayn. I would like the vet doctor to tell us how we can treat running noses among the livestock. Thank you.
10/6/2023	Badhan Sanag	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.M.F in Badhan, Sanag region. I would like the vet doctor to tell us how we can control lice in livestock, also where do these lice come from.

8/6/2023	Somaliland	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name O.H.N. Our young goats have got diarrhoea and they are dying. We would like to know what causes the diarrhoea and how we can treat them. Thank you.
8/6/2023	Qardo Bari	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Qardo. Our goats have got diarrhoea we therefore would like to know how we can treat them. Thank you.
13/06/2023	Galkayo	male	Livestock	Hello my name is A.M.M in Barahley. I would like the vet doctor to tell us what causes mange disease that affects the camels.
14/6/2023	Puntland	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, we are pastoralists and our goats are sick. Although we have got water and fodder there have been diseases affecting our livestock causing them to cough. We would like to get advice on how we can treat the livestock.
13/6/2023	Abudwak Galgadud	male	Livestock	Hello my name is A.G.F in Abudwak. Our goats have got skin diseases, they have skin sores and we would like to get advice on how we can treat them. thank you.
9/6/2023	Hiran	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is Y. in Hiran. Our livestock have got the cowpox disease and we don't know how we can treat them. Please advise us. Thank you.
10/6/2023	Middle Shabelle	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A. in Middle Shabelle. I would like the vet doctor to tell us how we can treat blood in urine among our cows. We would like to know how we can treat this disease. Thank you.
14/6/2023	Middle Shabelle	female	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is M. in Middle Shabelle. Our livestock are dying due to unknown diseases. We need the government to help us treat our livestock. Thank you.
11/6/2023	Salagle M.Juba	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Salagle. Our camels have got diseases and they are dying. We need the vet doctors to tell us the medicines we can inject into these camels. Thank you.
8/6/2023	Kismayo L.Juba	male	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Kismayo, my name is M.A. Our camels are sick and we need the vet doctor to advise us. Thank you.
13/6/2023	Kismayo L.Juba	female	Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is R.M.H in Kismayo. We have got rainfall and water. Also, our camels are coughing and they are dying. We would like to get them treated. Thank you.
10/6/2023	Kismayo L.Juba	male	WASH/ Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.A in Kismayo, L.Juba. There is drought in this area, our camels are also sick and they have got an unknown disease. We need help to treat them. Thank you.

14/6/2023	Baidoa Bay	female	Health/ Livestock	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is F.A in Baidoa. I would like to know the health implications of consuming meat from a sick camel. Thank you.
12/6/2023	South Central	male	Livestock	Hello my name is O.O.M. Our camels are having miscarriages and they are losing their young ones. We would like to know how we can stop this.
9/6/2023	Galkayo Mudug	male	WASH	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.A.M. in Galkayo. We have not got much rainfall and we are facing drought and heat. We hope that we get rainfall. Thank you.
13/6/2023	South Central	male	WASH	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is M.A in Baraji village. There is heat in this area and we are facing drought. The farm crops that are planted around this time have mostly failed in the past.
13/6/2023	Sanag	male	Locust	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Sanag region. We are concerned about locusts in this area that are destroying the leaves of the vegetation. Thank you.
14/6/2023	Sanag	male	Locust/ WASH	Hello my name is S.F, in Sanag, we have been invaded by locusts that have descended on our vegetation and farm produce. There is also drought that has wreaked havoc, we are therefore appealing for help.
8/6/2023	Somaliland	male	Conflict	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from the Somaliland and Ethiopia border. We are concerned about the conflict in Lasanod and we are advising the different clans to peacefully settle their differences. Thank you.
13/6/2023	South Central	male	Conflict	Hello Radio Ergo, we have not been growing our farms for years and now that we have got rainfall, there are Mawisley militia that have attacked us, we don't know where to report them. We have been forced to stay away from our farms.
13/6/2023	Hiran	female	Agriculture	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is S. in Hiran. We need the agriculture expert to tell us what we can use to deal with caterpillars. Thank you.
14/6/2023	Middle Shabelle	male	Agriculture	Hello my name is A. in Middle Shabelle. We have got the rainfall and we are farming although there are pests that have attacked our crops. We need pesticides to deal with these pests. Thank you.
13/6/2023	Baidoa Bay	male	Agriculture	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Baidoa, Bay. Our banana crops have been invaded by larvae and they are now diseased. These pests mostly attack at night.

10/6/2023	Bardera Gedo	male	Agriculture	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is W.A in Bardera. I have been growing sesame seeds and they have been attacked by aphids. I would like to know how we can get rid of them. Thank you.
8/6/2023	South Central	male	Agriculture	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is O. We are doing well, we are protecting our farms from birds today. We are doing well. Thank you.
14/6/2023	Galkayo Mudug	male	Environment	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Galkayo, there are people that are cutting down trees and we need the government to stop these people.
14/6/2023	Buhodle Togdher	female	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Buhodle. I would like to inform you that we have got the rainfall and we are doing well. We hope that Somali people in different areas will also get the rainfall.
8/6/2023	Sanag	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.J.A in Sanag region. We have got rainfall and we are doing well. Our vegetation is growing and our livestock have recovered from the drought. Thank you.
12/6/2023	Godalo Sool	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Godalo, my name is A.A.F. We have got the rainfall and we are doing well. Thank you.
13/6/2023	Hudun Sool	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Hudun, my name is A.O.A. We have got rainfall and we are doing well. We thank God.
14/6/2023	Somaliland	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, we have got the rainfall and the vegetation is growing in the area. It has been a long time since we have seen the vegetation growing in the area.
9/6/2023	Qardo Bari	female	Rain	Hello radio Ergo, my name is F. in Qardo. We are doing well and the situation has improved in the past few months. Our livestock are doing well and we hope that we get better times. Thank you.
13/6/2023	Bari	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is S.A.F in Bari. We have got rainfall and our goats are getting fat. We thank God.
11/6/2023	Garowe Nugal	female	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is F. in Garowe. We have got the rainfall and we thank God. We have recovered from the drought. The people in the rural areas and those in the urban area are doing well. Thank you.

13/6/2023	Nugal	male	Rain	Hello my I.A.F in Nugal. We have got the rainfall and the water catchment areas have been replenished by the rain water. Thank you.
11/6/2023	Nugal	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is M.A.F in Nugal. We are doing well and we have got rainfall. Our goats and camels are giving birth and there is water everywhere. Thank you.
13/6/2023	Puntland	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is B.Y.M. There has been rainfall in most parts of Somalia. The Somali people are brothers and sisters although they have been divided by politicians.
9/6/2023	Puntland	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, we are doing well and we have got the rainfall. We thank God for the blessings Thank you.
12/6/2023	Bursalah Mudug	male	Rain	Hello my name is A.A. in Bursalah, Mudug. We are doing well and we have got rainfall. We thank God.
9/6/2023	Galkayo Mudug	male	Rain	Hello my name is A.A in Galkayo. We are doing well and we thank you for your services. We have got the rainfall and we thank God.
13/6/2023	Abudwak Galgadud	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.M in Abudwak. We are doing well here and we hope other people complaining of drought will also get the rainfall.
11/6/2023	Adado Galgadud	female	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is N. in Adado. We have are doing well and we have got some good rainfall. We thank God.
13/6/2023	Adado Galgadud	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is F.D in Adado. We have got some little rainfall and we hope that we get more rainfall. Thank you.
11/6/2023	Adado Galgadud	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.A in Adado. We have got rainfall and our livestock have recovered from the drought. Thank you Radio Ergo.
13/6/2023	Bali-ad Galgadud	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Bali-ad. We are doing well and we have got some good rainfall in this area. We hope the other Somali people also get rainfall. Thank you Radio Ergo.
11/6/2023	Dhusamareb Galgadud	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Dhusamareb. We have got the rainfall and we are doing well. Thank you.

12/6/2023	Galgadud	male	Rain	hello Radio Ergo, my name is M. in Galgadud. We have got the rainfall and we thank God for the blessings. Thank you.
14/6/2023	Galgadud	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is M. in Galgadud. We have got the rainfall this morning and we hope that other people facing drought will also get rainfall.
8/6/2023	Guriel Galgadud	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is H.A.O in Guriel, Galgadud. We have got the rainfall and we are doing well. Thank you.
10/6/2023	Herale Galgadud	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.A.J in Harale. We have got rainfall and we are doing well. Thank you.
11/6/2023	Herale Galgadud	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is M. in Herale, Galgadud. We have got rainfall, our goats have got fat. We hope that other areas will also get the rainfall. Thank you.
13/6/2023	Buleburte Hiran	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A.M.A in Buleburte, Hiran. We have got rainfall after a long dry season. We hope that other regions also get the rainfall. Thank you.
9/6/2023	Jowhar M.Shabelle	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Ifo village in Jowhar, Middle Shabelle. This area is doing well and we are in bliss. We thank God for the rain.
11/6/2023	Qansah-dhere Bay	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is I. in Qansah-dhere. We are doing well and our farms are growing. We are happy and we thank God.
11/6/2023	Salagle M.Juba	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is I. in Salagle. We have got rainfall and we are doing well. Our livestock are doing well. Thank you.
8/6/2023	Bardera Gedo	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Bardera. We are doing well and we have got the rainfall. Thank you.
8/6/2023	Kamsumo L.Juba	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is G.K. in in Kamsumo Lower Juba. We have got rainfall although we are still struggling. Thank you.
12/6/2023	Kismayo L.Juba	female	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, I am calling from Kismayo. We are doing well and we got rainfall. We thank God.

9/6/2023	South Central	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is K.A. We are in bliss. The vegetation is growing and we have got water. We hope that other regions facing drought will get rainfall.
10/6/2023	Somali Region Ethiopia	male	Rain	Hello Radio Ergo, my name is A. in Somali Region in Ethiopia. We have got the rainfall and we are doing well. Thank you.