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The overall objective of the project is empower youth to promote community based democratic processes and citizen's involvement to ensure integrity of elections and political transparency.

The specific objectives of the project are:

1. To strengthen the capacities of youth representative structures, civil society organizations and youth networks to participate in electoral processes enabling them to increase accountability of political parties and transparency of their programs in Shkodra district
2. To raise awareness of citizens on electoral processes by encouraging their participation to guarantee accountable political parties and transparent programs.

The expected results that are intended to be achieved are:

1. Increased influence from youth representative structures and CSOs on the electoral process at the Shkodra district;
2. Increased number of citizens/young people participating in electoral processes at the local level;
3. Increased level of political parties' accountability and transparency of their programs which influence citizen's participation into electoral processes.