| **AGENDA GOAL** | **POLICY THRUSTS (2010 – 2014)** | **POLICY THRUSTS (2014 – 2018 and beyond)** |
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| **Governance**  *GOAL: To enhance democratic governance and accountability at all levels.* | * Enhancing participatory governance and accountability. | * Enforcing the rule of law and fundamental human rights. |
| * A professional, well trained and highly motivated civil service | * Institute a culture and process for long term development planning. |
| * Improvement of the internally generated revenue base of the state by 50% | * Establish a framework for fiscal sustainability. |
| * Democratisation of the governance process (regular town and village meetings in communities and empowerment of citizens to monitor governance) | * Improve on ongoing budget process reforms and ensure budget security on sustainable basis. |
| * Reduction in the percentage of those living below the poverty level from 70% to 20%. | * Strengthening institutional capacity of state’s civil service for improved service delivery. |
| * Traditional institutions to be accorded appropriate advisory role in governance | * Value re-orientation and participatory citizenship. |
| * A regional integration plan with South Western states and cordial relationship with Federal authorities |  |
| **Infrastructural Development**  *GOAL: To establish optimum communities that will improve the quality of life of citizens and attract maximum investments – with provision of electricity, well maintained roads network, portable drinking water, affordable shelter and security for all Ekiti citizens.* | * Establishing optimum communities that will improve citizen’s lives and attract investments. | * Rural and Farmsteads development |
| * By 2014, all parts of Ekiti to be accessible by major roads. | * Optimising productivity from all government assets. |
| * Making water dams in Ekiti functional to increase water supply by 80%. | * Strategic investment in infrastructure to stimulate economic growth and jobs. |
| * Deploy Public-Private-Partnerships especially for independent power projects. | * Continue the implementation of the State’s Water Resource Master plan. |
|  | * Establishment of the Ekiti Knowledge Zone (EKZ) and execution of the Digital Transformation Programme (DTP) |
|  | * Implementation of the Energy Master plan. |
| **Modernising Agriculture**  *GOAL: To make Agriculture a viable source of revenue and sustainable livelihood by ensuring suitable employment, food security, provision of industrial raw materials and poverty alleviation.* | * Reviving cocoa plantations to make Ekiti again a world leader in cocoa production. | * Continue commodity-based value chain approach to agric development. |
| * Agriculture to contribute 50% of IGR. | * Expand commodity chains to include Cocoa, Timber, Oil Palm and Rice. |
| * 20,000 Ekiti to be trained and employed in mechanized agriculture. | * Food security. |
|  | * Advocacy to making agriculture a business. |
|  | * Commence implementation of the FGN/State Government joint irrigation facility development. |
| **Education and**  **Human Capital Development**  *GOAL: To improve access to and provide quality education in Ekiti State towards the creation and consolidation of a knowledge economy.* | * A computer on every student’s desk. | * Sustain current policy gains in formal education. |
| * Free and compulsory education up to secondary school. | * Strengthening Vocational Education to build a functional cadre of highly skilled workforce. |
| * Special initiatives for physically challenged students. | * Promotion of indigenous language as the medium of instruction in schools. |
| * Establishment of institute of science and technology. | * Promotion of Adult Literacy. |
|  | * Creation of state sports academy for gifted youth. |  |
| **Healthcare Services and Social Security**  *GOAL: Prevention will be the key goal of Ekiti Health Service under our watch and we will seek to ensure the provision of holistic and comprehensive healthcare services and facilities for the people of Ekiti.* | * Free medical services for children, pregnant women, the physically challenged students and senior citizens. | * Development of holistic primary health care delivery systems |
| * Establishment of Health Centres in all localities. | * Increased focus on primary healthcare delivery system. |
| * Increased immunization coverage. | * Improvement on integrated public health education and enlightenment. |
|  | * Sustained social protection and safety nets programmes |
| **Industrial Development**  *GOAL: To expand Ekiti’s industrial base as a mechanism for increasing internal revenue and providing sustainable employment.* | * Jumpstarting industrial development by creating technology and industrial parks for small and medium scale enterprises. | **Investment promotion and private sector development**   * Deepening entrepreneurial and skills development. |
| * Establishing micro-credit facilities for promising entrepreneurs. | * Attract investors to critical high yield investment sectors such as agriculture, tourism and mining. |
| * Special focus on developing agro-allied and solid minerals sector. | * Creation of one stop investment center |
| **Tourism and Environment**  *GOAL: To make Ekiti an attractive and competitive tourism choice in West Africa.* | * Making Ekiti State a most attractive destination for relaxation and holidays. | * Optimising government’s investments in the flagship tourist destinations |
| * Building a heliport. | * Identify and evaluate all major festivals and strategically integrate them into a yearlong source of traffic to the state. |
| * World-class hotel and accommodation facilities. | * Create activities and media attention around our natural endowments to drive traffic to the state. |
| * Developing Efon, Okemesi, Ikogosi, Ipole Iloro tourism corridor. | * Stimulate local participation in the tourism industry. |
|  | * Continuous expansion of tourist destinations |
| **Gender Equality and Empowerment**  *GOAL: Promoting gender equity and empowering women by maximizing the potential of half of the population of Ekiti.* | * Promoting gender equality and empowering women to maximize their potentials. * At least a third of political appointments would be women. * Immediate establishment of community fund for women development. | * Sustain and institutionalize current gains. * Sustained promotion of the security, health and safety of Ekiti women * Prioritize programmes and policies that will uplift Ekiti women out of poverty * Faithful implementation of all laws and execution of policies promulgated for the empowerment of women. |