# SAMPLE TEMPLATE FOR CARE PROPOSAL PACKAGE\*

#### I. Cover Letter

- A. Name of Organization
- B. Name of Community
- C. State whether applying for Level 1 or Level 2

### II. Proposal (10 page maximum)

- A. Overview of Organization
  - 1. Mission
  - 2. Related experience.
- B. Community Profile
  - 1. Profile of Community
  - 2. Political and/or Geographical Boundaries
  - 3. Other Information
- C. Project Summary
  - 1. Project Description
  - 2. How Project Meets Evaluation Criteria

FOR LEVEL 1 Proposals:

- a) Extent of environment and public health problems
- b) Community involvement/collaboration/partnerships
- c) Alignment with CARE Strategies
- d) Project Goals and Performance Plan
- e) Tracking and Measuring Environment Results
- f) Programmatic Capability

FOR LEVEL 2 Proposals:

- a) How Project Meets Threshold Criteria
- b) Environmental Issues and Concerns
- c) Success of Broad-based Stakeholder Group

d) Ability to Leverage New Resources and Sustain Community Efforts to Understand and Improve the Environment

- e) Alignment with CARE Strategies
- f) Project Goals and Performance Plan
- g) Tracking and Measuring Environmental Results
- h) Programmatic Capability
- 3. Biographical sketches of key technical experts
- 4. Detailed budget

Make sure your proposal includes processes/mechanisms for tracking and measuring the outputs and outcomes

## III. Letters of Support

## IV. Other Supplemental Information

\* Please make sure that you and your project are eligible and fit the CARE program model