**Cities Development Initiative for Asia**

**PROJECT OVERVIEW**

| Country: | China, People’s Republic of |
| City: | GUILANG (1) |

### PROPONENTS

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### Key Sector(s):

- WATER SUPPLY,
- TRANSPORT,
- URBAN RENEWAL

### Geography and Population

- **Area:** 8,034 km²
- **Population:** 3,450,000

Guiyang is the capital of Guizhou Province. The city is located in the central part of the province on the east of the Yunghi Plateau, and on the north bank of the Nanming River at an elevation of 1100 meters above sea level. Guiyang has easy access northward to Sichuan and northeast to Hunan Province.

### Key City Development Issues

The overall city’s development plans focus on the following areas:

- Further establishment of a new urban center in GUILANG.
- Upgrading of urban transport infrastructure.
- Rehabilitation of GUILANG’s water resources.
- Upgrading of existing infrastructure.
- Increase competitiveness to attract investments.

### Details of Cooperation

CDIA supported activities include:

- a) Pre-feasibility study on Urban Water Resource Rehabilitation;
- b) Pre-feasibility study on Public Urban Transport;
- c) Linkage of Pre-feasibility studies with potential financiers; and
- d) Assist the city to plan any institutional strengthening related to project programming and prioritization for city service delivery.

### Expected Developmental Impacts

- Reduced pollution in water bodies;
- Reduced pollution and CO2 emissions from private sector transport;
- Improved living conditions, especially for lower income groups.

### Project Period

SEP/2008 - MAR/2009

### CDIA Support

521,800 US$ [Estimated: 2.4 bil US$; Realised: 3.336 bil US$]

### City Contribution

80,000 US$ (in kind)