

**RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE ROLE OF ‘POKMAS’  
AND COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION LEVEL IN VILLAGE  
BUILDINGSIMULTANEOUS MOVEMENT (‘GSMK’) PROGRAM IN  
TULANG BAWANG DISTRICT**

**ABSTRACT**

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This research aimed to understand (1) the role of Community Group (‘POKMAS’), (2) the level of participation, and (3) the relationship between POKMAS role and community participation level in GSMK Program at Tulang Bawang District. This research was conducted in Tulang Bawang District in June–July 2013. Respondents were 53 GSMK program members and 70 POKMAS members in the district. Qualitative descriptive analysis was used for the research. Rank Spearman analysis was used for data analysis. The results showed that (1) the role of POKMAS in GSMK program in Tulang Bawang District is categorized in high level, (2) the level of community participation in GSMK Program is categorized in very high level, and (3) there is a significant relationship between the role of POKMAS and participation level in GSMK program. The higher the role performed by the POKMAS, the higher the community participation level in the GSMK program in Tulang Bawang district.

*Key words : POKMAS, GSMK, participation*