

# Voices OF HOPE

## Colombia

Despite international and national protection regulations, the Páramos in the upper Andes of Colombia are under threat due to extractive mining activities, as well as regional political and economic instabilities and weak legislation.

PWRDF has partnered with the World Association for Christian Communication (WACC) and local organization Grupo Comunicarte in a three-year program to promote people-led environmental protection among Indigenous, peasant and Afro-descendant communities across six affected regions.

The program will cost on average \$44,000 per year, and will fund weekly 60-minute radio broadcasts. A network of 10 environmental journalists, at least half women, will be trained on environmental protection and care practices. The project will also strengthen citizen journalism and support community radio networks working on environmental issues




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