

Kabale receives road equipment

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Kabale district on Tuesday received road equipment from the Government to improve the road network.

It includes a wheel loader and a grader.

In July, President Yoweri Museveni commissioned some of the 1,151 pieces of equipment that were to be given out to 121 districts. This was in Bweyogerere, Wakiso district.

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■ The equipment bought using a loan from the Japanese Bank for International Cooperation, will be used to maintain the roads under the care of district local governments.

Each district will receive a road unit comprising a grader, vibro roller, wheel loader, water bowser and two dump trucks.

While receiving the equipment at Kigezi Private Sector Promotion Centre in Kabale municipality, the district's chief administrative officer, Wilson Tibugyendwa, hailed the Government for the equipment, saying it will help fix roads that were destroyed by heavy rains.

The district speaker, Loy Zinkampereza, said the district has been failing to work on the roads due to lack of equipment.