## NHPC sponsors the 7<sup>th</sup> MADIBA Festival

## NHPC, major partner of the MADIBA Festival on the banks of the Wouri River

True to its commitment to Cameroon's socio-economic and cultural development, NHPC sponsored the MADIBA Festival for the second time, held from the 14th to the 16th of February 2025 in Siga Bonjo on the banks of the Wouri River in the Littoral region.

Placed under the high patronage of the President of the Republic, this 7<sup>th</sup> edition of the festival welcomed several members of the government, who came to discover and celebrate the richness of the Sawa culture.

NHPC took an active part in the Festival with two major contributions:

- An immersive stand providing virtual tours of the Nachtigal construction site using augmented reality headsets;
- The participation at the conference on the theme "First archaeological discoveries in the Wouri/Nkam valley: preliminary results of finds at the Bona Anja Siga Bonjo site and current perspectives". NHPC's E&S Director presented the actions carried out as part of the Nachtigal project to preserve the cultural heritage, with an emphasis on archaeological excavations.

NHPC also took advantage of the Festival to share its experience with local fishermen on the structuring of fishing activities in Nachtigal, in particular through the establishment of cooperatives to guarantee more organized and controlled fishing.

NHPC's involvement in this event, located outside the Nachtigal project area, testifies to the company's desire to be recognized as a major player in sustainable development at a national level.







Photos of NHPC's participation at the Festival