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The research is to study ‘Sustainable Development Guidelines for Sufficiency Economy Community: A Case Study of Khao Tao Community, Hua Hin District, Prachuap Khiri Khan Province’. The qualitative and qualitative research approaches data collection, surveys, observations, questionnaires and interviews. The factors of this study included physical, and socio-economic conditions. The suggestions of sufficiency economy for sustainable development perspective are also discussed.

The results of the study showed that community is a sufficiency economy community, but Khao Tao Community is a low rate of sufficiency economy community. The conclusive suggestions for sufficiency economy community for sustainable development are as follows; 1) Land use zoning: development and conservation zone based on geographic areas were considered (i.e., mountainous, hillsides, and coastal areas); 2) Physical components: maintaining and preservation of the physical components of the community were included (i.e., infrastructure development and service areas sufficiency); 3) Economics community zones: potential areas based on natural resources and cooperative in the community were suggested (i.e., co-operative stores, hand-made production spaces, community center for local activities). Potential areas based on topograph were also considered (i.e., beach, hill, and reservoir).

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