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The objective of this study is to understand the development process of multilateral cooperation in community waste management. Saklee Community, Sena District, Ayutthaya Province was selected as a case study in order to present the community's experience in inter-partner cooperation. Key informants were selected from 5 partners related to the community waste management (community leaders, villagers, teachers, non government organization officials, government officials, and businessmen). The fieldwork duration was 6 months (from July, 1996 to December, 1996) employing research techniques of reviewing relevant government documents and research reports, and conducting indepth interview with direct and participant observation.

The study found that the cooperation in community waste management is based on the strengthening of partners in the community (leaders, community organization, and teachers) and of community consciousness. The social structure in horizontal relationship which stimulates citizenship induces other partners to cooperate in community waste management and other well-beings.