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COMPLETE COMMUNITY WATER SOLUTION

IN TANZANIA

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When you gave the gift of a Complete Community Water Solution in Tanzania, you set something very powerful in motion.

TODAY, THAT MOMENTUM IS CARRYING CLEAN WATER TO OVER 6,000 PEOPLE IN RURAL TANZANIA DAILY, AND IT'S ALL THANKS TO YOU.

Your ongoing support is changing the lives of children around the world for the better. We would like to share with you an update on the incredible impact your gift is having on children in Tanzania.

A complete community water solution provides more than essential drinking water.

It means improved health for children and families.

It means children can attend class and parents can work instead of spending hours collecting water.

Your gift of clean water is affecting every part of a child's life.

CHANGE MADE BY YOU

In our last update, we let you know that construction was progressing well on building lasting infrastructure that will ensure children and families have clean water all year round.

Today, we are happy to report that your Complete Community Water Solution in Tanzania is now fully constructed and operational. This includes: a powerful water network for Chidilo Village, including a water reservoir tank for the drier seasons; latrines and handwashing stations at two primary schools; and two school water tanks to store for the drier seasons. The photos below and on the following page show some of the important infrastructure your gift has built — infrastructure that is improving health and changing the lives of children every day.

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THE DIGNITY OF BETTER TOILETS AT SCHOOL

HOW ACCESS TO CLEAN WATER CAN CHANGE LIVES

You have given children and families a multifaceted approach to improve community health, including water, hygiene, and sanitation facilities that keep children healthy.

In addition to this important infrastructure, your generosity trained teachers across 34 different schools in the Bahi District on the following subjects – knowledge they will share with each student they teach:

- **IMPROVING HEALTH**, including proper waste disposal, personal and food hygiene, hand washing, and how to avoid germ contamination and diseases caused by unclean water
- **EMPOWERING YOUNG GIRLS**, including healthy hygiene practices during menstruation, symptoms of unhygienic practices, and proper use of sanitary materials
- **GIVING CHILDREN MORE TIME IN SCHOOLS** for ongoing improved hygiene practices, including hygiene promotion and other school hygiene and sanitation improvements

Thanks to you, families throughout Chidilo Village have clean water for drinking, cooking and washing, and students at Chidilo, Chonde and Iwumba schools have the facilities they need to stay clean and healthy. And that can make all the difference in their lives — today and for the future.

THANK YOU

Thank you for giving the gift of water and health to students and families in Tanzania. And thank you for playing a vital role in making the world a better place for children.

I look forward to sitting down with you soon in person to talk further about how meaningful your support has been to vulnerable children across the planet. In the meanwhile I hope that, with each drink of clean water you take today, you will think of the boys and girls of Chidilo Village, and of Chonde, Iwumba, and Chidilo schools, who are doing the very same thing, thanks to you.

As your liaison at Plan International Canada, please feel free to contact me. I look forward to hearing from you:

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