



TGUP Project Summary

Emergency Food Relief

Meru, Kenya



Project Name:

Emergency Food

Project Location:

Meru, Kenya

Project Summary:

Provide 3 months of food and staples to 95 families.

Project Need:

- * The area has experienced unprecedented drought.
- * Crops have failed, and families are in desperate need of food staples.
- * Even the markets are out of food supplies.

NGO Partner:

(CIFORD) Community Initiatives for Rural Development

Project Cost:

\$2,000



TGUP, in partnership with Community Initiatives for Rural Development (CIFORD), funded 3 months of food and staples for 95 families.

Each family was given 20kg of maize for making their daily porridge meal, 5 kg of beans, 5 kg of rice, and 1 liter of cooking oil. Most families have between 3-5 children so this project benefitted close to 500 people.

The Tigania East and West Sub Counties of Meru have experienced so little rainfall that the past two harvests have completely failed. Most of the families in these areas are peasant farmers. They not only live off the produce that they grow, but also sell any extra at the local open markets.

The drought has been so severe that CIFORD had to travel long distances to purchase the food to donate. The local markets, usually a thriving place of business, were empty of many of the basics.

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