



# TGUP Project Summary

La Quebradita Community

Water Well

La Quebradita, Nicaragua



**Project Name:**

La Quebradita Water Well

**Project Location:**

La Quebradita, located 18 miles from Tipitapa, Nicaragua

**NGO Partner:**

Seeds of Learning

**Project Cost:**

\$1,960

**Needs Assessment:**

- The community members walk a long way to a polluted irrigation channel for water.
- The water well will be installed next to the new school that TGUP is funding.
- When finished, the community will have easy access to clean water for cooking, bathing and drinking.



The community of La Quebradita lacks electricity and potable water and people walk a mile each way to fetch water for drinking, cooking and bathing. TGUP would like to install a water well for easy access to water.

People in La Quebradita live in very poor conditions, in huts made of wood and corrugated metal sheets. The community abuts a rice irrigation channel full of pesticide-polluted water which is where water is currently sourced. Bacterial borne illnesses are common, especially among children, from the dirty river water.

In addition to the water well, TGUP, in partnership with Seeds of Learning (SOL), hopes to also build a new 20'x33' classroom, two latrines and a playground. Currently, school is held in a metal cargo container and there are no latrines or place for the children to play.

The community is contributing 20% of the cost in labor and is willing to do whatever necessary to help.