



CIFORD Kenya

Community initiative for rural Development

SEED Distribution

In the last seasons, there has been reduced crop harvest or total crop failure due to erratic and unreliable rains. During the April rains there was total crop failure which left many families with no food or income. The families being in rural areas depend mainly on rain fed agriculture which failed and thus the poverty.

Many children had to drop out of school to look for casual work as the parents left children unattended to look for casual work to feed the families, this has been a tough season for most people in our target area and when the planting season came many families did not have seeds to plant as their focus was more on the search for food.

Consultative meeting

There was consultative meeting with the groups and farmers to agree on the type of seed to provide and plant. The meetings agreed that we give the hybrid drought resistant maize, The seeds were bought and distributed to the farmers. The joy of receiving the seeds was seen in the faces of the farmers.



Support from TGUP

With support from The Global Uplift Project (TGUP,) we were have provided the families with food and before the rains started, TGUP supported CIFORD Kenya with USD 1000(Ksh 118000) to buy seeds for families. A total of 200 families received a 2 Kg Packet of Maize seeds at Ksh 580.



Julia Mwarania is a member of Mumui Widows group. She was so happy when she received a 2 Kg packet of maize and the joy was all over her. She said" I thank you so much with your friends. I had lost

hope on what to plant and all the rain as been falling on my farm and yet I had nothing to plant. I am so happy because I will also have something to harvest. Thank you CIFORD and your friends “

Progress



Mwenda is a member of Kiramu self help group in his farm where he grew the maize. Thank you for your support. Those were Mwendas works when we visited him.

Financial Report

200 packets @580 = 116000/= ‘

Administrative support – 2000/=

Total118,000/=

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