



Kasupe Ministries

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Self-Sufficiency Project

Construction of Kasupe AgriBusiness Center

The Kasupe AgriBusiness Center Building



The Kasupe AgriBusiness Center



The Superette Room

The AgriBusiness Building Phase One Is Completed!

The dream is finally coming true! The far-fetched vision for Kasupe Ministries, to rely on its own finances at the beginning of 2022, is no longer an insurmountable goal! The purpose of this building is for Kasupe Ministries to have an AgriBusiness Center that will be a one-stop village market place or a "mini shopping mall." This project is part of our local *Income Generation* broader strategy that we have shared with our esteemed partners over the past few years. The Ministry desires nothing less than to be self-sufficient in all areas and the completion of Phase One for the construction is the answer.



The AgriBusiness Center Building, as seen above, has ten rooms; two more than the original design. The rooms will be for a *Superette, Bakery, Butchery, an Office, and a Solar Power Room.* When fully completed, the building will also have running water, five "flush toilets" and fourteen sinks. Furthermore, the design of the building fully adheres to the Government's requirements and it will withstand severe and inclement weather conditions (as witnessed in February-March 2019 when the Kasupe area was pummeled with flush floods and Cyclone Idai).



The Goal For Phase One

Our plan for Phase One (2018/19 Financial Year) was to complete the building, and this has happened. In addition to the completion of the structural works—the floors, the walls, the roof, as well as the fixing of steel doors and windows—we also started some works on solar wiring and plumbing. Initially, we had planned to install the solar and plumbing works during Phase Two but the donors' overwhelming financial support and the diligence of our construction team, coupled by the change of the design, some of the solar and plumbing works were carried out in Phase One. A total of \$52,518 has been spent for Phase One. The total budget for the whole project is \$90,708.



The Goal For Phase Two

For the final Phase, (2019/20 Financial Year), our plan is to complete all the planned works for the AgriBusiness Center. With a budget of \$38,190, the following works will be done:

- 1. Drilling of a 30metre Borehole to Supply Water**
- 2. Purchasing of a 5,000lts Water Tank**
- 3. Construction of a 5metre Water Tower**
- 4. Purchasing of a Water Pump, Solar Panels, and Other Solar Accessories**
- 5. 2 Solar Ovens for the Bakery**
- 6. 2 Solar Freezers for the Butchery**

We pray and hope that these works will be done within the next twelve months so that full operations could start in June 2020.



Financial Support Appeal For Phase Two

As we embark on the Final Phase (2019/20) for the construction of the AgriBusiness Center, we would like to ask for your financial help. Phase Two will cost \$38,190 but we are asking for \$31,075, we have \$7,115 in hand. Please feel free to donate for specific items as indicated below:

- i. Drilling of a 30m Borehole to Supply Water (\$4,673)**
- ii. Purchasing of a 5,000lts Water Tank (\$3,452)**
- iii. Construction of a 5metre Water Tower (\$1,246)**
- iv. Solar Water Pump, Solar Panels, and Other Solar Accessories (\$10,475)**
- v. Solar Ovens for the Bakery (\$8,455)**
- vi. Solar Freezers for the Butchery (\$2,774)**

A Word of Thanks

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**The Superette will replace the “congested”
Kasupe Community Shop**

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