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Applicant: SOS for Women Farmers Bainet (SOSFPB)

Place of performance: Haiti, Bainet, department Sud'Est

Partners: Global Giving and Donor

Project Title: Support to schooling of 100 disadvantaged girls in Haiti

Project duration: 3 months

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I. PURPOSE AND ACTIONS

The project consists of the manufacture of 100 school kits (**1 kit** = School notebooks, slate, feathers, various pencils, eraser, ruler graduated in wood, school bag, shoes and uniforms) which will be distributed to 100 girls aged 5-12 years old in two rural municipal schools of the town of Bainet, especially in the Department of the southeast of Haiti. In addition, annual tuition will be paid for all the girls whose parents do not have the financial means to provide educational materials and pay school fees during this school year.

The distribution of school materials is a valuable support provided to parents for the education of girls and son in a context where children's education is perceived as a loss for the parents, because of their use as labor for housework. And, many of these children stayed at home and as a result, will engage in prostitution or debauchery activities during their younger ages.

In Haiti and especially in rural areas, several thousand children have no access to education, their parents do not have the resources to pay the required school supplies or pay the annual tuition.

So every year, the association "SOS aux Femmes Paysannes de Bainet de la 5eme section Communale de Bainet" work in favor of primary education for girls and son of all disadvantaged children, 5 to 12 years in our regions interventions.

Our association is committed to increasing access to education of the poor to enable them to join the school benches. Our action aims to increase the enrollment of children, especially girls. However, it also allows re-mobilize parents for the education of their children. The school system is weakened by the lack of resources and personnel. Nelson Mandela said, "Education is the most powerful weapon to change the world." It is through education that will transmit the values of human rights and democracy. Modestly, we try to help provide basic education, comprehensive and quality child beneficiaries. Since 2008, more than 1500 children, among the poorest, have benefited from our support.

For us, investing in basic education is one of the best ways to reduce poverty. The established education for individuals and for the community, opportunities to receive higher incomes. Basic education provides the skills, knowledge and attitudes that improve productivity and provide access to better paid jobs and more skilled. This is the objective of this project.

II. Project Justification

The living conditions of the vast majority of parents are so hard they can not, until now, to buy school supplies for children that when we are already in the first quarter of the school year in progress. Many children go to school at the moment with their two empty hands without the required teaching materials. And some children wear torn shoes and uniforms are really in bad conditions. The poverty situation is evident in all the schools in rural areas of Bainet.

Indeed, given the precarious socio-economic conditions of the parents, the SOSFPB organization has decided to provide support to children (students) especially girls aged 5 to 12 years who have economic difficulties to complete this school year.

In this project, various 100 school kits will be distributed to 100 girls from 5-12 years divided in two schools in the Netherlands region Gandou in Bainet.

A school kit for children contain notebooks, slate, feathers, various pencils, eraser, ruler graduated in wood, school bag, shoes and uniforms). In addition to this, annual tuition fees may be paid for some children whose parents have no economic power that could enable them to fully load the education of their children.

The backpacks are made locally by Haitian seamstresses using recycled materials to support the local economy. It is also a way to protect the environment by using solid materials that could pollute the environment to transform them into useful materials such as school bags.

According to surveys of several institutions working in the field of education in Haiti, one girl child out of three is deprived of the right to education in rural areas. In this context, this project will increase or prioritize primary education for girls in order to significantly reduce juvenile delinquency and allow children to believe in the future as all the world's children in developed countries.

It is a gesture that will be very significant for us to distribute school kits to girls during the school year. There are many students, because of the low average of their parents, who do not have school materials, annual tuition remain without paying for years, so that many children leave school to go take care of household activities, prostitution or sexual debauchery during their younger ages. The directions of the schools that are in rural areas, they either do not have the money it takes to fill a void, and this applies in all rural areas in Haiti.

This critical condition motivated more **SOSFPB** the Association to engage more in social activities can contribute to the development of these zones and allow parents of children to improve their living conditions through micro realize that we will count during this year.

III. The project's objectives

3.1.-General Objective: Promote primary education for 100 girls from 5 to 12 years during the school year.

3.2.- Specific Objectives Project

- Acquire teaching materials for 100 girls
- Distribute 100 school kits to girls
- Decrease the number of dropout for children whose parents are in economic difficulty

3.3.-activities to achieve

- Selection of 100 girls from 5 to 12 years divided into at least two community schools in the intervention areas of the Association SOSFPB
- Meeting with the parents of these girls
- Acquisition of various teaching materials for 100 girls
- Preparation of 100 school kits
- School Payment for 50 children whose parents are in economic difficulty

- Organizing a big meeting with parents, schools and children to distribute kits
- Photo taking and video over the distribution activities
- Development of a narrative and financial report for donors

IV.- EXPECTED RESULTS

- -reduction of domesticity work of rural girls
- -Make primary education for girls a priority
- Reduction of grade repetition and the number of drop in a year
- -Reduction of juvenile delinquency and rural prostitution activities
- -Reduction of violence in women and girls

V. BENEFICIARIES

5.1.-Beneficiaries Direct

The direct beneficiaries of the project are 100 girls aged 5 to 12 years. Most of them are single-parent children or orphans who work and live with host families in domesticity. Others will also be children whose parents are deprived of everything and therefore they do not have the means to take charge of the education of their son and daughters.

5.2.-indirect beneficiaries

The indirect beneficiaries are the parents of these children and also all Bainet community that are in the project area. They will be around more than 1,500 people.

VI.-TIME PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION

The project duration is three (3) months shall commence as and as we will receive the donor financial support.

6.1.-Timeline Project

Time unit (months)	1	2	3
activities			
1) Selection of 100 girls from 5 to 12 years divided into at least two community schools	Х		
2) Meeting with the parents of these girls	Х		
3) Acquisition of various teaching materials for 100 girls	Х	Х	
4) Preparation of 100 school kits		Х	
5) payment of annual school fees for 50 children			х

6) Organizing a big meeting with parents, schools and children to distribute kits	х	х
7) Photo taking and video over the distribution activities	Х	
8) Report for donors	X	х

VII.- Operation, viability and continuation of the project

This project will provide socio-economic benefits enormous. It will offer children the opportunity to enjoy the bread of instruction and fully enjoy their right to primary education. This project will also allow schools to support the population in its education needs. Thus, the intensity we can reduce the problems likely to be faced by the country because the more children who do not go to school, the more the country is sinking into the abyss of underdevelopment and this will also contribute to increased banditry phenomenon.

Besides the official program of the Ministry of National Education, these children will be models capable of promoting certain values that are currently considered deficient in Haitian society. Some of them are respect for others, protection of the environment because the majority of these community schools, children will also be trained in profitable education in the fields of agroecology, sustainable agriculture, healthcare seedling nursery and environmental protection. This project is very viable to the extent that it will continue to provide services to the community for a number of years and indeterminate material that we will distribute to children can last throughout the school year.

VIII.- Estimated budget

GENERAL BUDGET USD				
Project duration:	3 months	USD		financially

direct costs	total Number	unit cost	Total cost	equity	funds requested
Human ressources			1,100.00	0.00	1,100.00
payment of fees for sewing	30	20.00	600.00		600.00
transportation costs of materials	1	500.00	500.00	500.00	0.00
investments			4,000.00	0.00	4,000.00
payment of annual school fees	50	80.00	4,000.00		4,000.00
school equipment or materials			10,000.00	0.00	10,000.00
purchase of various teaching materials	100	25.00	2,500.00		2,500.00
purchase of uniforms for 30 children canvas	50	40.00	2,000.00		2,000.00
buying shoes for girls 50	50	30.00	1,500.00		1,500.00
purchase of school bags for 50 children	50	30.00	1,500.00		1,500.00
purchase of educational games for children	50	30.00	1,500.00		1,500.00
Preparing school kits	1	1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00
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communication costs	1	500.00	500.00	500.00	0.00
General administrative costs and 6%			936.00	936.00	0.00
unexpected	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
TOTAL ELIGIBLE COSTS		15600.00			
TOTAL COSTS AND PROJECT FUNDS SOUGHT			16536.00	1936.00	15,000.00

The total cost for this project is USD 16,536.00. Our participation will be 1,936.00 USD and the amount sought from Donors of USD 15,000.00.

Dear (s) Donors (facilitators), we would like to say a big thank you for your generous donations, in advance, for every gesture of understanding towards these girls, parents and schools in recent different areas intervention of SOSFPB association that will directly benefit from this project. Your gestures of solidarity will remain engraved in our memories throughout our existence and we will not fail to thank you, once again, on all communication materials that we use to share the positive results we expect this project. For now, we can only pray you to accept, Dears Benefactors, our fraternal greetings and solidarity.

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