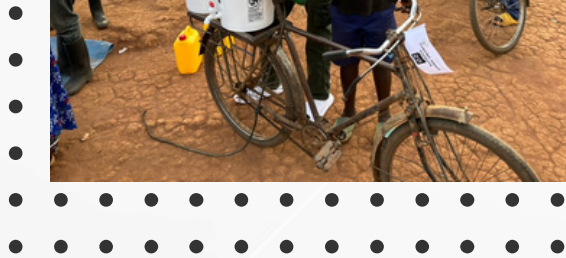




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# TANGIBLE CHANGE



For five days in late February 2024, I had the pleasure of traveling to meet our World Relief team in Rwanda and have them show me around. We drove the winding roads through the rolling hills of the sector of Ngoma, to the districts of Jarama and Rukumberi. Corn was drying on tarps in the sun to make kawunga. Goats could be spotted to our left, and a bicycle overflowing with bananas to our right. In the early mornings and late afternoons, we would be on the road waving as children carried 20 liter jerrycans to and from the nearest water source. They looked so sharp in their neatly pressed school uniforms. But the water they carried was dangerous.

Not for long. Over the next few months, over 1,000 families would receive SAM3 filters and share clean water with their neighbors. 2 schools in the districts would receive SAM2 filters, and 15 churches would get Rain Water Harvest Systems. This is the picture of tangible change. Those kids will grow up without worry of waterborne disease and can instead focus on school, family, and friends. All of this is made possible by our network of strong and sustaining supporters for whom we are so grateful. Let's keep this going!

*David VanOpstall*

Dave VanOpstall, Executive Director



# LIVES TRANSFORMED BY THE GIFT OF CLEAN WATER.

Imagine never feeling safe. Imagine living under the constant threat of dehydration, chronic diarrhea, intestinal parasites, or worse. And imagine not really being able to see the threat, but knowing it's all around you. That is a graphic picture, but also a stark reality for millions in the world without access to clean water.

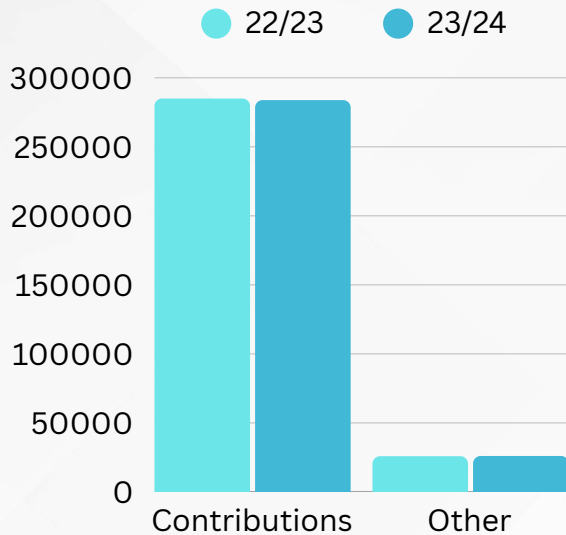
Thanks to your support, in 2023/24, 20 Liters has helped make the danger of waterborne disease a thing of the past for another 29,175 people! Below is the breakdown by filter technology. *Note: "direct" beneficiaries have a filter in their home; "indirect" beneficiaries are neighbors who share the use of that filter for clean, safe water.*

SAM3 HOUSEHOLD FILTER	SAM2 COMMUNITY FILTER	RAIN WATER HARVEST SYSTEM	SLOW SAND FILTER
973 installed	3 installed	15 installed	494 installed
4,251 direct beneficiaries 8,502 indirect beneficiaries	3,000 clean water beneficiaries	7,500 clean water beneficiaries	1,974 direct beneficiaries 3,948 indirect beneficiaries
<b>29,175 new recipients of clean water!</b>			

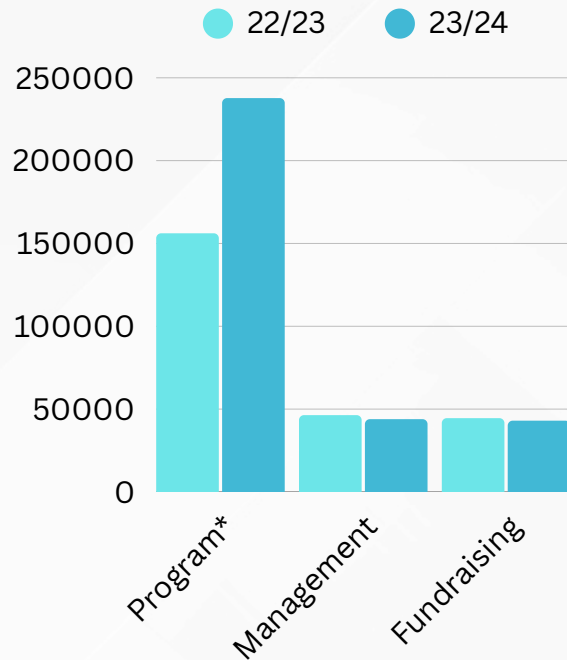


# KEY FINANCIAL DATA HIGHLIGHT CHART

## FY REVENUE



## FY EXPENSES



### “\$10 gets 1 person clean water for 10+ years.”

It couldn't be simpler. And that is the 20 Liters way - simple, effective, and long lasting. At a festival last year, a man from an African country came up, saw this statistic, and said, "There's no way that can be true. Every country would be knocking on your door!" I assured him it was and handed him my card. The calls are sure to start pouring in.

In all seriousness, we want you to note above that over 90% of our revenue comes from contributions from people just like you. Your resources are being turned into clean water for thousands of people every year. We take every dollar and try to use it as efficiently as possible. Please reach out if you have questions or need clarification about our fiscal management.

\*Note: "Program" expenses in FY23/24 are higher than the previous year because a shipping container was sent during this period, but not during the prior year.



# WHAT A PIG PEN!



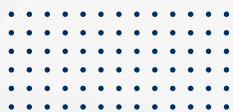
Florence, age 69, is a widow whose siblings have all died. She knew the importance of boiling her water because so many of her neighbors and children in the village were sick from bacteria. But costs were mounting. She hosted an Early Childhood Development program (in partnership with World Relief) in her home, and always wanted clean water for the kids. Because of this, she was selected to receive a SAM3 household filter when **20 Liters** came to her area. Florence praises God for the filter, and when not in use it resides under a shawl inscribed with the words, *“Jesus is our peace.”*

The filter not only cleans water though. It saves Florence from having to buy fuel to boil dirty water. Her eyes light up when she shares that she’s been able to join a savings club which eventually enabled her to take out a micro loan.

“Do you want to see my new project?” she asks.

Then she takes us around back to her pig pen where she has 3 pigs – 2 female and 1 male – funded by her loan. The female pigs are pregnant, and the piglets will eventually be sold to repay the loan. The next litter? “They are for the community,” she says.

The blessings of clean water ripple and multiply.





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