# Support for Our Friends in Murang'a County, Kenya

## Introduction

Many families and farmers in Murang'a County face challenges in accessing essential resources for food security and sustainable agriculture. This plan aims to provide much-needed support by supplying fertilizer, food assistance, and maize seedlings to improve their livelihoods and enhance agricultural productivity.

#### Below is the detailed plan:

#### 1. Fertilizer Support for Maize Farmers

- Beneficiaries: 20 farmers
- Fertilizer Allocation: 10 kg per farmer
- Total Fertilizer Needed: 200 kg
- Cost per 50-kg Bag: KES 6,000 (≈ \$46.44)
- Total Number of Bags: 4
- Total Cost: KES 24,000 (≈ \$185.76)

#### 2. Food Assistance for Families

- Beneficiaries: 20 families
- Family Sizes: Some families have 8 members, while others have 4 members.
- Food Duration: For families of 8, the food can last about 2 weeks, while for families of 4, it can last up to 3 weeks.
- Assistance per Family: KES 3,500 (≈ \$27.07)
- Total Cost: KES 70,000 (≈ \$541.80)

## 3. Maize "Corns" Seedlings Support

• Beneficiaries: 5 families who have not planted yet

• Total Packets Needed: 5

• Cost per Packet: KES 1,150 (≈ \$8.89)

• Total Cost: KES 5,750 (≈ \$44.45)

### **Budget Summary**

Activity	Cost (KES)	Cost (USD)
Fertilizer Provision	24,000	185.76
Food Assistance	70,000	541.80
Maize Seedlings	5,750	44.45
Total	99,750	772.01

This initiative will make a meaningful impact on the community by ensuring access to food and improved agricultural productivity.