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# ANNUAL REPORT

FY 2017

Serving Women and Children in East Africa improving the  
quality of life

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# GENERAL SUMMARY OF 2017

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In 2017, Hope For a Better Future took a new direction in Marangu, Tanzania. After 8 months of no admissions from the community into The Women's Shelter, we decided the community would be better served if we went into the community. By a chance and wonderful encounter with Stella K, a local woman who is a strong community advocate for Women and Children. The new direction took root in the form of Women Economic Empowerment. Multiple small businesses were started with the hope for a better future and the improvement of the quality of life started with the help of donations received from USA and Sweden.



Work in Modjo, Ethiopia expanded to help 9 Women to start a small business to support themselves and their children (Women Economic Empowerment), 10 children were helped with school fees and supplies so they could attend school and a small fund set up to help with the most needed Medical Cases.



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Work in Kenya continued with a small contribution to address the needs of the neediest working through “The Community Outreach Center” in Emurembe, Kenya. Widows, orphans and children with school uniforms, fees and pencils



## BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS

A total of 13 small businesses were started in Marangu from March-August. Businesses included small groups of women ranging from 2-5 and funds were made available to start: livestock businesses, (chicken, pigs and goats), sewing, cooking, gardening, and a hair salon business. In Modjo, businesses were started by single women and included: a laundry serve, making and selling Injera, buying and selling vegetables, , coffee selling, and laying chickens for sell of eggs.

## OPERATING HIGHLIGHTS

Start up and monthly support feed and veterinary care for the livestock for 1 year benefited and aided the success of these businesses. Startup material and supplies were given with 3-6m rent for the small businesses requiring store area to conduct their trade.

Diana Juelg  
Chief Executive Officer  
December 31, 2017

Nellie Lindeborg  
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## Financial Summary

In 2017, Hope For A Better Future mainly depended on individual donations and a charity event, “Kilimanjaro Challenge.” Eight people (7 from Sweden and 1 from USA) climbed Kilimanjaro for the awareness and fund raising for the projects in Marangu, Tanzania. A total of \$2400 was received.



Also, a direct mailing and Facebook request for donations on “Giving Tuesday” during the Holiday Season received funds and a Holiday Bazar in Sweden also generated funds.

| Total budget for 2017                             | Income          | Expenses        |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| Brought over from 2016                            | \$488           |                 |
| Annual NGO cost in Tanzania – (rent and salaries) |                 | \$5271          |
| Women Economic Empowerment Projects               |                 | \$13,810        |
| Travel expenses                                   |                 | \$5319          |
| Administration costs                              |                 | \$1032          |
| Donations (private and charity climb)             | \$14,072        |                 |
| With a deficient - self funded                    | \$10,872        |                 |
| <b>Total</b>                                      | <b>\$25,432</b> | <b>\$25,432</b> |

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## Company & Contact Information

USA: Hope For a Better Future – US nonprofit, 501 (c)(3) Federal Tax ID #47-4159389

SWEDEN: Hope For a Better Future, non-profit – Organizational number: 802516-5500

TANZANIA: Women’s Better Future and Development Organization, Registered NGO in Tanzania, Certificate No.00NGO108315

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