



HOPE HAVEN FOR KENYA (HHFK) MASOL started with an outreach program with an overall plan to build a model development community to assist all orphaned and vulnerable children (OVC), youths, seniors, widows, disabled, and disadvantaged people in the Masol Location of West Pokot. This region continues to require immediate humanitarian assistance. Therefore, the goals of HHFK MASOL are to provide all forms of services and assistance required, including and not limited to health care, food, water, poverty, education, spiritual guidance, energy solutions, environmental and wildlife conservation, youth and women's groups, agriculture, empowerment, alternative livelihoods, and community development.

Masol Location currently receives very little outside assistance and is constantly plagued by problems resulting from drought, famine, poverty, cattle rustling, HIV/Aids, lack of teachers and schools and more. HHFK MASOL currently plans to put projects in place, to not only assist but to eradicate these problems for the people of this entire region. HHFK MASOL has the full support of the Chiefs, Elders, Councilors and the members of the entire communities of both East Masol and West Masol.

The land in Masol Location is owned by the community and the leaders and community members of both East Masol and West Masol donated 5,000 (five thousand) acres of land in the center of Masol to HHFK MASOL for the development community. There is currently a school started on the land and an empowerment program employing the widows, single mothers, women, and youths, manufacturing bricks and concrete blocks, and planting trees and crops.

HHFK MASOL has identified water as a major focus of the project. Bringing in a regular supply of water will benefit the region in many ways and allow the community to build, grow, and prosper. Additionally we are focusing on both solar and wind as energy solutions for an entire region devoid of any power source. Priority attention to water and energy solutions will greatly benefit most of the problems in the region including other major concerns such as food, health care, poverty, and education.

HHFK MASOL is a certified by the Kenya NGO Council and is operated almost exclusively by a diverse group of Kenyans including direct involvement and decision making from the Masol community. HOHK is a registered as a foundation with the Province of British Columbia, Canada, under Societies Act Number S0073788.

The vision for HHFK came to Bill Cunningham while volunteering at an orphanage in Nairobi in early 2009. HHFK is a “Children and Youth Development Community” with an overall mission of providing assistance and services for the entire outlying community.

HHFK MASOL will have a church in the center of the community, along with the best primary and secondary school, hospital and health facilities, library, gymnasium, computer building, trade and technical center, and community center. To best replicate a true family setting the children will live in homes of 8 children with house parents. HHFK MASOL will have a farm to help feed the community with cattle, goats, chickens, rabbits, fish, bees for honey, as well re-introducing a variety of vegetables and fruits to the area. The community will be operated as much as possible by solar and wind energy and be environmentally friendly.

The HHFK MASOL outreach program is “Child Focused” and “Family Centered” in order to benefit the entire family. By providing the family unit with better health care, food, water, education, self-empowerment programs, and more, the goal is to keep the family together if at all possible. HHFK MASOL conducted a census of all of the children and people in the area in order to be inclusive of everyone in the region.

Also, so that the children and future generations do not lose their culture, history, and traditions, the community will host a Pokot museum, cultural and historical center, and a wildlife conservancy. These projects will also attract tourism to the area and provide tourist dollars to help fund the community. Additional projects to assist in funding the community, and empowering the people, will be honey from a bee farm, aloe vera products, fruits, vegetables, and sale of livestock. Upon completion it is estimated that HHFK MASOL will provide employment for approximately 600 Kenyans while empowering many others.

Vision - HHFK Masol will be a children and youth development community for OVC (Orphaned vulnerable and disadvantaged children) while providing services for the entire community.

Mission is to glorify God by bringing hope and success to poor and at risk children and people of Kenya.

Assistance Required

The HHFK Foundation requires donations and grants to strengthen the capacity of our organization by funding our ongoing and developing programs; as well as the planning, implementation, and start-up costs for the community project. HHFK MASOL is a humanitarian project to provide for the entire Masol Location and requires financial and volunteer assistance to implement the many programs. HHFK MASOL has the full support of the leaders, elders, Chiefs, Councilors, the community, and local organizations. We are currently seeking your assistance through funding, donations, and your time to help us further support Masol Location, West Pokot County, The Republic of Kenya.