



Hand Washing Stand Appeal

Whist our Water, Sanitation & Hygiene (WASH) Programme has already provided access to clean water for over 5,700 people and improved hand washing facilities for 4,200 school children across Babati District, with the arrival of COVID-19 we are being asked by the community leaders to refocus and re-prioritise our WASH efforts to provide hand washing stands for public use in communities across Babati.

We all know that washing our hands regularly is one of the simplest and most effective ways for people to protect themselves from the virus, but the reality in Babati is that these facilities do not currently exist and so are urgently needed.

We would love to be able to put 200+ hand washing stands across the different communities. Each stand with hands-free controls will cost £100, which includes construction, installation and a starter pack of locally made soap bought from our women's enterprise groups.

We know this is a difficult and worrying time for everybody, and as a small charity rooted deep in the communities of Babati, we worry not only for our family, friends and neighbours, but also for those we have worked with over the past 13 years whose lives are similarly being threatened by the virus. We want to ensure their well being as much as everyone here in the UK.

Should you be willing and able to support our efforts to put hand washing stations across Babati, we, and the people of Babati, would be hugely grateful.

You can support us by either donating through our website appeal page below or you can send us a cheque made out to 'Livingstone Tanzania Trust' to Julian Page, 13 Lucien Road, Tooting, London, SW17 8HS.

<https://www.livingstonetanzaniatrust.com/covid19-appeal>

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