



Friends at Numatic,
**WE HAVE AN UPDATE ON
YOUR WATER PROJECT
SPONSORSHIP!**

You received your
first Progress Report!

You are here!

You receive your
Completion Report!

**IMPLEMENTATION
CYCLE BEGINS**

100% of your donation will be sent to our local partners in either January or July — when our implementation cycle begins.

6 MONTHS

Our partners complete extensive research and prep work. They acquire permits and supplies, partner with local communities, train local caretakers, and begin water point construction.

6-12 MONTHS

Our partners continue construction work, collect midterm reports, and send us progress updates.

12 MONTHS

Our partners finish the construction and train local communities to use and maintain their water points.

12-15 MONTHS

Our partners collect photos and GPS coordinates of the completed projects and send us information about the specific communities served.

21+ MONTHS

We verify final data from our partners and prepare Completion Reports. In other words, it's time to celebrate!

Uganda

Teso and Karamoja Regions



Implementing Partner:
Welthungerhilfe (WHH) Uganda

Status:
In Progress

Estimated Completion Report:
Spring 2025

In the first half of 2023, you generously funded 2 wells with hand pumps in Uganda. Your gift — along with donations from our global community of supporters — has since been put to work as part of a larger grant reaching people in eastern Uganda. Below is a report on the progress so far.



PROGRESS TO DATE

Our local partner WHH Uganda is hard at work. So far, they have:

- ✓ Drilled 42 of 57 planned wells with hand pumps across 39 communities and three schools.
- ✓ Conducted detailed technical assessments for 123 water points eligible for rehabilitation. Assessments were conducted with support from district hand pump mechanic associations.
- ✓ Selected three locations for new piped water systems.

FIELD CONDITIONS

A hydrogeological dryland belt (desert or grasslands with limited soil moisture, low rainfall, and higher-than-average poverty rates) runs through the center of Uganda. Within this belt, low groundwater poses significant challenges for drillers in finding boreholes that can sufficiently meet the water needs of entire communities. It's common for multiple drilling attempts to be made in a single community or for project sites to be relocated when the rehabilitation of existing sources is deemed unviable. Fortunately, WHH Uganda's skilled team has the expertise to navigate these obstacles and adapt approaches accordingly.



PARTNER PHOTOS

We recently received progress photos from WHH Uganda. We're excited to share them with you!



Students attend a Child Hygiene and Sanitation Training.



WHH Uganda staff inspects a newly constructed drying rack that will benefit the household's sanitation and hygiene.



Members of the Water User Committee read the meter on a newly constructed tap stand.



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Community members contribute funds and labor for water point and latrine construction and participate in decision-making processes.

To ensure the sustainable management of each project, WHH Uganda establishes a Water User Committee composed of elected members from the community. These committee members receive training in forming a Village Saving and Loan Association, enhancing their financial management and record-keeping skills. This training encourages community members to save with a specific purpose and invest in maintaining their water points.



In addition, WHH Uganda establishes community health clubs and school-based water, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH) clubs. These clubs raise awareness and promote the adoption of safe practices. After training, club members are equipped to advocate for properly maintaining water points and preventing waterborne diseases.

