

HOUSING FOR ALL

An initiative to address the housing crisis in southern Africa











THE PROBLEM: GROWING SLUMS IN SOUTHERN AFRICA



Rural to urban migration — Leading to rapid urbanization

Cause for rapid growth of Towns grow without planning slums and informal settlements

- According to UN-Habitat, more than 87 million people live in slums and informal settlements in southern Africa.
- People live in inadequate housing, and limited access to potable water, sewage and electricity.
- · Slums are poverty traps and hinder social and economic development.



OUR RESPONSE: HOUSING FOR ALL

WHAT WE DO:

- We plan and develop affordable residential plots at a large scale.
- We sell it to urban residents that otherwise end up in slums or already live in them.

HOW WE DO IT:

- Through partnership agreements with towns that provide land for our projects.
- Implemented in **Namibia** since 2018, expanding to **Zambia**.
- Using a social enterprise approach: cost recovery, but no profit.
- Financially supported in Namibia by the German Development Bank (KfW) and other donors.
- Complementary programs on sanitation and early childhood development, funded, amongst others, by UNICEF and the EU.







OUR IMPACT

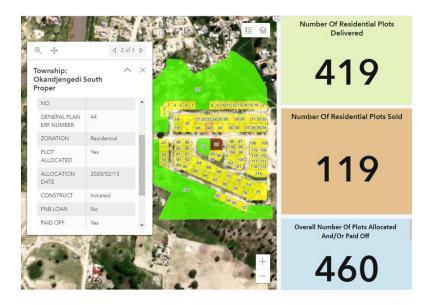


- 16 residential areas with more than 3,500 plots under development (November 2022)
- More than 1,500 residential plots sold
- 60% of clients are women
- Projects in 15 towns, expanding accross Namibia

Impact Management Framework

Interactive and online map - showing our impact.

https://dw-namibia.org/datahub.php

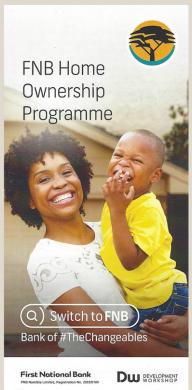




WE SUPPORT OUR CLIENTS TO BUILD THEIR HOMES BY PROVIDING:

- Building workshops including the provision of a construction manual.
- Home micro-financing options in partnership the First National Bank – FNB (Namibia's biggest commercial bank).







Ms Immanuel – proud owner of her new house under construction in Oshakati, built on a plot she purchased through Housing For All.

66 I will stay with my youngest kid and grandchildern, as my other kids stay on their own. My family will also com stay with me as they wish. ??



WE USE A SOCIAL ENTERPRISE APPROACH

FOR SUSTAINABILITY AND GROWTH

- Growth and scale are important to increase impact.
- We generate our own income by charging a small fee on the sale of each plot.
- Our own income is a contribution to grant funding and increases our financial independence.
- We have highest standards of governance and accountability, and our accounts are audited annually.
- We implement efficient and timely financial management and reporting.

OUR CONTRIBUTION TO THE UN SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGs)





Housing For All contributes directly to SDG 11:

Make Cities and Human Settlements Inclusive, Safe, Resilient and Sustainable

Target 11.1:

By 2030, ensure access for all to adequate, safe and affordable housing and basic services and upgrade slums

Indicator 11.1.1:

Proportion of urban population living in slums, informal settlements or inadequate housing



OUR ORGANIZATION

Housing For All is implemented by:

Development Workshop Namibia, Zambia and Switzerland

- Namibia: the biggest operation with 25 employees, HQ in Windhoek, 7 field offices, projects in more than 15 towns
- Zambia: newly registered (March 2022), in project development phase
- · Switzerland: fundraising and networking



Team in Namibia



DW field office in Karibib, central Namibia.

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