Annual report 2013

MUSOL





OUR WORK IN Bolivia

In 2013, MUSOL consolidated its two main areas of action in the region of Cochabamba: improved access to water in Cochabamba tropical zone, particularly in Villa Tunari, and increased agricultural production in la Cordillera Tunari in Tiquipaya.

In Villa Tunari, we worked to construct new systems of clean drinking water in the communities of Senda Nueva, Villa San José, Nueva América, 3 y 5 Esquinas, Nueva Aroma and San Rafael. Management capacity for the water systems was strengthened for the municipality of Villa Tunari and surrounding communities. All of this was possible due to the financing of the Castilla y León Board, Provincial Council of Valencia and Valladolid, benefiting more than 5,000 people who have access to drinking water in our projects.

In Cordillera del Tunari, we worked with the municipality of Tiquipaya to improve access to irrigation in poor communities. Farmers will be trained in agricultural techniques and agricultural unions will be strengthened to ensure proper management of irrigation systems. 2,184 farmers will improve their income thanks to the projects of MU-SOL, financed by the La Caixa foundation, the board of Castilla y León and the board of Extremadura.

Our partner in Bolivia is CEDESCO, without whom these projects wouldn't be possible. In addition, the mayors of Tiquipaya and Villa Tunari have an essential role in these operations.















OUR WORK IN Guatemala

In 2013 we have expanded operations for increasing access to clean drinking water in the poorest and most vulnerable communities in the regions of Quetzaltenango and San Marcos. In the same areas, the improvement of management and administration has been reinforced, with new operations in the metropolis of Los Altos.

MUSOL's first supporting operation in the regions of Quetzaltenango and San Marcos has allowed us to work in the following communities: La Cruz Xetalbiljoj (Cajolá, Quetzaltenango), Caserío Tierra Blanca (Esquipulas Palo Gordo, San Marcos), Caserío Vista Hermosa, Sector Tuiquinique and Aldea San Isidro Ixcochil (San Antonio Sacatepéquez, San Marcos). The projects allowed 3129 people to access clean drinking water in their homes and were financed by various donors: the city of Tarragona, the government of the Balearic Islands, the council of Valladolid and the Bancaja Foundation that trust in our organization every year.

The second operation, centered around improving the administrative abilities of the Guatemalan communities and the environmental services of the metropolis of Los Altos. Manuals and techniques were provided to aid the local governments in being more transparent and financially efficient. This was possible due to funding from the European Union.

The work in Guatemala was done in conjunction with various local organizations: Munik'at, SER, la Fundación DEMUCA, Asociación Nacional de Municipalidades de Guatemala (ANAM), Asociación Guatemalteca de Alcaldes y Autoridades Indígenas (AGAAI), la Mancomunidad Metrópoli de Los Altos.

OUR WORK IN Senegal

In 2013 we began to work in Casamance, assisting the communities of Ziguinchor and Bignona. In the north, we began a program to improve agricultural production in Podor and continued supporting the essential development of Yenne and Sangalkam (Dakar) through projects dealing with water, sanitation, agricultural products and gender equality in politics.

In Ziguinchor and Bignona, we have begun supporting a system of citizen participation through the basis of neighborhood councils, supporting the citizens and local organizations to help bring the administration closer to the needs of the citizens. This was possible due to the financing of the government of the Balearic islands. The project directly benefitted 1029 men and 511 women (council members of the local collective, the elected and the citizens).

In Podor (S. Louis), in 2013, we obtained the necessary funding from La Caixa foundation and the autonomous government of Valencia to begin improving the production of rice in Guèdè village and Guèdè Chantier to diversify agricultural production, with the objective of reducing the serious cases of malnourishment in the region, benefitting 4800 poor families.

In the region of Dakar, we have continued the support program for integral development, financed by the autonomous government of Valencia and the city council of Valladolid. 6468 people will have access to water, 30 families to latrines and more than 500 will produce dried fish, as well as produce and sell cereals to improve their income in Yenne and Sangalkam. These women also have the capacity to participate in local political and social organizations. We have carried out these operations in Senegal in joint effort with the local organizations ENDA 3D and PACTE.







OUR WORK IN España AND OUR technical support

In 2013, we worked to increase awareness and to educate on the topic of development education.

Thanks to funding from the Spanish agency of international cooperation for development, more than 1000 people have participated in photo expos and courses about climate change and development. More than 90 public employees in the online course about cooperation for development in collaboration in with the Institute for Cooperation and Human Development (ICDH) of Camilo José Cela University of Madrid. Finally, we have begun the development of necessary

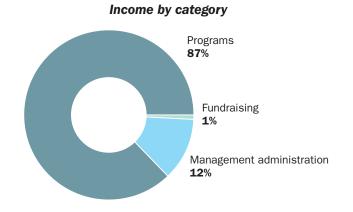


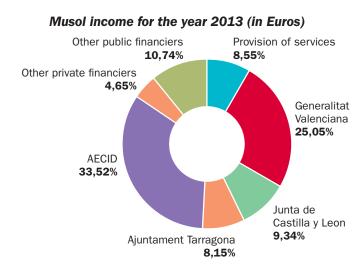
materials to introduce development education to adults in Spanish regions, made possible through the funding of the Junta of Extremadura and the autonomous government of Valencia.

TRANSPARENT Accounts

In 2013 our accounts have been audited by independent auditors, in particular by the auditing company AOB. MUSOL's financial accounts in 2013 reflect the organization's effort to maintain high standards in administration. It is important to note that since 2012 funding has stabilized thanks to new sources such as La Caixa foundation and the European Union and the success of technical assistance.

On our website you can see the full audit report as well as our balance sheet and income statement.









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