

Food Parcels: Because no one to should have to go hungry

The rate of poverty in Indonesia has been steadily decreasing. However, 43.5 percent of the population still lives on less than \$2 per day. Solemen is providing food parcels to families in need.

Humanitarian Project



Project Overview & Details

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Name of project:	Food Parcels				
Type of project:	Humanitarian				
Location of proposed project: (name of region or village)	All regions		Province:	Bali, Indonesia	
Project status:	New Project Existing X				
Name of project supervisors:		Ayu Wirmayanti			
		Yupi Astika			
Estimated Cost		IDR 16 Million/6 mos or IDR 32 Million/month			
			(AUD 19,200/6 mos or AUD 3,200/month)		

Project Description

Key Objectives

- 1. To identify individuals suffering from malnutrition
- 2. To address physical side-affects and illness resulting from malnutrition
- 3. To provide ongoing food supply and support

Plan to do/Completed Task

Indonesia is a resource-rich country with a booming economy, and Bali is a world-renowned tourist destination. However, Bali's poorest individuals are not benefitting from these developments. Solemen is helping families with limited financial resources to obtain food.

Tasks completed:

Currently providing forty (40) food parcels a month

A food parcel includes:

- Rice
- Noodles
- Cooking Oil
- Salt & Sugar
- Tea & Coffee
- Chicken
- Eggs
- Tempe & Tofu

Plans:

We will secure enough funding to cover up to six months (Approx IDR 192 million or AUD 19,200)

We will then seek singular ongoing yearly or monthly sponsorship from rotary clubs, individuals, local businesses, and more. (example: 1 rotary club/individual/company can sponsor one (1) family for one (1) year at IDR 800K/month (AUD 80/month).

Does your project include building and construction?		
		No X
Does your project involve the supply of water in any	Yes	No X
capacity?		

What will the community contribute to the project? What has it already contributed?

No community members or organizations have contributed at this time. In 2017, Solemen received a grant through AVI (Australian Volunteer International) to develop a program to educate Balinese communities on the importance of good nutrition, hygiene, prenatal care, and basic first aid. This program included publishing illustrated informational booklets and conducting community workshops throughout Bali.

About Solemen

Yayasan Solemen Indonesia supports nearly 2,000 men, women, and children throughout the province of Bali. We call them Solebuddies.

Our Solebuddies are subject to a multitude of disadvantages including, but not limited to, mental and physical disabilities, medical issues, hunger, and poverty. Solemen provides education and employment assistance, medical care, transportation to and from

appointments on and off the island, wheelchairs, psychological evaluations and ongoing care for Solebuddies affected by mental disabilities, assistance for major medical procedures, food packages, and more. Assistance is tailored to every case referred to us.

Who and how many people will be the direct beneficiaries of this project?

Solemen currently provides at least 40 food packages to families in need throughout Bali making the total amount of direct beneficiaries 160 to 170 depending upon the family size.

Are there ways in which other people in the area will benefit indirectly from the project?

We hope that neighbours, friends, and family members will join in the education process and see our clients as valuable assets to the communities they reside in.

Who will be responsible for looking after the project once it is completed? Names and their positions

Ayu Wirmayanti – Solemen Outreach Coordinator

Yupi Astika – Deputy Outreach Team Leader

Will the project become self-supporting? If so, how will the project be sustained on an ongoing basis?

Our goal is to support our Solebuddies in all aspects including education and job search and placement. Our success stories include a number of our clients, especially those who suffer from mental illness, experiencing a new found freedom and working outside the home. This extra income allows them to experience independence and partially support themselves, reducing the need for food parcel support. We then carry on with other clients.

There will always be a need for food parcels. Malnutrition is widespread throughout Bali. However, at many of our Solebuddies have the opportunity to move out of our support scheme.

What is the estimated length of time to complete the project?

Total project time – Ongoing

Detail the estimated project costs.

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One food parce costs IDR 800,000

Whole Chicken (x2)– 100K	Tempe/Tofu – 40K	Crate of eggs (x2)- 80K
Coffee/Tea – 80K	Sugar – 36K	Cooking Oil – 50K
Rice – 50K	Noodles – 150K	Fresh Veg – 165K

*Approximate amount based upon the average of costs incurred over the last six months. Solemen will provide current reports of actual costs.

Has the water source been tested and verified as not being contaminated?

N/A

Will the project affect any down-stream users or impact on the down-stream environment?

N/A

Project criteria/elements	
The project has a clear and measurable outcome	Yes X No
The project will be finished in less than 12 months	Yes No X
Community is also contributing to the project	Yes No X
The project will benefit members of the local community	Yes X No
A complete budget for the project is attached	Yes X No
A map of the project is attached (if applicable)	Yes No X
For projects which involve building or construction: a building diagram or plan is attached	Yes¦ No X