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Dear Friend of Mano a Mano,

In 2018, we supported Mano a Mano's network of over 600 infrastructure projects, and continue to complete new projects that improve the lives of Bolivian communities. Together, we have:

- **Shipped more than 3.5 million pounds of medical supplies & equipment** from Minnesota to Bolivia (363,269 pounds in 2017 & 2018 alone).
- Built **165 clinics** (including new clinics in Jatun Mayu, Candelaria, and Villa Rosario in 2018) and **62 schools**, improving infant & maternal survival rates and expanding literacy.
- Built or improved more than **870 miles of roads**.
- Constructed or improved 320 farm ponds; 52 surface wells in communities near rivers; 5 deep wells; and 9 large water reservoirs, **providing water to more than 50,000**.
- Provided **emergency flights to 3,000 Bolivians**.
- Provided agricultural training & technologies to more than 5,000 rural farmers. In 2018 we began constructing large community greenhouses, and we have **completed over 210 greenhouses** for farm families.



Mano a Mano's mission is to create partnerships with impoverished Bolivian communities that improve health and increase economic well-being. **These partnerships start with you.** Without your help, we are unable to work with the communities that approach us asking to partner with us. While we were able to help many communities in 2018, there are many more - still waiting.

With your support, Mano a Mano can help Bolivian farm families improve their access to food & water with greenhouse and water projects. You can provide communities with access to quality education & health with the construction of school and clinic projects. You can save supplies from Minnesota landfills and get them to people and organizations in need throughout Bolivia. You can provide flights for people in isolated communities to receive care during emergencies.



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Creating Partnerships for Health and Economic Well-Being

Every dollar makes a big difference:

- **\$8** - Purchase seeds & training materials for 1 family to learn how to improve their farming.
- **\$35** - Give a wheelchair to a disabled person who could otherwise not obtain one.
- **\$100** - Purchase 1 hr. of fuel for an emergency flight (average flight time is 2 hrs. round-trip).
- **\$300** - Provide continuing professional education for 4 Mano a Mano clinic staff for 1 year. Mano a Mano clinic staff have nearly 1 million patient visits annually.
- **\$2,500** - Buy & install the pump for a deep well that provides water access for 1,800 people.



More than 1 million people currently benefit from Mano a Mano projects. Please join us to partner with new communities in 2019 and continue to expand our reach. **Thank you for your support!**

Regards,

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P. S. Give with confidence: Mano a Mano has a 4-Star (out of 4) Rating with Charity Navigator

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