

5. Borehole Repairs at Liri Central Village, Uganda

- Local partner: Feed A Life Rural Initiative (FALRI) (#94)
FALRI is a transformative non-profit organization dedicated to uplifting the lives of women and girls in conflict-affected northern Uganda. Championing causes such as girls' education, environmental sustainability, clean water provision, and women's empowerment, FALRI's impactful projects address critical needs in the region.
- Project budget: \$2,950 (JWF Fund: \$1,500, implementing organization: \$500, beneficiaries: \$200, other donors : \$750)
- Number of beneficiaries: 900 (200 men, 500 women, 200 children)
- Background:
In the rural village of Ayuu Alali, residents rely on potentially contaminated sources, such as streams, necessitating extensive boiling for purification. This practice not only strains the already dwindling forests but also results in increased carbon monoxide emissions, placing a significant burden on women and children who spend hours collecting firewood and water. Uncertain water safety leads to waterborne diseases. The scarcity of water drives communities to share limited water sources with animals, heightening the risk of disease and mortality. The application had a list attached of 97 names, requesting the repair of boreholes.



Man carrying water from unclean source



This seasonal swamp floods after heavy rain and community shares the water with animals



A broken borehole that needs repairs

- Details of the project:
 - Repairing 2 broken boreholes with hand pumps
 - Establishing a community-led management committee, to be called the Water Source Committee
 - Training local community members in water management to build capacity
 - Developing income-generating activities to generate revenues for covering maintenance costs