Dear Partners,

I want to start this annual report off by saying thank you. Thank you to those who have partnered with us this year. We see you, we love you, and we want to honor you. 2013 was the first complete year of operation for Arc Solutions. Since the founding of Arc Solutions we ALL have much to be proud of and we are writing this annual report for just that purpose... to celebrate. In all the good we are doing together we must pause and take it in, we must marvel at the goodness of God, we must soak in the beauty of transformation, and we must revel at what God is bringing everyday with our work to Somalia... hope, life, and joy. God is good and when we trust him and take a risk, the impossible becomes a reality. What we have built together is a testament of that reality.

When Benjamin Church and I founded Arc Solutions in May of 2012 we did so with confidence despite being told how “impossible” Somalia is. Our confidence came from two things: God and You. We knew the God of the impossible and we knew your heart. We just knew too many people whose heart is set on seeing the world transformed to be “on earth as it is in heaven”. And, our assumption was correct. You have confirmed and surprised us over and over again with your love and generosity. And so from the bottom of my heart I want to say... THANK YOU. I am incredibly grateful for your heart and your response.

2014 will be a year filled with growth both deep and wide. Our implemented projects continue to increase in impact on their communities and as our expansion continues in both Somalia and abroad more people with be enveloped by the impact of our work. But before we do that let’s remember, enjoy, and celebrate the incredible year 2013 was.

All is grace,

Christian Taylor, CEO

Financials

- **$203,547** Total Expenses
  - **13%** Fundraising
  - **22%** Management
  - **65%** Projects

* Complete financials and non-profit accountability profiles can be accessed in the website footer.
PROJECT Hoyiga Xamar

In February of 2013, we successfully implemented our first project at Hoyiga Xamar School in Mogadishu, Somalia. With only 29% of Somalis having access to clean water, we reduced those numbers by providing 1,200 children with clean water and WaSH (Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene) Training. We continue to get regular updates on this project so we can ensure maximum impact.

1325 PEOPLE WITH ACCESS TO CLEAN WATER.

PROJECT Rage Ugas

Rage Ugas School in Mogadishu is our largest project yet serving 2,700 children and 60 staff, implemented in May 2013. There are multiple factors that we critically take into account when we consider a project partner. We choose Rage Ugas because of their great leadership and the opportunity to bring clean water access to so many children.

2760 PEOPLE WITH ACCESS TO CLEAN WATER.

PROJECT Waberi

Project Waberi was our first project fully implemented by our Somali team in Mogadishu. In September, our Somali Project Coordinator led the purification system implementation and WaSH Training. Now children at Waberi School are drinking clean water and have tools to protect themselves from the spread of waterborne disease.

1250 PEOPLE WITH ACCESS TO CLEAN WATER.

“I wish I could hug all those kids, but seeing them have water that’s clean is like a hug to me.”

Amy Vera, supporter

“I am very aware of just how dangerous the conditions continue to be in Somalia, particularly in Mogadishu...there are very few organizations willing to take such a risk to love people.”

Laura Schwarz, partner

“We are so happy to have clean water.”

Somali Children at Waberi School
VISION
Waterborne disease eliminated in conflict zones.

MISSION
To create sustainable clean water access and increase awareness of water, sanitation, and hygiene issues in conflict zones.

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