

HANGA BOREWELL PROJECT AT KIBITI DISTRICT, PWANI REGION (003)



CATEGORY: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

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LALJI FOUNDATION

Committed to Community Development,

Community development – Borewell project report (003)

Hanga village, Kibiti District- Pwani region,

Date: 1 February, 2026

Venue: Hanga village - Pwani region

1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The **Lalji Foundation** is a Tanzania-based philanthropic organization committed to improving the lives of vulnerable and underserved communities through sustainable, high-impact interventions. Guided by a strong belief in social responsibility and inclusive development, the Foundation works to address critical needs in education, healthcare, water access, and economic empowerment.

Hanga Village is located in Mahege Ward, Kibiti District, within the Pwani (Coast) Region of Tanzania. The area forms part of the historic coastal belt that has long been influenced by Swahili culture, trade, agriculture, and river-based livelihoods. The history of Hanga Village is closely linked to the broader history of the Rufiji–Kibiti coastal zone, an area traditionally inhabited by coastal ethnic groups such as the Ndengereko and Matumbi communities.

The Lalji Foundation, in collaboration with the **Dhalla family of Kigoma**, partnered to implement a borewell project in Kibiti District, Pwani Region, Tanzania. This joint initiative was undertaken to address the persistent challenge of access to clean and safe water faced by rural communities in the district.

Mr Imtiaz Lalji, Chairman of the Lalji Foundation, spoke at the handover ceremony for the borewell project in Kibiti District. In his remarks, he emphasized the importance of access to clean and safe water as a basic human necessity and a foundation for community development. He noted that the project reflects the Foundation’s continued commitment to improving the quality of life in rural communities

He also expressed appreciation to the Dhalla family for their collaboration and generosity, stating that such partnerships strengthen the impact of charitable initiatives and bring lasting change to underserved communities.

Mr Salimu Malogwa, speaking on behalf of the District Councillor of Kibiti, addressed the gathering during the handover of the borewell project in Hanga Village ‘He commended the Lalji Foundation and the Dhalla family for their generous contribution and foresight in supporting access to clean water, a vital resource for community health and development’

He noted that this borewell would have a transformative impact on the daily lives of residents, particularly women and children, by reducing the time and effort required to fetch water.

Mr. Malogwa emphasized the importance of community ownership of the facility. He encouraged local leaders and residents to ensure proper maintenance and sustainable use of the borewell so that it continues to serve the community for years to come.

He concluded by expressing gratitude on behalf of the District Council and pledged continued support for collaborative projects that improve the living standards and well-being of people in Kibiti District.

Mr Salumu Ndame, Chairman of Hanga village, expressed deep gratitude to the Lalji Foundation and the Dhalla family for their generosity and commitment to improving access to clean water in the community. He highlighted the significant positive impact the project would have on the lives of residents, particularly women and children, who previously travelled long distances to fetch water.

2. PROJECT OBJECTIVES

- To provide access to clean and safe drinking water ensure that residents of the village have a reliable and sustainable source of potable water.
- To improve community health and sanitation, reduce the incidence of water-borne diseases caused by unsafe water sources.
- To reduce the burden on women and children minimize long walking distances and time spent fetching water, allowing more time for education and economic activities.
- To promote sustainable water management, encourage community ownership, proper maintenance, and long-term care of the borewell facility.
- To enhance socio-economic development, support agriculture, small businesses, and household productivity through improved water availability.
- To strengthen community partnerships and foster collaboration between donors, local leadership, and residents for sustainable development.

3. EVENT OVERVIEW

Parameter	Details
Location:	Hanga village, Kibiti District – Coast region
Preparation Date:	December 2025
Handover Date:	1 st February 2026
Target Group:	Community – rural areas
Organized by LALJI FOUNDATION and Hanga village council	

4. PARTNERS AND STAKEHOLDERS

S/N	Partner/ Stakeholders	Role/ Contribution
1.	LALJI FOUNDATION	Project/sponsor
2.	DHALLA FAMILY	Co - Sponsor

5. OUTCOME AND IMPACTS

SN	Key Indicators	Number of Beneficiaries
1.	Hanga village	2800
2.	Total	2800

6. BUDGET AND EXPENDITURE

SN	ITEMS	BUDGETED (TZS)	ACTUAL EXPENDITURE
1	Borewell project	18,000,000	20,540,220
	TOTAL		20, 540,220

7. IMPACTS OF THE PROJECT IN THE COMMUNITY

- Strengthened Community Unity and Ownership - the project has encouraged collective responsibility through the establishment of a local water committee, promoting long-term sustainability and community cooperation.
- Long-Term Sustainable Development by addressing a fundamental need, the borewell project creates a foundation for continued development in health, education, and economic stability.
- Improved Access to Clean and Safe Water. The project has provided a reliable source of safe drinking water, reducing dependence on unsafe rivers, ponds, or distant water sources.
- Reduction in Water-Borne Diseases - access to clean water
- Time Savings for Women and Children Previously, women and children spent many hours walking long distances to fetch water.
- Educational Outcomes with reduced time spent collecting water and improved health, school attendance and concentration levels among students have improved.
- Economic Empowerment, reliable water access support in Small-scale farming, gardening Livestock care and Local small businesses

8. MEDIA COVERAGE

SN	Platform	Details	Type
1.	Television	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ IBN TV, 	Events news features
2.	Social Media	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Instagram ▪ Facebook ▪ WhatsApp group 	

9. CONCLUSION

The successful completion of the borewell project in Hanga Village, Kibiti District, marks a significant milestone in improving access to clean and safe water for the community. This initiative, carried out by the Lalji Foundation in partnership with the Dhalla family, has directly improved health, hygiene, and daily living conditions, while reducing the time and effort spent on water collection.

Lalji Foundation to continue to establish more borewells in the villages of Tanzania.

10. RELEVANT DOCUMENTS

HALMASHAURI YA KIJIKI CHA HANGA (W) KIBITI

OFISI YA MTENDAJI KIJIKI

S.L.P 33

KIBITI - PWANI

03/08/2025

MKURUGENZI LALJI FOUNDATION

S.L.P 21017

DAR ES SALAAM

YAH: MAOMBI YA KUCHIMBIWA KISIMA CHA MAJI

Mada ya hapo juu yahusika.

Tunaomba kuchimbiwa kisima cha maji hapa Kijijini kwetu, kwani Kijiji kinakabiliwa na changamoto ya upatikanaji wa maji hali inayofanya kuzoroka kwa shughuli za maendeleo na kusabisha hali duni za wananchi wa Kijiji cha Hanga.

Kijiji cha Hanga kina Kaya 742 kina watu 2838 kati ya hao wanaume 1385 na wanawake 1453. Hivyo basi kwa takwimu hizo ni jinsi gani mtagundua ukubwa tatizo la maji lilivyo kubwa.

Ni mategemeo yangu kwamba ombi letu hili litakubaliwa na kupewa kipaumbele

Nawatakiwa kazi njema

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HALMASHAURI YA KIJJI CHA HANGA (W) KIBITI

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02/02/2026

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DAR ES SALAAM

**YAH: SHUKRANI YA KUCHIMBIWA KISIMA CHA MAJI KATIKA
KIJJI CHA HANGA**

Mada ya hapo juu yahusika.

Tunapenda kutoa shukrani zetu za dhiti kwenu LALJI Foundation kwa kutukubalia maombi yetu ya kuchimbiwa kisima hapa Kijiji, lakini pia shukrani za kipekee zimfikie M/Kiti wa LALJI Foundation kwa kuridhia kichimbiwa kisima hiki hapo Kijijini pia Management nzima ya LALJI Foundation kwa kushiriki mchakato nzima wa maandalizi na hadi kuchimbwa kisima hiki na kufanikisha sherehe ya uzinduzi wa kisima hiki siku ya tarehe 01/02/2026.

Aidha mchango wenu ni mkubwa katika juhudi za kimaendeleo katika Kijiji chetu cha Hanga. Kwani maji ni sehemu kubwa ya uhai wetu na maendeleo yetu, mradi huu wa maji unaenda kunufaisha takribani Kaya 187 zilizopo karibu na mradi huu zenye jumla ya watu 748 ambao kila siku ya Mungu wanahitaji maji kwa shughuli muhimu za maisha.

Sisi Viongozi wa Kijiji pamoja na wanakijiji hatuna cha kuwalipa Allah Subhana wataala ndiyo mlipaji ila sisi tunawaomba dua Mwenyezi Mungu awazidishie baraka na neema mzidi kusaaidia Jamii zenye kuhitaji mahitaji muhimu kama sisi.

Mwisho tunaomba msituchoke kwani Kijiji chetu bado kinakabiliwa na changamoto mbalimbali kama familia duni zinazopitia changamoto ya kuwapatia mahitaji ya vifaa vya shule watoto wao na kadalika, tunaomba mtukubalie inshallah.

Tunawatakiwa kazi njema


SAIDH. MNG'OSHE
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11. PHOTO HIGHLIGHTS



Lajji Foundation members together with beneficiaries.





Mr Salimu Malogwa spoke on behalf of the district councillor of Kibiti



Mr. salimu, chairman of Hanga village



Mr Imtiaz chairman of Lalji foundation





Beneficiaries



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