



## PROGRAM DIRECTION – Home improvement and alternative energy projects through housing microfinance

### Project titles

**PROGRAM GOALS:** Home-improvement for low-income households;  
Building hope in female headed households;  
Use of solar energy by low-income families;  
Solar water heaters

- Improve housing conditions of low and middle income families (renovations, reconstructions)
- Create access to solar energy through solar water heaters
- Create access to financing for low and middle income families, etc.

### Why this Program? Because of NEED

#### NEED:

- Deteriorated housing conditions
- Lack of access to housing financing
- Houses need gas: lack of natural gas heating system
- Lack of drinking water systems: water and sewage system installations
- Windows, doors, roofs replacement and insulation is a priority in all regions
- Increased gas and electricity prices that leads to use of solar energy

#### IMPACT:

- Improved family health conditions by elimination of dampness and mold
- Heating system installations increased comfort level by providing sufficient heating during cold seasons
- Heating systems and new window installation
- Improved livelihoods by reducing energy costs
- Water system renovations improved safety and quality of water
- Saved gas and electricity fees

#### RESULTS (as of June 30, 2016):

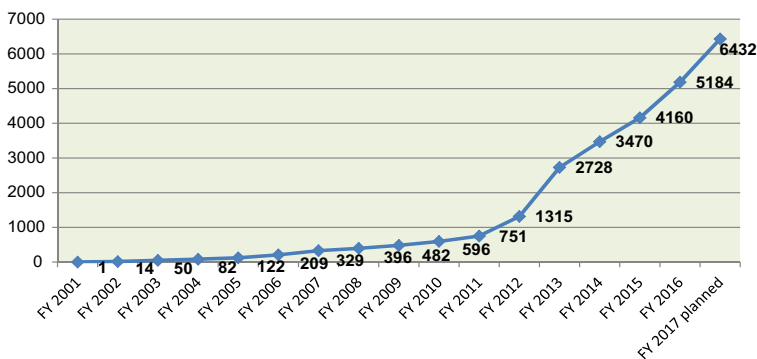
- 5185 families have been supported within Housing Microfinance projects since 2000
- 6520 people received housing support services since 2000
- Around \$1,145,000 in housing micro-loans disbursed during FY16



## DONATION OPTIONS:

- Up to \$1000 donation will be directed to one part of a house: bathroom unit, kitchen, living-room, etc.
- **Support 1 family - \$2,500**
- **Support 5 families - \$12,500**
- **Support 10 families - \$25,000**
- **Support 20 families - \$50,000**
- **Support 30 families - \$75,000**

**Families Served (cumulative)**



#### PLANS for FY17:

- Serve 254 families
- Provide Housing Support Services to 2194 people

## ACT NOW:

**Send your donation/tithe checks to:**

Habitat for Humanity International  
121 Habitat Street Americus, GA 31709-3498  
Please, include "815000 Armenia" in the memo section of the check.

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