



## Mission Statement

World Emergency Relief is dedicated to providing humanitarian assistance to people harmed by natural disaster, armed conflict, physical or mental abuse and exploitation, or poverty.



## CEO Message

Dear Friends and Supporters,

For the past 30 years I've had the privilege of serving others who cannot help themselves. These families, orphans, elderly and refugees across the globe have one endearing, common trait ... heartfelt appreciation for the love and compassion World Emergency Relief provides.

Our donors also share a common characteristic ... they are incredibly generous. They range from young children doing school projects to people filled with kindness and concern, who trust us to be their personal "stewards" to the poor and needy. Likewise, our corporate donors and program partners are vital in providing valuable cargo that we would have to otherwise purchase on the open market.

WER is a remarkable group of caring people working together to give children a living chance. Thank you for being an important part of our family and for your prayers, encouragement and support.



Kristy Scott  
Chief Executive Officer

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Our Annual Report, Audited Financial Statements and IRS Form 990 can be downloaded at [www.wer-us.org](http://www.wer-us.org) or can be mailed to you by calling 888-HUG-4-KID (888-484-4543).

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Programs of World Emergency Relief:

Children's  
FOOD FUND

Native American  
Emergency Relief

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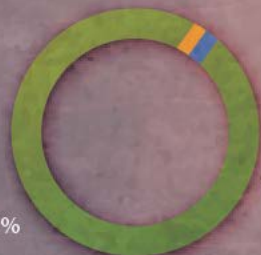


## 2016 ANNUAL REPORT

# Financial Overview:

## World Emergency Relief

WER remains committed to excellence in quality of program and management of the funds entrusted to us by our donors. In 2016, we used 98.3% of all donated resources for program expenses. Of our remaining total revenue, only 1% was used for fundraising and .7% for management costs such as staff salaries and office operating expenses. Our dedicated Board, staff and community volunteers understand that our donors place a special trust and confidence in our stewardship of their donated resources.



### Financial Overview:

- Fundraising: 1%
- Management: .7%
- Program Expenses: 98.3%

# Program Activities:



These figures are summarized from our 2016 Audited Financial Statements prepared by our independent auditor. If you would like a copy of our complete Audited Financial Statements and/or our IRS 990, please contact us at 888-484-4543 or view them online at <http://www.wer-us.org/accountability.html>

### Program Activities:

- Total Programs: \$23,406,461
- US Disaster Relief: \$387,844
  - Native American Relief: \$658,065
  - International Relief: \$22,360,552



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# Statement of Activities:

## Year Ending December 31, 2016

### Unrestricted Net Assets

Revenue and Other Support	
Gifts-In-Kind	\$ 23,406,461
Contributions	432,987
Bequests	68,349
Facilitator fees	52,465
Dividend Income	738
Interest Income	9
Miscellaneous Income	4,077
<b>Total Revenue and Other Support</b>	<b>23,965,086</b>
Net assets released from restriction	-
<b>Total Unrestricted Revenue and Other Support</b>	<b>23,965,086</b>

### Expenses

Program services	23,578,314
Management services	153,542
Fundraising	237,885
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>23,969,741</b>

### Other Gains and (Losses)

(Loss) on asset disposal	(136)
(Loss) on timeshare	(3000)
Unrealized gain on marketable securities	14,172
<b>Total Other Gains and (Losses)</b>	<b>11,036</b>

Increase (Decrease) In Unrestricted Net Assets 6,381

### Temporarily Restricted Net Assets

Increase In temporarily restricted assets	7,835
Net assets released from restrictions	-
<b>Increase (Decrease) In Temporarily Restricted Net Assets</b>	<b>7,835</b>
<b>Increase (Decrease) In Net Assets</b>	<b>14,216</b>

### Net Assets, Beginning of Year

192,568

### Net Assets, End of Year

206,784

# Program Overview:

## Measuring success, one child at a time ...

Our commitment to improving children's lives continues through our two primary outreaches, **Native American Emergency Relief & Children's Food Fund**. NAER's focus is to better the lives of Native American's by providing food, blankets, firewood, clean water and agricultural support. CFF programs concentrate on feeding children and providing resources for their basic needs.

Through these programs, **WER** provided over \$23 million in food, medicines, hygiene and disaster relief supplies to people in need.

In the past year, WER donors helped us to:

- Deliver 2,466,550 meals to hungry African children
- Provide 268,456 pounds of fresh produce, bottled water & blankets to Native American families
- Supply clinics and hospitals in South Sudan, Malawi, Liberia, Sierra Leone & Cambodia with life-saving medicines to treat the poor free of charge
- Respond to devastating disasters in the US, Haiti and Ecuador

