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Dear Friend of HACODEFU,

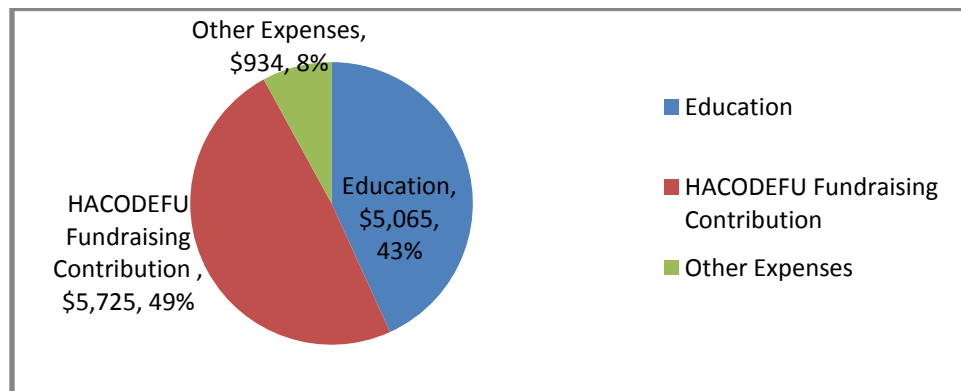
On behalf of HACODEFU, I kindly take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support of our initiatives in 2014. The year of 2014 was the year of remarkable organizational growth in our fundraising, reach-out and developmental initiatives more than doubled. Everything from the number of students we awarded scholarships to charitable funds raised more than doubled the figures from the year 2013. Together, we were able to move the needle on academic funding, infrastructure development and capacity enhancement initiatives in Hamisi constituency. Below are some of our achievements in 2014.

1. We awarded scholarships to 27 students in 15 high schools
2. We successfully carried out our Second Annual Fundraising on December 20th 2014

Finances:

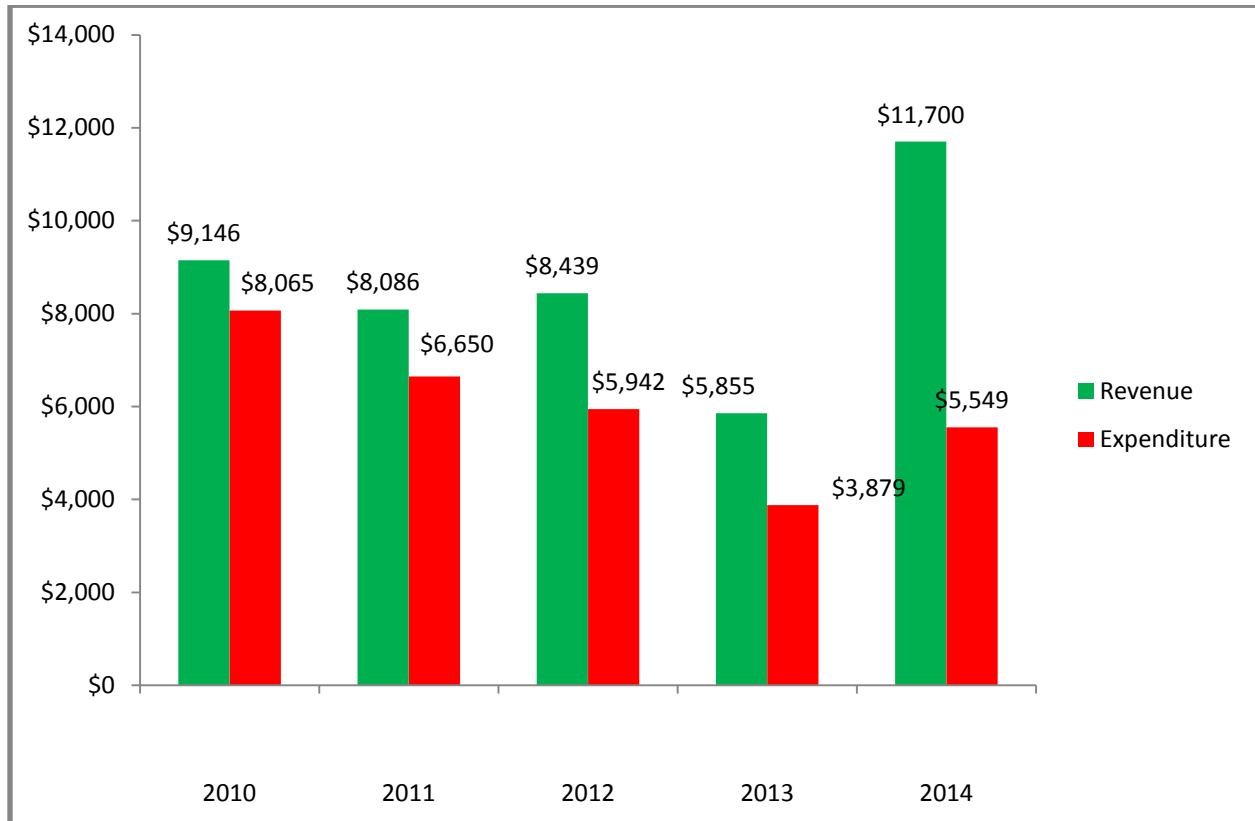
HACODEFU received a total of **\$11,700** in 2014. A total of **\$11,274** was distributed in 2014, of which **\$5,725** was earmarked for scholarships in 2015. Figure 1 shows the distribution of funds in 2014.

Figure 1: Distribution of Funds in 2014



HACODEFU revenue and expenditure summary for the years 2010-2014 is shown in Figure 2 below.

Figure 2: HACODEFU Finances 2010- 2014



Projects:

A: Education

In 2014, we celebrated our first milestone with graduates from high school. Two of these graduates were admitted to the University. We are proud of Edwin Jumba and Marylyn Kainyu, our first two students to be admitted to Eldoret and Moi Universities respectively.

I) Scholarships

Scholarships were awarded to 27 students in high schools. The 27 high school students were distributed in 15 different schools (Muhudu, Godia-Givogi, Imusutsu, Keveye Girls, Gisambai, Kaptik, Bunyore Girls, Forestal, Busombi MSS, Vihiga, Cheptechi, Kaimosi Demonstration, Chavogere, Makuchi and FHS Givole).

II) Donation of Inkjet Printer

We donated a printer to Cheptechi Primary School. The inkjet printer can also be used to print local practice exams for primary schools in Muhudu Location among other shared activities.

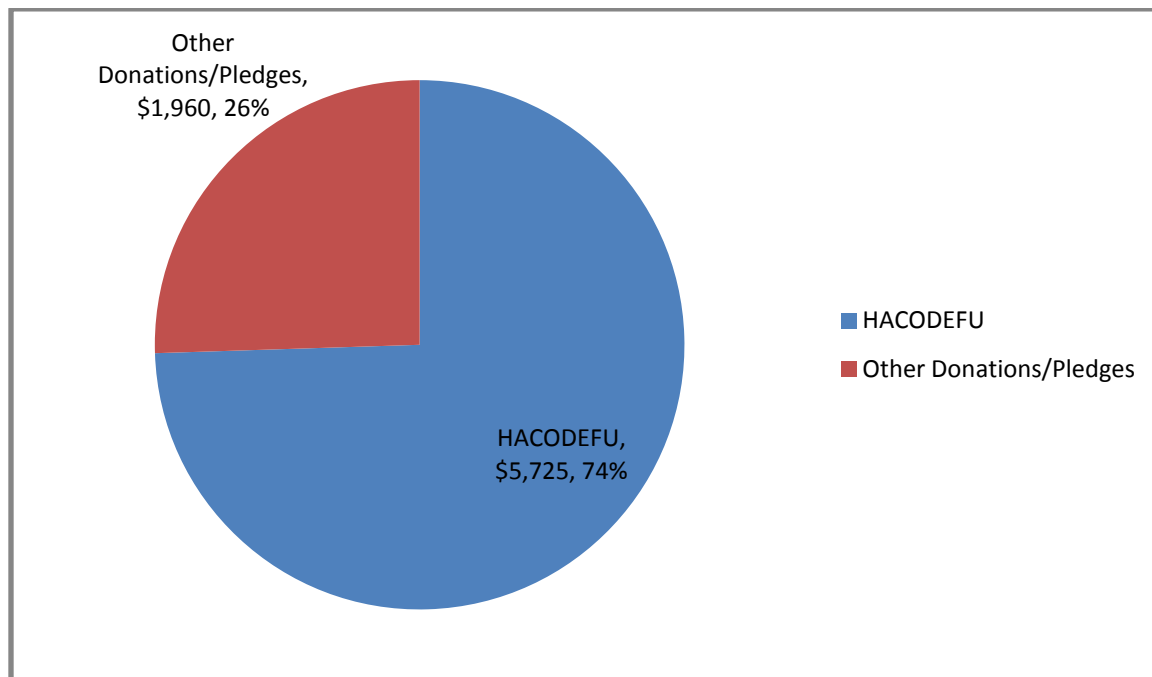
III) Laptop donation:

Hacodefu donated a laptop to one of the two graduates who qualified to join the University.

B: Second Annual Fundraising:

The second annual fundraising was successfully done on December 20th 2014 at Friends Church in Gadagadi. With our guest of honor, Mr. Henry Mahasi, Vice President of HACODEFU, we were able to raise a total of \$7,685 (KES. 668,630). A summary of the second annual fundraising is shown in Figure 3 below.

Figure 3: Summary of 2014 Fundraising



These funds will be primarily used to award scholarships in 2015.

In Memoriam:

Sadly, Neddy Kenyani, a beneficiary of our scholarship program died under very unusual circumstances. A life lost so young. May her soul rest in peace. One of the important lessons from this tragedy is the importance of being more proactive in following up on the total wellbeing of our student scholars and offer timely intervention with needs that go beyond academic matters.

Streamlined Plans for 2015:

We will narrow our focus to concentrate more on secondary education specifically offering funding in this area for efficiency and maximization of our resources. Scholarships may be extended to other institutions of higher learning with priorities going to those students already benefiting from our scholarship program.

We decided to shelf an excellent idea of the centers of academic excellence to be revisited when we have sufficient funding.

The year 2014 marked the 5th consecutive productive year for our organization. This was a year in which we experienced doubling achievements in our charitable endeavors; we saw the number students more than double from 13 in 2013 to 27 in 2014; the funds raised also more than doubled from the previous year. With your unwavering support, and selfless moral and financial support we hope to scale greater heights in transforming the academic standards and fortunes of our children in Hamisi.

In 2015, HACODEFU plans to:

1. Increase the number of students that are awarded scholarships
2. Research and develop other sources of funding
3. Plan a third annual fundraising

Thank you for taking time to go over our 2014 achievements. We hope that you will continue to support us on our course in transforming the academic fortunes of our children in Hamisi.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gilbert Shanga". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Gilbert Shanga, Ph.D.

President of HACODEFU