## The Gateway to Endless Opportunities

#### LOCAL SOUP KITCHENS UNDER COW

## 1. Khomasdal Community Hall Soup Kitchen

Edsel Street, Khomasdal, City of Windhoek

Mr. S. Kamati

Tel: 061 -290 3501

Email: Samuel.Kamati@windhoekcc.org.na

#### 2. Nathanael Maxuilili Community Centre Soup Kitchen

Tauno Hatuiikulipa Street, Bybylon, Okuryangava

Mr. S. Kamati

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### 3. Ombili Community Centre Soup Kitchen

Omungwundi Street, Ombili, City of Windhoek

Mr. S. Kamati

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## 4. Onkugo Yepongo Community Centre Soup Kitchen

Ombakata Street, Okutyangava, City of Windhoek

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#### **EASY-TO-DROP OFF PLACES FOR DONATIONS:**

## 1. Windhoek City Police Service

Cnr. Essen and Sishen Street

Sup. Hilma Mpuka

Tel: 061-302302/061-2902239

SMS LINE -44 44

Hilma.Mpuka@windhoekcc.org.na

## **2. Municipal Council of Windhoek** (Townhouse-Old Building)

Cnr. Garden & 9 Independence Ave

Mrs. G. K Pujatura

Section Head: Tourism

Tel: 061-290 2093

Grace.Pujatura@windhoekcc.org.na

## 3. Social and Youth Development Division Office

Corner of Hans Dietrich Genscher & Leonard Augla Street

Manager: Mr. James Kalundu

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Together, let us give hope and work towards a future where every child has the opportunity to thrive.



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## City of Windhoek



# Breaking the Cycle of Child Begging



## Give Hope to Children in Need:

The City of Windhoek has observed a concerning increase in the number of children begging on the streets of Windhoek, placing them at risk of harm and exploitation.

Child begging is a complex problem that cannot be solved by giving money to these children. In fact, giving money can make the problem worse by creating a cycle of dependency and exploitation.

Therefore, the City of Windhoek would like to urge the public to refrain from giving money to child beggars and encourage long-term solutions that address the issue of child beggars in Windhoek streets.





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Giving money to child beggars may seem like a kind gesture, but it fails to address systemic issues like poverty and lack of access to education that result in long-term begging.

## Giving money to child beggars can have negative consequences such as:

- Encouraging a cycle of exploitation and harm
- It discourages the pursuit of education and alternative opportunities
- It fails to address systemic issues that perpetuate the problem



## Better ways to help: Supporting Organizations

Instead of giving money directly to child beggars, you can help these children by supporting organizations that work to end child begging and its causes. These organizations offer holistic solutions, such as rescuing children from the streets, providing them with shelter, education, and counseling, and advocating for their rights.

## Conclusion:

Giving money is not the best way to help child beggars. To make a real difference, you can support organizations that tackle the root causes of child begging.

You can make a real difference in the lives of these children by donating to these organizations. Your contribution can help break the cycle of child begging and give hope to children in need.

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Here are some trustworthy organizations you can support:

#### **CHILDREN HOMES**

1. SOS Children's Village (Windhoek) WO 33

Manager: Mr. Hendricks P.O. Box 23134, Windhoek

E-mail: soswhk@childrenvillages.org Tel: +264 61 - 212582 / 222457

2. Dolam Children's Home (Windhoek) WO 184

Manager: Ms. Rosa Namises

P.O. Box 5546, Katutura
Tel: +2640 61-26 9292 / 0924

Cell: 0812525243

Email: womensolnam@amail.com

3. Namibian Children's Home (Windhoek)

Chief Children's Superintendent: Ms. Helen

Siamwanda

Social worker: Ms. Annette Tubayunga

Tel: +264 61-225931, Cell no. 0818050471

P.O. Box 2806, Windhoek

Email: Helen.Siamwanda@mgecw.gov.na

4. Hope Village (Windhoek) WO 270

Manager: Ms. S. Mouton: 0811223012

Secretary: Ms. Yvonne: 0812852701

P.O. Box 21085, Windhoek

Tel: +264 81 128 1405, / 81 124 8386 / 812

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Email: Marietjie.hv.na@gmail.com

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5. ERPOW: Envoy For rebuilding the Poor, Orphaned & Widowed (Windhoek) WO 343

Manager: Mr. Jaco Kotze

P.O. Box 86160, Eros, Windhoek

Phone: +264 61-238486 Fax: +264 61-248790

Cell: +264 81 129 2550 (Jaco Kotze)

Email: jacokotze@iway.na

6. Huis Maerua (Windhoek) WO 8

Manager: Ms. Von Dewitz P.O. Box 81944, Windhoek

Cell: +264 812798866

Office: +264 61 383250/235782

Fax: +264 61 383251

7. Orlindi's Place of Safety (Windhoek) WO 244

Manager: Ms. Rosalinda Namises:

P.O. Box 62104, Katutura Cell: +264 817806177

## **CHILDREN SHELTERS**

 After School Centre Integration program (Children Temporary Shelter) Grysblock – Katutura

Chief Social Worker: Ms. Maggy Katimba

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