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# **Essay**

**Amanzi(NGO)**

***Let’s be fresh!***

**Introduction**

We are a Non-Profit Organisation also known as NGO. We only operate in South Africa. Our purpose is to help the communities that are struggling. We provide services to communities that are suffering e.g., water. We are here to investigate the problem and come up with solutions.

**Causes of water problems in communities**

Recently, most communities in South Africa are having water issues. Most communities don’t have water due water pollution which includes poor sanitation. Climate change is another factor because the water evaporates differently, and the rainfall shifts in both hemispheres. Some people have money to fix water problems people in some communities instead they use it on something else which is very careless. Some citizens don’t have money to pay the government their taxes which leads to lack of infrastructure such as wastage. Lack of knowledge about water is another problem because people don’t know how to manage water which leads to them to wasting water.

**Impact of community having water problems**

Most people can’t wash dishes, use toilets, and wash hands. Some people don’t even have water tanks. Having no water can lead to dehydration and people can die from it. It is very hygienic which also leads to people smelling and having bad breath. Some communities can’t grow crops due to having no water and this is where malnutrition kicks and it increases the possibility of death and also diseases. Keeping a livestock requires water because people rely on keeping a livestock to find food and to earn an income which is difficult. Most hospitals and clinics find it difficult to help their patients safely due to lack of water.

**Solutions to water problems**

We will donate money to charities because charities help poor communities get access to water which improves sanitation, health, and agriculture. We will be investing in communities to allow themselves to have water. We will invest also in some communities’ education standards which will educate them the causes of water shortages, the effects, and the solutions and this can increase the awareness. We will build water tanks in poor communities so that people can gain access to water.

# **Assets**



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