

2019 ANNUAL REPORT



OUR MISSION

Making disciples of Jesus through clean water, education, & mentorship.



OPERATIONS

01
SECT. 01 | OPERATIONS

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

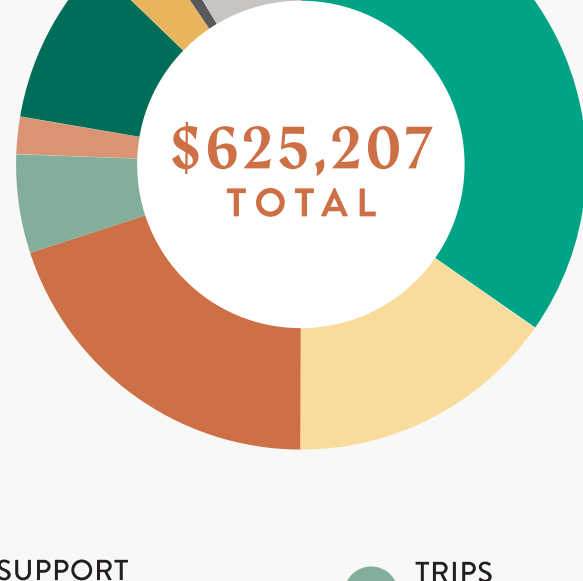
\$625,207 / **\$680,670**
Total 2019 Expenses / Total 2019 Income

STAFF BREAKDOWN

27 Nicaraguans
5 North Americans
1 Chilean



2019 EXPENSES



STAFF SUPPORT \$217,013.00 34.7%	TRIPS \$35,055.00 5.6%
WATER + SANITATION \$124,695.26 19.9%	LIMONAL COMM. CENTER \$20,567.00 3.3%
EDUCATION + DISCIPLESHIP \$95,755.58 15.3%	CURIOSITY CIRCLE \$13,290.00 2.1%
SACRED FOREST \$59,551.00 9.5%	SACRED FOREST COFFEE \$5,554.00 .9%
GENERAL FUNDS \$53,727.00 8.6%	

02
SECT. 02 | COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT STRATEGY

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT STRATEGY (CES)



	WATER	SANITATION	EDUCATION	MENTORSHIP	
EL LIMONAL	✓ provided by city of Chinandega	✓ provided by others	✓ since 2010	✓ since 2013	✓ complete
EL PORVENIR	✓ completed in 2016	○ completed 32 bathrooms in 2019	✓ since 2019	✓ since 2017	✗ TBD
SALINAS GRANDE	✓ broke ground on Oct. 28, 2019	✗ TBD	✓ since 2015	✓ since 2015	○ Breaking ground in 2021
SAN CARLOS	✓ completed in 2018	✗ TBD	○ launching 2021	✓ launched fall 2019	✗ TBD - Land purchased by San Carlos Residents
FUTURE COMMUNITY 5	coming 2021 (delayed due to coronavirus)				
FUTURE COMMUNITY 6					
FUTURE COMMUNITY 7					

✓ completed ○ in process ✗ not started yet

DISCIPLESHIP & EDUCATION

03
SECT. 03 | EDUCATION & DISCIPLESHIP

2019 OVERVIEW

125 Total Kids in the Program

Each of these kids are being actively disciplined and receiving help with their education via school supplies, tutoring, college scholarships, and extracurricular activities.

17 College Scholarships

Increased from 9 scholarships in 2018 to 17 in 2019. Many of these 17 kids could not have attended college without the scholarship.

SALINAS GRANDE

33 kids enrolled in Discipleship
11 pre-leaders
9 college scholarships

EL LIMONAL

46 kids enrolled in Discipleship
11 pre-leaders
6 college scholarships

EL PORVENIR

27 kids enrolled in Discipleship
2 college scholarships

SAN CARLOS

16 pre-leaders

"I like coming to discipleship because I get to hear more about God and I've learned how to get along better with others. My favorite part is listening to the lessons the leaders bring every week and over the years, I've really enjoyed coming together with my group in the good and the hard times."



OTHER STATS & MILESTONES

Almost 400 Total Kids Disciplined
125 kids officially enrolled (noted above) plus around 250 "Oyentes".

4th Discipleship Program Launched in San Carlos
See testimonies from Darling & Esmirna below!

Oyentes, or "the listeners", are the siblings, cousins, and friends of our Discipleship kids who come to play games and sometimes sit in on Discipleship sessions. Though they don't receive some of the perks of sponsorship like school supplies, field trips, or letters from supporters, we welcome their attendance with open arms and are honored to help them learn to follow Jesus.



DARLING
Discipleship Coordinator

"We had plans to eventually start a Discipleship Program in San Carlos, but this one began differently from the other communities - the people asked for it! They knew about SuNica's work in Limonal, Salinas, and Porvenir and recognized it as something good and necessary for their kids. We started with the Mentorship program to train a group of pre-leaders, and it's been incredible seeing the growth in every one of them and how engaged they are with the process."



ESMIRNA
Discipleship Coordinator

"I'm working with 9 incredible young ladies who are all still in school, 5 in college and 4 in high school. The time together has been a blessing, and it's amazing to see the way the parents are supporting their kids. Last year we took them on their first retreat to the Sacred Forest. Some had never been in such a tranquil place. Sharing our stories in the forest impacted me the most, just watching them open up and let go of so many things was a completely new experience for them."

04
SECT. 04 | CLEAN WATER

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WORKING TOWARD

3,000+ PEOPLE SERVED THROUGH CLEAN WATER

Salinas Grande Clean Water Project

October 28th, 2019 - Ground Breaking of our biggest project yet, the Salinas Grande Water Project which will bring clean water 24/7 to over 2,000 people.

San Carlos Clean Project

The San Carlos Clean Water Project continues to operate as a cash-flow positive system, with clean water servicing 165+ homes.

El Porvenir Public Works Office

Since their clean water system went live in 2016, the El Porvenir Water & Sanitation Committee had built up over \$7,000 through its cash-flow positive utility department. They used some of that cash to build an office from which their staff now operates. This was a huge win for the community and a great sign of sustainability.



32 MODERN BATHROOMS BUILT IN 2019

By the end of 2019, 32 families and over 140 people were using a Modern Bathroom in El Porvenir. These facilities drastically reduce the transmission of parasites and disease in the community. Additionally, we raised funds for another 40 - 50 bathrooms that are scheduled to be complete in 2020 as we continue to move toward eradicating health problems associated with pit latrines in this community!

SACRED FOREST

05
SECT. 05 | SACRED FOREST

IN 2019, WE...

Added additional fence line and acquired additional property increasing the size of the Sacred Forest to 205 acres.

Completed The Sacred Forest Lodge which became our primary meeting space and increased hosting capacity from 12 to 24.

Completed a Treehouse

which is now a destination sleeping area for the kids.

Added new Trails

and created an official mapping system with sign-posts throughout the property.

Hosted 19 Discipleship Retreats at the facility, including hosting our very 1st Discipleship Retreat for our CAPS (the Water & Sanitation Committees from each of our projects).



06
SECT. 06 | 10 YEARS OF SUNICA

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TEN YEARS!

On September 12th, 2019, nearly 200 of the SuNica Faithful gathered together at Christ The King Presbyterian Church to celebrate our 10th year of being SuNica. It is truly God's grace and mercy that has allowed us to exist as a distinct organization for this long. There are so many ways that God is bringing His Kingdom on earth. Making disciples of Jesus in Nicaragua through clean water, education, and mentorship continues to be our way.

In Jesus,
Alan Wilser (SUNICA CO-FOUNDER)



The Story of SuNica

