**Support the Community Effected by Cyclone Gaja in Tamil Nadu .**

The cyclone Gaja crossed coast between Nagapattinam and Vedaranniyam of Tamil Nadu with wind speed of 100 – 120 kmph . The cyclonic storm caused considerable damage both to human lives and infrastructure. The affected areas of the cyclone are Nagapattinam , Thiruvarur , Tanjore , Pudukkottai and Cuddalore.

The rain has ripped the roofs off homes, uprooted trees, brought down power lines in coastal district of Tamil Nadu. **People have lost everything they had and are now struggling just to stay alive.** The major occupation of the population is agriculture; the cyclone has caused series damages to their crops and livestock.

Our project focus on the most effected part of Vedaranniyam and Thalainayar block of Nagapattinam District of Tamil Nadu. The cyclone claimed overall death toll to 7, around 100 livestock, series damages to coconut & mango trees, jasmine farms and fisher men boats.

Nearly 70% of the people live in thatched roofing; the cyclone has ripped off the roof of their houses as well cattle sheds. The electric poles has been damaged and left the people in darkness.

We work with National Mother & Child Welfare Organization to support the local community.

**The relief package will be provided for 500 Families**

1. 1 Candle box ( No chance to give power before 30 days) -Rs.100
2. Mat, blanket Rs.150
3. Toiletries Rs.750
4. Rice 5 kg, Dhal 2 kg, oil Rs.500
5. Tharpalin for cover the roof from rain Rs.2000
6. Basic Medicine Rs 250

1. Support basic needed materials to 10 families – Candle , sleeping mat , toiletries , etc = 140 USD
2. Support provisions to 5 families – 70 USD
3. Support renovation of a house – 28 USD
4. Support basic medicine to 3 families – 15 USD

TOTAL Grant = Rs. 18,75,000/- = 26,408 USD