



The Facts:

- Every 15 seconds a child dies from a water-related disease.
- Water-related diseases are the leading cause of death for children under five.
- At any given time, half of the hospital beds in the world are filled with patients suffering from water-related diseases.
- 1.1 billion people lack access to safe drinking water.
- In developing countries, contaminated water accounts for 80% of all diseases.

The average African family uses 5 gallons of water a day. A conventional American toilet uses 3.5 gallons with each flush. Those statistics are pretty startling but they illustrate just how different America's access to water is compared to much of the rest of the world. Did you know 88% of all diseases are caused by unsafe drinking water, inadequate sanitation and poor hygiene? 1.1 billion people in the world lack access to clean water- that's one in six. You can make an impact on this huge problem.

2 Wheels 4 Water is working to bring attention to the water crisis and an organization that is making a difference. Hydromissions is taking low-tech water pumps to remote tribes in third world countries and showing the people how to build and maintain them. This means families that have never had access to clean water now have a safe source of water. This practical, unique approach is changing lives. But getting to some of the world's most remote places takes funds.

Join us in our commitment to make a difference. Beginning August 1, 2008, we will start our trek across North and South Carolina on scooters. Our entire journey will take us through dozens of communities, over mountains and along the coast, covering an estimated 1200 miles. We know that while the water crisis may not be at the top of your mind each day, gas prices probably are. Operating the typical American vehicle costs about 17.5 cents per mile, while operating a scooter costs just 3.5 cents. We are asking you to pledge the difference: 14 cents. By pledging 14 cents for every mile we travel, you are joining us in our commitment to change the lives of people we will likely never meet. But they are people that need your help. Please, make a pledge today.

Pledge Form

Please return this form to us no later than 7/31/08.
 Mail to:
 102 E. Faris Rd.
 Greenville, SC
 29605



Name _____
 Address _____

 Phone _____
 E-mail _____

Method of Payment
 Bill Me
 Check

- I pledge 14 cents for every mile.
- I pledge 10 cents for every mile.
- I pledge 5 cents for every mile.
- I pledge ___ cents for every mile.
- I pledge a one time donation of \$___

To make a pledge online, visit www.2wheels4water.com and fill out the contact form. Pledges will be collected in late August.