

# WATER for ALL

21<sup>st</sup> WaterNet Symposium

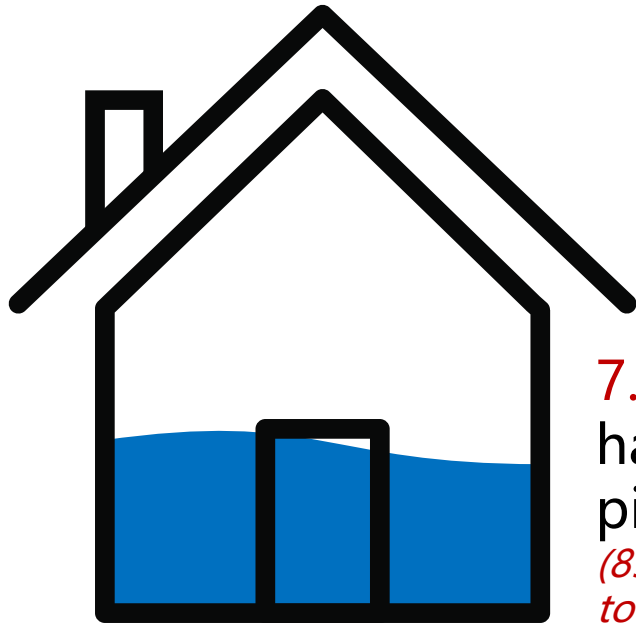
5<sup>th</sup> AfriAlliance Innovation

Bridge Event

- VidlyIT is a team of six **young and driven** individuals with **tried and tested skills** in **App Development** and innovative **IoT solutions**
- Shared roots in rural and urban Africa with **intrinsic understanding** of the challenges
- Passion for **creating solutions** to socio-economic issues, that **bring about equality**

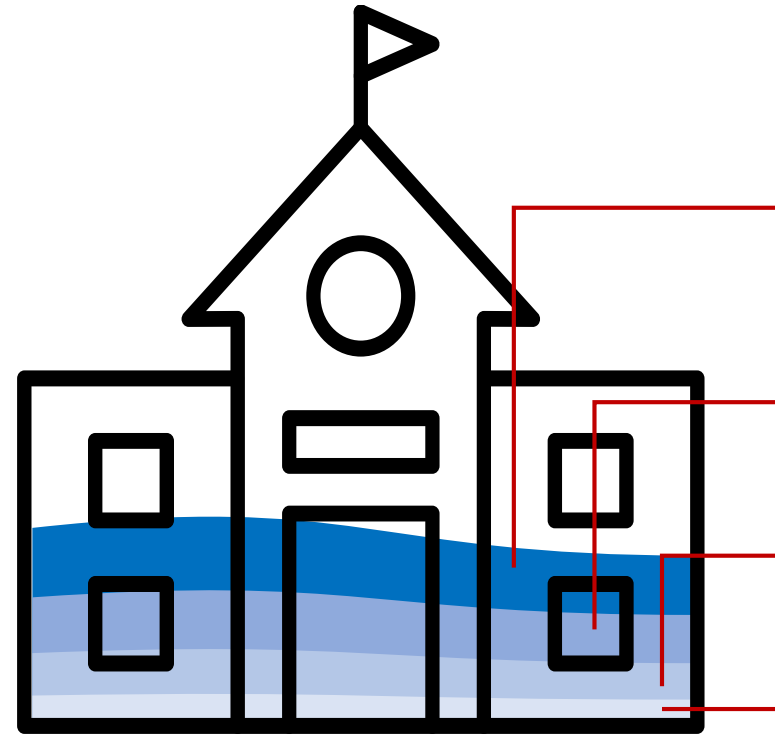


# THE Problem



7.7 million (46%)  
have access to  
piped water  
*(89.5% have access  
to a cellphone)*

16.7 million  
Households



6,517  
Harvest  
rainwater

5,004  
Unreliable  
supply

1,094  
Rely on tankers

171  
NO supply

24,000  
Operational  
Public Schools



# THE Solution

VidlyIT suggests a 3-part solution to start addressing the critical shortage of safe water into communities at risk

## 1. *IoT Device*

- a. *Installed on site in water tanks*
- b. *Monitors water levels*
- c. *Monitors water quality, mineral and microbial content*

## 2. *Online Dashboard*

- a. *Collated data on water usage and quality*
- b. *Alerts on water quality to prevent disease from taking hold*
- c. *Anticipate when tanks will need to be refilled to meet demand*

## 3. *Website*

- a. *Linked to Dashboard, per school, for ease of water management by governmental organisations*
- b. *Donors are invited to contribute to the water supply and infrastructure requirements per school of their choice - Payment gateway will be integrated to facilitate this*



# TARGET Market

## *Contributors*

- NGOs
- State Owned Enterprises, such as the Department of Basic Education and the Department of Water and Sanitation
- Corporate South Africa, as a means of responsibly spending their legislated Social Economic Development contributions

## *Cost Model*

- Two Tier System
  - Monthly subscription for the dashboard and analytics
  - Once-off fee for the IoT device, back up sensors and installation

## *Beneficiaries*

- Rural and Urban schools
  - That have exiting water tanks in place
  - All new tank installations at schools, as a Public/Private Enterprise with the Department of Education, to ensure that tanks are monitored for safe water

# THE Result

- ***Clean drinking water will reduce waterborne diseases***
  - *Lower death rates*
  - *Relieve pressure on health services*
  - *Address absenteeism at schools*
- ***Water for sanitation***
  - *Ability to wash hands reduces spread of disease*
- ***Containment of human waste - no contamination of water table and agricultural land***