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To whom it may concern

Breath of Life's main aim is to impact the lives of women in crisis pregnancies and the destinies of unwanted babies. This initiative was setup in 2009, in response to the lack of support for women dealing with crisis pregnancies, and the high rate of abandonment rate of new born babies. Mother's that were unable to bring up children had to choose between termination and abandonment. The situation demanded a response, and lead by a passionate team the Restore Trust launched a two pronged initiative to meet this need. Babies are abandoned in dumpsters, dustbins and drains daily in Buffalo City and so a safe place to care for abandoned babies was a priority. Situated in 2 Dawson Road, Selborne and currently has capacity for 6 babies. Children are either given up at birth, delivered by the SAPS or by members of the public. The house is staffed by a team of carers and babies are given 24 hour care before being placed into healthy families or approved institutions. To date 114 abandoned babies have been rescued and cared for at the Place of Safety. We assure you that you would find the project credible and measurable, fulfilling a great need within the Buffalo City Area. Our dedicated team of skilled staff, along with a strong referral network of volunteers such as doctors and nurses, are passionate about providing a preferable future for every abandoned baby and women with a crisis pregnancy.

**Statistics:**

<b>Adopted</b>	<b>Back with biological</b>	<b>Babies at Breath of Life</b>	<b>Total Babies</b>
65	42	7	114

Breath of Life has a huge financial need for our operational requirements and donations towards our home and babies. We are dependent on the generosity of the public and local businesses in order to continue providing support to these mothers in crisis pregnancies and the abandoned babies. The funds and donations raised goes a long way to support Breath of Life in ensuring we continue to impact the lives of women in crisis pregnancies and the destinies of unwanted babies. Please join us and help us make this ministry a huge success.

In advance, thank you for your consideration and support. Please do not hesitate to contact me, should you have any further questions.

**Banking details:** Restore Trust, ABSA, Acc Nr. 4075423310, Branch 632005, Ref BOL & your surname/ business name.  
Proof of payment to [breathoflife@restoretrust.co.za](mailto:breathoflife@restoretrust.co.za)

**Type of organisation:** Non-Governmental Organisation, An entity of Restore Trust

**Registration Number:** IT328/09

**PBO Status:** 930032698 – Due to our PBO status we are able to issue Tax Exempt Certificates (Section 18A) for all donations at request.

**NPO Status:** 098-449-NPO

**Web page:** [www.restoretrust.co.za](http://www.restoretrust.co.za)

**Facebook:** Breath of Life

Regards



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## BECOME A GUARDIAN OF THE UNBORN AND ABANDONED BABIES

Contribute a R100 per month, sign up at [www.restoretrust.co.za](http://www.restoretrust.co.za).

### BABY CARE NEEDS....

- Nappies (Sizes 1-4)
- Wet Wipes
- Lactogen 1 Formula
- Gripe Water
- Telament Colic Drops
- Panado Syrup
- Buscopan
- Allergex Syrup
- Karvol Capsules or Chest Rub
- Baby Vicks Rub
- Teejel
- Glycerine
- Dectarin Oral Gel
- Dectarin Nappy Cream
- Baby Shampoo
- Unscented Aqueous Cream
- Earbuds and cotton wool

DONATE BABIES, CHILDREN AND ADULTS CLOTHING TO OUR  
QUALITY USED CLOTHING SHOP.

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Proceeds support Breath of Life.

Donations can be dropped off at 2 Dawson Road, Selborne.  
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