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MESSAGE FROM THE CEO

What a difference a year makes! At the **end of March** last year, **South Africa** – at the inaugural of the **third Covid wave** – battled for the world's **highest Covid cases**. The hospitals were overwhelmed, medical personnel were exhausted, and the country was collectively and individually grieving the **loss of loved ones**. Fast forward to this year, and we are **recovering** and **thriving**. We **broadened our footprint** and **grew our impact**. We **strengthened our ecosystem** and **deepened our relationships**. We **stretched our imagination** and **innovated**. We **learned** and **adapted**. We **stuck to our knitting** and **stuck our necks out**. We **stood firm** and **stood up**. We **stood by our communities** and **stood with our partners**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **mandate**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **beneficiaries**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **stakeholders**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **partners**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **donors**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **Board**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **staff**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **CEO**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **Chairperson**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **Trustees**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **Ubuntu**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **Solidarity Fund**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **Solidarity Fund Family**. We **stood for** and **stood up for** our **Solidarity Fund Family