

Amandawe - December 2025

A Prayer Set in Motion



In December 2025, 25 EcoRollers were distributed in Amandawe, giving participating households a practical new way to move water home.

LOCATION	Amandawe, KwaZulu-Natal
DATE	December 2025
ECOROLLERS	25 distributed
PARTNERS	Rolling Water Foundation Canada, The Dillon Trust, Scottburgh Methodist Church, Okwendalo Organisation, KwaCele Traditional Authority and local government/community representatives

Why Amandawe

Water challenges affect many parts of daily life in the community, including school attendance, health, growth and development. The Amandawe project brought local leadership, community organisations and funding partners together around a practical household-level response.

The launch

The first EcoRollers were launched with the Mayor, Deputy Mayor, the MEC of Social Development, community organisations, traditional leadership and residents present. Twenty-five EcoRollers were distributed.



What the project showed

Recipients could immediately see and try a different way to move water. The handover made the value of the EcoRoller visible and created a strong public moment around the need it addresses.

Community response

The project record describes an emotional response from recipients, including one older woman who was overwhelmed by what receiving an EcoRoller meant to her. That moment captured the personal significance of changing a demanding part of daily life.

Partnership

Amandawe was made possible through collaboration among funding partners, community organisations, traditional leadership and public representatives. It shows how local partnerships can bring EcoRollers into communities in a coordinated, visible way.

