# Nofei Nechemia

#### PROTECTING A NOBLE LEGACY

Over 2500 years ago, Nehemiah embarked on a brave mission, facing seemingly insurmountable challenges (Nehemiah 2:6-9). Leaving a prestigious position at the opulent palace in the Persian empire, he chose the path less traveled—to rebuild Judea. Despite formidable resistance, Nehemiah tenaciously reconstructed the walls of Jerusalem in an astonishing timeframe of 52 days. Fast forward to the present: Nofei Nechemia carries on his noble legacy, revitalizing the desolate land and honoring his unwavering dedication.

Nofei Nechemia, located east of Ariel in Samaria, is a small, isolated community that has experienced remarkable growth. In just two decades, it has transformed from a barren hilltop into a vibrant religious community, with permanent homes filled with young families and many new families interested in joining. With a bustling community life, including Bible lessons and a close-knit atmosphere, Nofei Nechemia has firmly established itself, putting down permanent roots.

But beyond the community periphery is a sobering truth; Nofei Nechemia is a tiny island in an ocean of mountainous terrain, barren fields, and hostile Arab villages. The people of Nofei Nechemia live in fear of the looming threat of terror. They have experienced their fair share of harrowing encounters with terror, including hostile infiltration, terrorist attacks, and arson. Along the community's perimeter are brush, thorns, rocks, and wild grasses, usually dry from the lack of rain. Tragically, arson has become a favorite weapon against isolated communities like Nofei Nechemia. One match would easily ignite the dry brush, spreading quickly and endangering lives and homes.

Nofei Nehemiah has taken proactive measures to address these challenges. They have a dedicated first response team consisting of trained volunteers and are ensuring preparedness for various emergencies. Last year, CFOIC Heartland donors helped Nofei Nechemia purchase protective helmets and a surveillance drone. But they need your continued support to furnish an emergency center, a centralized hub where personnel will gather to coordinate emergency response efforts and purchase emergency equipment, including a backup generator, tactical first-aid kit, and firefighting swatters and blankets.

Nofei Nechemia desperately needs to establish and equip an emergency center to protect local families from ongoing terrorist threats. Your generous gift of essential emergency equipment will play a pivotal role in ensuring the safety and well-being of the men, women, and children of Nofei Nechemia while empowering them to thrive and develop the sacred Biblical Heartland in safety and security. Your support will save lives!

## **COMMUNITY SNAPSHOT**

**p Founded**: 2002

**♦ Location**: Samaria

- ❖ Origin of Name: in English, "views of Nechemiah," honoring the Biblical character who contributed to the reconstruction of Judea and Samaria during the Persian Empire
- ☆ Geographical Significance:

  Adjacent to the community of Rechalim
- ☆ Population: 89 families



Nofei Nechemia urgently needs your help to save lives through essential emergency and fire-fighting equipment



You can help protect the men, women, and children of Nofei Nechemia from constant terror threat!

### NOFEI NECHEMIA EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT

#### **PROJECT BUDGET**

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