

Einav: To Protect and Defend

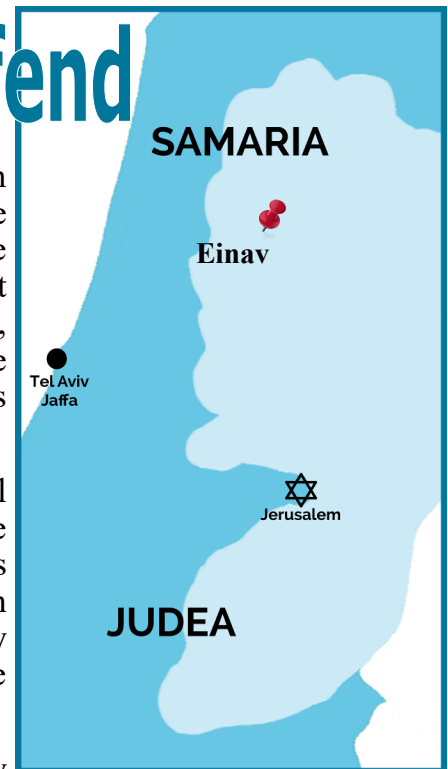
The community of Einav was established in 1981 by nineteen pioneering families. Einav got its name from two places: the grapes (“anavim”) and vineyards that used to cover the Samaritan hills in Bible times, and a passage from Joshua that reads, “Joshua came and cut off the Giants from the mountains, from Hebron, from Devir, from **Einav**, and from all the mountains of Judah” (11:21). Today there are over 200 families that make up this spirited community.

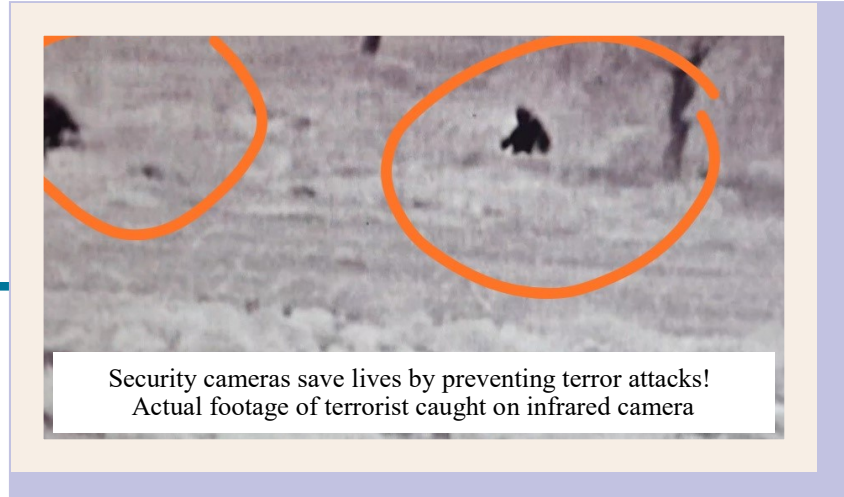
Einav is located on a hilltop overlooking its Biblical counterpart, an Arab village called Anavta, which gets its name from the same root as Einav. They are surrounded on all sides by hostile Arab villages, as well as the Arab town of Tulkarem to the west. Einav occupies a crucial spot in these hills, a very isolated Jewish presence in the area. Without Einav, the entire area would have been transferred to the Palestinian Authority.

The second generation of Einav residents have eagerly returned to raise their own children in the warm community where they grew up. Einav truly is a beautiful place – the whole community is bursting with greenery and growth, and the residents actively participate in community life while exuding love and devotion to their children, each other, and the Holy Land. But as the community expands, the security needs grow urgent, and the residents of Einav cannot afford to take their safety lightly. Einav does not have a full perimeter fence, which is a liability that the community contends with on a daily basis. Fortunately they do have a rapid response team, but without functioning radios or a surveillance framework around the community, the rapid responders cannot be alerted in advance if a threat is approaching, which severely impacts their ability to effectively protect the community. In the case of an emergency, the lack of advance notice in case of danger is a harrowing liability, and it’s quite possible that the rapid responders will not hear of a threat until it is too late. This lack of camera infrastructure is a dangerous reality.

The residents of Einav have faith that God will protect them, but they also know that they cannot rely on miracles. The IDF is ultimately responsible for protecting Einav but the army recently had to withdraw a number of soldiers in that region, leaving Einav more vulnerable than before. The immediate responsibility for protecting the community falls squarely on the shoulders of the rapid response team. Right now the community is in a vulnerable state, and they need your help.

Einav has turned to you, CFOIC Heartland’s loyal supporters, to help them make their community more secure. You have already provided the funds for the purchase of twenty new communications devices and that has made a huge difference in the safety of the people of Einav. Now they need assistance to buy and install an elaborate network of surveillance cameras and radar, including the necessary electrical infrastructure which will support the surveillance network. These measures will enable the rapid response team to protect and defend the people of Einav during the critical minutes before IDF reinforcements can arrive on the scene. Einav has managed to create an amazing balance of quality of life while settling and building a community in the heart of Samaria. By helping the people of Einav protect themselves, you are directly supporting their right to build and grow in safety in the heart of Biblical Israel.





☆ Einav is a religious community located in the heart of Samaria, a region that has proven vital to the security of Israel.

☆ The community is vulnerable on all sides from hostile Arab neighbors. You have already helped them purchase radios. Today they need a surveillance network to keep them safe.

Einav continues to grow in its dedication to a life of faith while building families and homes on God’s holy soil. But safety and security have become real concerns and CFOIC Heartland has been asked to help Einav purchase vital radios and install a necessary surveillance system made up of cameras, radar, and electrical infrastructure — a must for keeping the people of this wonderful community safe and secure!

Project Budget

Cameras, radar, and electrical infrastructure	\$237,500
20 communication devices.....	8,500
Already raised	-8,500
TOTAL FUNDS REQUIRED	\$237,500

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