SUCCESS CASES OF THE STATE OF MINAS GERAIS/BRAZIL

AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND PLANTED FOREST

Our Environment Program

Aims conservation and efficient use of natural resources by farmers activities. Aligned with UN's SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals), fosters sustainable practices of food production, ecosystems maintenance, access to water and efficient use, biomass production for renewable energy, and carbon storage by better practices. These improvements increase income, jobs, access to education, among other SDGs. Examples include training in:

Spring Restoration: Emphasizes the hydrological cycle within rural landscape, notions of water quality for consumption and the necessary permits by the water authority. Each practical training results in a recovered and protected spring.

Rural Sanitation: Participants learn the concepts and receive practical training on specific rural sanitation techniques, such as construction of ecological septic tanks, biodigestor septic tanks and gray water treatment.





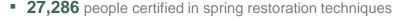


Results:















• 920 attendees to seminars regarding water, soil conservation and ecosystems services.



• 429 rural sanitation structures built, training 5,095 people on the mentioned sanitation techniques, over 50% on the ecological septic tanks.

