



CALL FOR PROPOSALS

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CLIMATE SMART AGRICULTURE GRANT FUNDING FOR BACKYARD GARDENING DEADLINE: MAY 7, 2021

BACKGROUND

The objective of the Climate Smart Agriculture and Rural Enterprise Programme (SAEP) is to improve the livelihoods and resilience of beneficiaries by accessing new jobs, start-up businesses or consolidate new businesses and adopt Climate Smart Agriculture (CSA) practices. This is aimed at increasing the sustainability of beneficiaries and will assist farmers including backyard gardeners and members of rural communities and youth, to have a better understanding of climate change (CC) issues.

WHO CAN APPLY

Beneficiaries of the Climate Smart Agriculture & Rural Enterprise Programme (SAEP) who **would have received technical and extension support from the Extension Assistants.**

WHAT DOES THE GRANT FUND

- i. Soil and Water Management (e.g. Soil Conservation; Rain Water Harvesting; Storage; Distribution and Application; Land Preparation, etc.)
- ii. Plant Agronomics (e.g. IPM, Fertilizer Management including composting)
- iii. Drip Irrigation Systems (New)
- iv. Equipment (New)
- v. Inputs (New)

REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBMITTING PROPOSALS

- i. All supporting document must accompany the proposal
- ii. Willingness/ability to make 5% equity contribution (in kind or in cash).

HOW MUCH WILL THE GRANT FUNDING PROVIDE

Maximum funding of US \$1,000.00 (\$2,688.20 XCD) per household. Beneficiary's contribution should be 5% equity, in kind.

HOW TO APPLY

Please send your applications to saep@saep.gov.gd on or before **Friday May 7, 2021**. Forms may be downloaded from the website saep.gov.gd. or can be collected at the Ministry of Agriculture Extension Division Offices and SAEP's Office, Ministry of Carriacou & Petit Martinique Affairs Office.