



EARTH Futures RTEP Project

Resiliency Through Egg Production

Empowerment & resiliency for
Guatemalan women
through **egg production**

Objective

At **RTEP** (Resiliency Through Egg Production), we contribute to food security and income diversification for farming families by establishing production units that enable them to market eggs **in a fair value chain**.

Intervention Model

- 1 Supply of materials and products to implement 70 production units (hen houses).
- 2 Skills training for each beneficiary in egg production techniques.
- 3 Group and individual technical assistance for data exchange.
- 4 Connection to fair markets to energize the local economy.
- 5 Involvement by each of the beneficiary producer organizations in all project activities.

What Makes this Project Unique

We provide support from the egg production process to **accessing fair markets**.



We **prioritize women-led families** with a desire to diversify their income.



We **focus on semi-free-range egg production** in which the **whole family participates**.



NUESTRO IMPACTO

70

women with a business model for food security and income diversification

210

people trained in sustainable egg production management

20

rural communities impacted



Thanks to EARTH University and Cargill we now have the opportunity to have laying hens in our house and we can sell eggs. In my family I had always grown and sold some vegetables from home, such as peas, chilli peppers, tomatoes and recently also strawberry, and now we can add eggs to our sale.



Manuela Carmelina Quino Morales



Partnership with



The **RTEP Project** is a reality thanks to Cargill's technical and financial support, enabling **EARTH Futures** and our partners to implement this initiative benefiting women in the department of Sololá, Guatemala.

If you are passionate about sustainable solutions and **supporting Guatemalan farmers to strengthen their livelihoods**, please get in touch with our team at infoearthfutures@earth.ac.cr

