



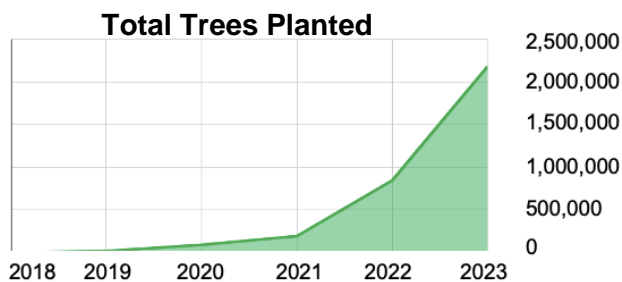
Seeking support to plant Food Forests in Guatemala

Purpose:

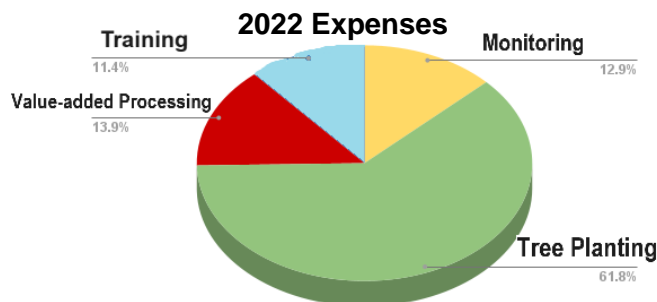
We work with indigenous communities to transition their land from slash-and-burn chemical monocultures into regenerative Food Forests. These projects build food security and climate resilience for underserved communities, while protecting biodiversity and sequestering carbon. Our Community Engagement Model, developed over 6 years, has empowered 33k farmers to plant and maintain 2,237,388 trees. We invite you to join the movement!

Highlights of the Contour Lines Model:

- **Scale:** From Feb 2019 to Dec 2023, we have planted in 13,168 Food Forests restoring 9,500 acres.
- **Momentum:** We've organized and trained a growing network of 374 communities in diverse regions. Our team of 55 field technicians expands to meet the increasing demand for Food Forests.
- **Cost-efficiency:** We have reduced planting costs by 70%, from \$671 to \$184 per acre.
- **High success rate:** Working with smallholder farmers on their own land contributes to our 95% tree survival rate. Our Community Engagement Model awards projects to those farmers who are most dedicated to regenerative farming methods, with continual supervision and training.
- **Financial sustainability:** Our value-added processing and marketing initiatives generate income for small farmers and are projected to financially sustain our tree planting initiatives by 2027



IMPACT	Trees Planted	Acres Restored	Food Forests	Support Needed
1 family	600	1.5	1	\$600
1 community	9,000	22.5	15	\$9,000
1 region	135,000	337.5	225	\$135,000



Outcomes:

Beyond just planting trees, Contour Lines restores land and empowers indigenous communities. Our technicians continually provide follow-up training, site monitoring, supervision, tools, and assistance with market access of harvests. These initiatives help achieve high success rates, as well as build lasting relationships with the communities.

GET INVOLVED:

Partake in planting Food Forests for lasting impacts. Our international supporters include Gone West, Reforest, Ecosystem Restoration Camps, Abundant Earth Foundation, Agroforestry Regeneration Communities, iGiveTrees, 1Treellion, World Centric and One Tree Planted, **as well as over 210 individual small donors.**

Make a tax-deductible donation to contribute to our 2.2 million tree-planting target for 2024. **Contact us to become part of the change!**