Scaling up the Agroecological sustainable agriculture in Kenya by the year 2030

In a quest to make Kenya a food sovereign country, The GROW BIOINTENSIVE Agriculture Centre of Kenya G-BIACK has continued to make deliberate efforts to scale up the agroecological practices among the small holder food producers all over the country so as to increase food production, reduce hunger, malnutrition and extreme poverty among the Kenyan population, thus contributing to the SDGs goals number 1; *end poverty in all its forms everywhere and 2; End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture.*

The organization has been looking for any possible and practical means to scale up the agroecological and sustainable agriculture practices using the available minimal resources. The goal has been to make Kenya an agroecological agriculture country by the year 2030 majoring mostly on the grow *Biointensive agriculture techniques*. Can this be possible? Yes

In order to do this, collaboration with farmer groups, community leaders and none governmental organizations like Pelum Kenya, a network of organizations in Kenya is making this possible.

In the recent past, G-BIACK in partnership with PELUM Kenya has managed to train over 50 farmer trainers (multipliers) who work directly with the farmers on the ground. These multipliers were drawn from all parts of the country and who are employed by different NGOs and who are members of Pelum Kenya.

G-BIACK is also planning to train 60 more multipliers before the end of the year. After training, G-BIACK will again make sure that follow up and visits has been done in order to help in the implementation of the activities. If G-BIACK continues to work in this manner, then the goal of making Kenya a food sovereign country will be realized by the year 2030!