

## **Crowd Funding to Develop Young Women Farmers in Limpopo**

Born to Succeed is applying 3Es Educate, Empower and Enable approach to young women development, we have learnt that a robust training programme is not enough to help women with little to no resources to pioneer but rather enablement lies at the cornerstone of success. Post our <u>International Day of Women and Girls in Science- Agronomy</u>, our young women now need to be supported with tangible assets to enable them to participate in the economy. **We are looking for your support though donating towards our Crowd Funding to raise funds to buy farming tools for our young women farmers.** Some key facts about Project Empower, Educate and Enable for Agriculture in Limpopo:

- Based in Limpopo Waterberg Municipality, participants are young unemployed women living in the area, recruited through the Labour Centre of Mokopane & Modimolle and Department of Social Development Limpopo
- On 11 February, Born to Succeed held an International Day of Women and Girls in Science, whereby we EMPOWERed young women with Agronomy knowledge. We identified young women interested in agriculture and in need of economic empowerment where we taught small holder farmer specific agronomy.
- Born to Succeed is coordinating their formation of cooperatives (hierarchical model) amongst the young women and now we need to purchase tools; wheel barrows, hose, hosepipes etc. for them so they can start farming. Post 3 months of tools being handed over, we will conduct a three-week leadership and entrepreneurship training week to EDUCATE the young women farmers. Lagae La Banareng Farms mentors the young women cooperatives "incubates" to help them succeed.



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