



**Donations are being accepted for this project!**

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**Business sponsors are welcome!**

Current partners include: Alamo RC&D, Boys & Girls Clubs of Bandera County, Lakehills United Methodist Church, Methodist Healthcare Ministries of South Texas Inc. Wesley Nurse, Patagonia Corp., CROPS Foundation of Indiana, National Association of RC&D Councils Youth Corp Program.

**KIDS MAKE IT HAPPEN!**  
**Kids learn about Gardening & How to Give Back to their Community!**  
**You can Help our Growing Rural Project Today!**

**Our Growing Rural ~ Growing SMART Garden Project in Lakehills, Texas will benefit The Boys & Girls Club of Bandera County.** Kids will help by planning, creating and fundraising in order to establish a raised bed vegetable garden to provide produce for those in need within the Lakehills area in Bandera County.

**Our Project helps Students to:**

- ☞ Become environmental stewards,
- ☞ Learn how to create and care for a raised bed garden,
- ☞ Assist those in need within Bandera County,
- ☞ Strengthen their Science, Math, Art, Research and Technology skills and learn how to write a grant proposal,
- ☞ Learn about philanthropy, volunteerism and how they can help make a difference,
- ☞ Complete a service learning project that will make a great impact in their local community!!

Local Youth ages 8 to 18 from the Boys & Girls Club will participate, along with their sponsors, parents/guardians, for this wonderful learning experience! **The Youth will make a difference in their community by helping others through volunteerism, leadership, commitment and dedication.**

Parents & Sponsors are encouraged to assist as volunteers or donors but this is a "student centered" project...**Growing Rural is for Kids to make their community a better place to live, work and play!!**

Meetings are held at the **Lakehills United Methodist Church** and the project will be developed at the church **Community Garden** in Lakehills, Texas. Times and schedule vary.

**Alamo Resource Conservation & Development Area Inc.**

*Saving our Environment, Empowering our Rural Communities.*

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