

# About Us

## **Community-Led Solutions for Food Security, Forest Protection, and Climate Resilience**

Alphome Community Farms is a community-led organization based in the Democratic Republic of Congo, working at the intersection of **agriculture, forestry, and climate action** to strengthen food security, protect forests, and empower local farmers, youth, and women.

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## **Who We Are**

We are a locally rooted social enterprise driven by the belief that lasting development must be built with — not for — communities.

Founded in eastern Congo, Alphome Community Farms partners with rural farmers, youth, women, and customary leaders to design and implement solutions that respond to real community needs while protecting the natural ecosystems that sustain them.

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## **What We Do**

### **1. Climate-Smart Agriculture**

We help smallholder farmers grow more food on less land while restoring soils and ecosystems: - Improved and climate-resilient seeds

- Conservation agriculture and soil regeneration
- Farmer field schools and demonstration plots
- Agroforestry integration on farms

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### **2. Community-Led Forest Protection**

We empower communities to monitor and defend their forests using data, technology, and local leadership:

- Satellite forest monitoring with Global Forest Watch
- Forest Watcher patrols and field verification
- Advocacy against mining and charcoal-driven deforestation
- Forest restoration and enrichment planting

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### **3. Youth & Women Empowerment**

We build the next generation of environmental leaders and green entrepreneurs: - Practical skills training and leadership development

- Green jobs and enterprise support
- Digital tools for farmers and forest monitors
- Community-based innovation hubs

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### **Our Values**

- **Community First:** Local leadership drives all our work
- **Integrity & Accountability:** Transparent, data-driven impact
- **Climate Justice:** Those most affected lead the solutions
- **Sustainability:** Long-term social, economic, and environmental value
- **Partnership:** Collaboration for scalable impact

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### **Our Vision**

A Democratic Republic of Congo where rural communities are food secure, forests are protected, and people thrive in harmony with nature.

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### **Our Mission**

To build resilient livelihoods and protect Congo's forests by empowering farmers, youth, and women with climate-smart agriculture, community forest monitoring, and sustainable economic opportunities.

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### **Why Alphome Matters**

By combining agriculture with forest protection and climate action, Alphome Community Farms delivers an integrated, scalable model that addresses food insecurity, deforestation, and poverty at the same time — creating durable impact for communities and for the planet.

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