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Scaling up good agricultural practices for the reuse of agricultural wastes Towards Rural Resilience in Fayoum (TRRF)

Location:	Egypt, Fayoum Governorate, Two districts and five communities in: Yousef El Sedik District (Kasr el Gebaly, Qaroon Waly, Al Shawashna) and Ibhaway District (Abo Gonsho, Sinaro El Bahria).
Description:	Improving the competitiveness of the agricultural products of famers, thus contributing to income increase and enhanced livelihoods through the organization and empowerment of farmers.
Duration:	30 months (Starting from March 2017).
Budget:	Euro 0.22 Million (EU Contribution 90%).
Implementing Entity:	Coptic Evangelical Organization for Social Services (CEOSS).
Partner Ministries:	Ministry of Agriculture and Land Reclamation (Lead Ministry); Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation; and Ministry of Local Development.
Overall Objective:	To establish resilient rural communities through alleviating poverty and improving livelihoods for small farmers by organizing them in local groups and empowering them to achieve income increase.
Specific Objective:	To establish a new replicable and measurable rural development model by applying the Territorial Approach to Rural Development that enables farmers to manage and preserve natural resources by applying sustainable agriculture methods.
Target Groups:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- 5 target rural communities.- 1,125 small farmers.- 25 Agriculture Extension Agency staff.
Expected Results:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- 1,125 small farmers organized in groups, working collectively, and selecting their representatives in elected committees;Of which:<ul style="list-style-type: none">"1,000 small farmers producing organic fertilizers""125 rural women optimizing the reuse of wastes"

