We had a fantastic experience with SeedMoney. Their website is aesthetically appealing, with an intuitive design. Their crowdfunding model is simple and effective. We easily reached our fundraising goal and strengthened our ties with our members and our community in the process. We look forward to working with SeedMoney in the future.

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Michelle-K  
Client Served  
07/25/2019  
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As an organization, Grow Local South Texas has a mission to grow a healthy, local community by improving access to, education about and advocacy for affordable, nutrient-

Writer  
Professional with expertise in this field  
02/14/2017  
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As a recently minted Grant Writer for The Kenai Peninsula Food Bank in Alaska, I was
dense foods. SeedMoney has helped us over the past few years to further this mission by improving healthy, local food access in a low food access neighborhood by providing funds to expand our Food Forest area where the neighborhood has 24 hr access to fresh fruits on our fruit trees (when in season). SeedMoney has also helped us further our mission in both areas of access and education by helping us rebuild our hoophouse which was heavily damaged during Hurricane Harvey. Our hoophouse allows us to start new plants and keep plant starts and young trees safe during adverse weather conditions. It is used in all of our educational programming, including our important youth education programs, and provides an easy and safe garden education area for our youngest garden visitors. It also furthers food access in our area by allowing us to increase our food-producing plant starts and keep them safe and healthy.

SeedMoney has been the easiest way for us to raise money from the community for our garden program every year. I feel confident telling funders that their donations are secure, and we get the most money back for the least amount of effort on our part. One of the best sustainable fundraising activities for
SeedMoney is a garden fundraising life saver! The site is easy to use, and Roger's email reminders with eye catching graphics and communication templates help you keep your campaign moving right along towards your goal. I've been using SeedMoney for the past several years, and I can't imagine a better way to crowdfund for school gardens. Keep up the amazing work!

SeedMoney offers an easy user experience, and connected us to a broader network of farm and food champs. Thanks for helping us reach more people and engage them in our work.

SeedMoney is a terrific organization. We worked with them to raise funds for one of
our garden projects. They have a very easy to use website and user portal, and have just terrific support. We really enjoyed working with them and will participate next year! Any organization that is considering raising funds for a garden project should check them out!

SeedMoney delivered a newly charged crowdfunding campaign specific to our mission. This saved us time in bringing our request to our network of supporter. SeedMoney's challenge grants offered additional leverage in bringing in more donors.
Working with SeedMoney helped us empower a group of 10 Ebola affected women who had no source of income and food security. The garden project has given the women some level of food security and source of income. They are now able to provide food for their children and other family members plus send their children to school.

SeedMoney provided Mayo Gardens with an easy and successful way to fundraise for a public elementary school garden. We appreciate the opportunity to work with SeedMoney. We are grateful to also be the recipients of a mini-grant from SeedMoney. This is a smart platform that allows more fundraising to occur for more organizations. Thank you, SeedMoney!

Wow!

SeedMoney made it so easy to raise the money, extremely easy. A reminder was always send when to post something to fb or any other social media. A statement was also written for you to post it to social media. All I had to do a few clicks and maybe a little
SeedMoney has helped the Master Gardeners expand food gardening experiences for detained youths at our Juvenile Justice Center. This included developing an indoor grow area and an outdoor hoop house to help us teach them about a broad range of food gardening experiences. Further, SeedMoney helped us work with refugee homeowners at 7 Habitat for Humanity homes to allow them to grow some of their own food. This fundraising approach was easy and attracted many new donors to our efforts.

When and if this is available to us again, I will take full advantage of it again. Maybe this time pay a little more attention and fire away more email and more social media, too.

Thank you SeedMoney for all your hard work.
Over the years SeedMoney has provided us with resources to increase the size and yield of our Community Garden. We are able to provide produce to community members through area food banks.

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SeedMoney did a great job with communication and follow through. If I had a question, I got an immediate response. Building the fundraiser page was very easy and intuitive. We were selected for the $100 gift card bonuses, so we are thrilled to be able to get started on our raised beds for our seniors.

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The Rural Community Action Ministry Community Garden provides fresh vegetables to 13 food pantries in the 14 rural towns in Central and Western Maine served by RCAM - The project's mission is to increase access to fresh and nutritious foods for the very low-
income rural isolated residents experiencing financial crisis. SeedMoney was key this past year in helping RCAM strengthen its support with the food pantry network as it increased our ability to make weekly deliveries from the bounty of our Community Garden and coordinate resources. Although our SeedMoney crowdfunding goal fell short in financial terms, it surpassed expectations by increasing awareness and visibility of the food insecurity and daily hunger so many of our rural residents face. This resulted in a generous donation of a roadside stand now used to offer free veggies to anyone in need. Local gardeners frequently leave their extra veggies at the stand and it has become a "hub" for veggie distribution. Thanks to SeedMoney, RCAM's Community Garden project has new energy and capacity to increase its support for our food pantries.

This is an amazing nonprofit with the world in mind! Raising funds to offer grants as well as the ability for the participants to raise funds for their nonprofit garden projects is a fantastic way to make the world a better place. We raised a little money as well as were awarded a $400 merit grant from SeedMoney. The process was easy and the support from SeedMoney was astounding! At this time we do not have photos of the garden as it is a beginning project, but will be more than happy to share as we progress! :)

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Writer
SeedMoney helped our project get funding to expand our program capacity and purchase much-needed resources. Their website interface and support made the crowdfunding process seamless!
Isaiah 55, Inc. grows food to offer healthy alternatives to the homeless and less fortunate. SeedMoney has helped us get needed tools, supplies and seeds for our mission. Because of seedmoney there are people who learned about fresh healthy foods and tasted fresh healthy foods.

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Seedmoney.org is a small organization with a big footprint! The gardens who have applied for fundraising and challenge /merit grants spans the entire globe!

It has helped our community garden fundraise thru our members the past 2 years and we are honored to have received merit grants both years. Roger is so very helpful with those of us who are a bit "Tech challenged" get our message out and make the presentations look beautiful online.

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SeedMoney has been a great way for us to bring awareness to our school garden and get our local community involved in raising funds to keep our garden growing for our students. The goal challenge has created excitement in our community to reach fundraising goals to win additional grants from SeedMoney. We have used the funds to maintain the garden purchase plants, items, and adaptive tools for our students that cannot use traditional gardening tools.
C-Edwards
Client Served
07/24/2019

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SeedMoney's crowdfunding challenge was the perfect avenue for our program's first fundraiser. After seven years of serving foster and at-risk youth, our tool supply was greatly depleted. With the money raised through SeedMoney's crowdfunding challenge we were able to restock our garden shed just in time for the 2019 season. Thank you!!

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Volunteer 02/13/2017

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We are so grateful that SeedMoney helped us more than double the amount of money that we raised toward our project the Green Bay Garden Blitz. Our project has started more than 349 gardens our out community including school gardens, food pantries, shelters and agencies that work with low income individuals.

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Writer
Board Member
02/08/2017

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They money we raised through SeedMoney will go far to help Kalindi Village in Zambia start its farming project, and ultimately benefit the village, its school and the children. SeedMoney allowed us to tap a source of funds other than the usual for a specific purpose of high priority to one of our Zambia partners.
We applaud SeedMoney and its imaginative funding mechanism. It is clearly filling a need, both at home and abroad.

BethanyTaft
Client Served
07/24/2019

SeedMoney allowed my students their first crack at attempting to raise funding for our garden in an accessible, fun way. It spurred good conversation amongst students and families and resulted in people beyond just our garden club students becoming interested and involved in the garden, including parents! This was a huge encouragement to students even though we didn't hit our funding goals. The money we did raise however, went to building new garden beds, which has led to a renewed sense of

nweidner
Volunteer 02/06/2017

I feel so fortunate to have connected with Seed Money! From the beginning seed money has supported us during the entire process-helping our small garden in Colombia have a bigger platform to raise money and be part of a big picture - it is wonderful to feel part of a larger movement of planting the seeds for children, education and connecting people in their communities. We look forward to sending photos as our project grows! Thank you, Seed Money!!!
accomplishment and pride in the garden from all the students involved.

**CWilkes**
Client Served 07/24/2019

**cirrinc**
Volunteer 01/29/2017

Thanks to SeedMoney for helping us sustain our community garden.

**Waalpoort**
Client Served 01/27/2017

SeedMoney is a remarkable initiative and is run most professionally indeed! Throughout the campaign, ideas and information are forth-coming. The campaign has made it
Fundraising for an all-volunteer group is always a challenge, being from a small town, we have limited options on who to approach and how often we can "hit up" someone for garden fundraising. The ease of working with SeedMoney not only expands our potential sponsor pool but reinforces our professionalism in fundraising activities. We have been sponsored from individuals who have no or little connections with the Deep South, but do understand the efforts to improve lives we are striving for. We rely on the work SeedMoney does to keep our community service moving and growing.

SeedMoney is a wonderful resource for school and community gardens everywhere! They make it easy to apply, easy to ask for donations, and they're incredibly generous with the grants they give.

Reviewer:
Professional with expertise in this field
01/25/2017

Rating: 5 stars

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Isaiah 55, Inc. is a nonprofit that grows food for the less fortunate. We operate with donations from kind hearted people and committed volunteers. We have been honored to participate in the SEED MONEY fundraiser for two years now. We were so pleased to receive a $200 grant this year. $200 can go a very long way in gardening.
Thank you Seed Money for the opportunity.

Circuit Pointe
Client Served 02/05/2018

Just when we thought we couldn't raise funds for our project..Voila! Seed money swooped in and supported us through their 30-day campaign! They were very supportive, motivated and inspired us! We think they do an amazing job.

At the Giving Garden of Twin Ponds in Shoreline, WA, we run all our efforts with donations and volunteers. Gathering funds is so difficult and it is hard for us to reach our own community. As gardeners who want to be in the garden, we are so grateful for SEEDMONEY! Their platform helps us reach our community, raise the funds we need to be successful growing food for our local foodbank, and most important to us - keeps us in the garden sharing our love of growing with our community. Thank you SeedMoney!

mcunningham_ZONE
Professional with expertise in this field
01/24/2017

We've done crowdfunding grants with SeedMoney for the last two years. They work quickly and provide an amazing and straightforward platform for setting up and soliciting donations. This has allowed us to focus on doing the work instead of worrying...
The Seed Money nonprofit has been the easiest grant to apply for and the emails and support excellent. I am a Master Gardener in California, San Joaquin County. I am so happy this organization is doing such a great job.

This campaign was not only excellent, but a lot of fun. There was outstanding support from Roger and individual questions were answered within hours. I also appreciated all the media support with pictures and ideas for Facebook posts. Thank you for opening up this opportunity to us!

- Lynn Kampfer Harvesting 4 Haiti
We are a very small organization that has struggled mightily with fundraising. In the past we have hosted events that take a LOT of resources in terms of volunteer time to plan, promote and execute. This SeedMoney campaign was the least resource intensive fundraiser we have ever conducted - and brought in MORE MONEY than any event we have ever put on. We are thrilled and grateful!

- Ann Beman
The Neighborhood Farm Initiative Mamie D Lee Community Garden

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I run a small community garden in CT and we are in constant need of funds for garden
greatnonprofits509
Board Member
02/01/2018

SeedMoney is a valuable organization, helping so many types of gardens raise necessary funds. As a small community garden, we know how hard it is to raise funds for the many expenses in maintaining and growing a productive garden. SeedMoney's website and grant process was easy to navigate, full of useful information, and is an inspiration to gardeners who view it. We encourage gardens of any size and type to take advantage what SeedMoney has to offer.

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wtdixon3
Professional with expertise in this field
02/01/2018

upkeep. SeedMoney is a wonderful organization! Through a recent crowdfunding campaign they ran, I was able to raise $1,000 in two days just by working my Face Book connections.

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The WSU Master Gardeners have participated in the SeedMoney challenge for two years. It was a very easy and effective way to raise money online from our current supporters and people across the country who we didn't know. As a result, we built an indoor grow area and are building a hoop house for the incarcerated youths at the Juvenile Justice Center. These at-risk kids really appreciate the help you are providing to turn their lives around. Thanks and best wishes.
communication was great, answered all questions. We will use them again for future fund raising

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jberlyoung  
Advisor 01/21/2018

SeedMoney is a great organization helping smaller gardens like ours where we might not have enough funding otherwise. We are a church-based garden that donates 40% to the local food pantry which feeds 2500 individuals on an annual basis. Due to the SeedMoney crowdfunding platform, we raised funds not only from church members and local community members, but others in our far-reaching social media world that felt strongly about our mission and ministry. Including the SeedMoney grant, we received over $1500 to purchase a shed to house tools on our toddler-aged garden. Thank you SeedMoney for helping us reach that goal and feed more community members in the future! We are grateful!
What an incredible platform to share our mission of cultivating healthy minds and bodies through organic schoolyard gardens! SeedMoney allowed us the opportunity to reach a wide variety of supporters, who donated money towards our goal of providing
sheds and seating at our Elementary School gardens! We look forward to future opportunities to collaborate as we continue empowering our youth through fresh organic produce!

-The Edible Peace Patch Project

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**Georgetown G.**
Advisor 01/19/2018

Amazing opportunity to raise money for a project that other grantors don't look at due to our small school and low enrollment. Very thankful they give us the opportunity to participate and reward our work! Thank you so much!

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Janet P.1
Client Served
01/19/2018

We are a small, democratic school in Kennebunk, ME. on a shoestring budget. Thanks to Seed Money, we can purchase new supplies and seeds for our brand new greenhouse that our students and teacher built themselves (with the help of a few adult volunteers).

Our Organic Gardening/Greenhouse Curriculum is designed to introduce our
students to the joy and satisfaction that comes from growing organic vegetables and herbs from seed – through 4 seasons. They'll visit the growing number of CSA's and Farmer’s Markets in our area to learn how farmers make their living. They will also learn about nutrition, soil and plant science, botany, biodiversity, permaculture, economics and history – and get to be outdoors exercising as they learn. But our most important goal is to create life-long gardeners.

Our class is currently constructing a permanent greenhouse where we can grow greens during the winter and start seedlings in early spring. Marylyn Wentworth, an organic gardener for 50 years, is leading the class from designing the greenhouse, to choosing what seeds to order and then learning how to plant, cultivate and harvest them both indoors and in the outdoor garden. We'll start by growing heirloom varieties that will withstand Maine's short growing season. Thank you SEED MONEY – you're helping to create a new generation of gardeners!

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In 2016, revenues from the sale of chile powder produced at The Crazy Chile Farm in Mesa AZ, funded 27,500 pounds of food for Hurricane Harvey relief. We also funded over 25,000 meals for food bank distribution agencies in Arizona. Thanks to the monies raised through SeedMoney, we are expanding
the Farm and adding a greenhouse to better control seedling production! Many thanks!!

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Linda471
Adviser 03/11/2017

SeedMoney makes it easy for our Giving Garden, Growing Food to Share project to raise funds to continue our work in growing fresh produce to donate to the food insecure in our area. Relevant communications, a website that is easy to navigate, and the ability to watch the donations 'grow' are excellent features of this nonprofit.

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gardendoggie
Board Member
02/21/2017

The Kennebunk Community Garden's experience with SeedMoney.org is extremely positive. Because of them: 1) We have been made more aware of the degree of food insecurity that exists in our country. 2) We have learned that we as a community garden, can in fact help to alleviate this situation at the local level. 3) Being the recipient of grant funds has allowed us to better maintain our garden, purchase more seeds, thus increasing our weekly yield.
of produce which enables us to donate more to our local food pantries. SeedMoney.org MAKES A DIFFERENCE AND A VERY POSITIVE ONE.
money through SeedMoney has been a breeze! Roger has worked with us through every step and has kept in great contact. Our Community Garden is flushing and with the help of the finds we have raised using SeedMoney the last two years we have been able to get a children's summer gardening program up off the ground!