

SURE PROJECT

PROJECT SUMMARY

SUstainable Rural Economic Development Project

Project Cost: \$3,900,000

Project Length: 2016-2019

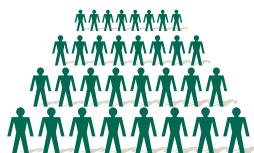
OVERVIEW |

One in three children in Myanmar experiences stunted growth due to malnutrition. Compared to New Zealand, more than 10 times the number of children under five die every year.

The story behind these statistics is the great difficulty families have in providing adequate nutrition or earning an income that can support their growth, health and education. The Sustainable Rural Economic (SURE) Development Project will work in 12 villages in Myanmar's Chin State to ensure families have the skills and resources they need to produce more nutritious and profitable crops, while at the same time taking better care of their environment.

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Potential increase in profits thanks to ADRA's training and support.



7,000 people will be directly impacted through this project.



900,000 required for this project to take place.

ACTIVITIES |

The key activities for this project include:

- ♦ Training 1200 farmers to grow more profitable crops in a sustainable way.
- ♦ Construction of irrigation systems to allow an additional growing season and make rural agricultural land more sustainable and profitable.
- ♦ Providing support for farmers to improve profits in both local and international markets.

IMPACT |

This project will impact thousands of families by increasing their harvest through more productive and sustainable farming techniques, providing access to more profitable local and international markets and see innovative irrigation systems installed to allow a more diverse range of crops to be grown.

As a result, families who once relied on UN food rations to survive will produce enough not only to survive, but provide an income that will kick-start their journey out of poverty

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THEIN'S STORY |

"About 10 years ago the weather was really good so we could survive from farming," says Thein, a generous-spirited father of four. "But now the weather is different and we can't grow enough to live."

Last year, Thein joined an ADRA project to learn sustainable agriculture and farming techniques.

"ADRA helped us gain more knowledge and now we feel hopeful that life will get better. It may be too late for my sons to have a better life," he says, "But I have hopes that other children in the village will benefit from the ADRA project. I hope we can create jobs for them here instead of sending them away."



DONATE |

Your gift can make an amazing difference:

- ✦ \$20 - can provide a farmer with access to a community seedling nursery
- ✦ \$50 - can provide a vegetable mill to help a farmer increase their profits.
- ✦ \$85 - can provide a farmer with all the tools they will need to grow crops more sustainably and profitably.
- ✦ Or, join the ADRA Family by committing to a regular, monthly gift.

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GET INVOLVED |

- ✦ Become an ADRA Prayer Warrior and pray for our work, staff and the people we work with.
- ✦ Get your hands dirty by joining an ADRA Connections trip and visit one of our projects overseas. It will be a truly life-changing experience!
- ✦ Advocate for change and help share the amazing things happening in New Zealand and around the world by joining our ADRA New Zealand's Justice Action Network.
- ✦ Make a difference in your community by starting a project in your local community through our National Programme.



RAISE FUNDS |

Planning a birthday, anniversary or other special occasion? Ready to ride your bike, shave your head or do something similarly amazing? Turn your event into something life-changing by raising funds for a project just list this. Contact us to find out how!

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