# INFORMATION FLYER FOR PELUM KENYA'S 2<sup>ND</sup> NETWORKING SYMPOSIUM



## DATE: FRIDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2019 VENUE: KCB SPORTS CLUB GROUNDS, NAIROBI

Theme: Agroecology for Healthy and Climate Resilient Communities



PELUM Kenya Chairman making a Position Statement on Agro Ecology During the Inaugural Networking Symposium in 2018

#### **About PELUM Kenya**

Participatory Ecological Land Use Management (PELUM) Kenya is a membership networking organization founded in 1995 which promotes people driven development towards sustainable land use management. PELUM Kenya facilitates learning, networking and advocacy on agro ecology and sustainable natural resource management for improved livelihoods. The ecological land use management practices applied by the members include: Organic farming, Bio intensive, Conservation Agriculture, Sustainable Agriculture, Permaculture technologies, Environmental Conservation among others. PELUM-Kenya is part of the greater PELUM Association family comprised of over 220 member organizations in 12 countries of East, Central and Southern Africa: Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania, Rwanda, Zambia, Botswana, Lesotho, Zimbabwe, Malawi, South Africa. PELUM Kenya is a chapter of the PELUM family and has 52 member organizations located in 19 Counties and operating in 42 Counties countrywide. The members are categorized in to 6 networking zones.

Our Vision: Empowered and prosperous communities deriving their livelihoods from sustainable land use

**Our Mission:** To promote participatory ecological land use principles and management practices for improved livelihoods among small scale farmers and pastoralists

### **Objectives of the Networking symposium**

- ⇒ Show case to the general public the work of PELUM Kenya Member Organizations in promoting Agroecology for increased community resilience against the negative impact of climate change
- ⇒ Provide a platform for PELUM Kenya Member Organizations to show case their work in promoting marketing of organic products
- ⇒ Provide a platform for learning and sharing among PELUM Kenya Member Organizations and other stakeholders hence creating a firm exposition for increased horizontal networking between and among its member organizations.
- ⇒ Provide an opportunity for the various stakeholders from government, private and public sectors to engage PELUM Kenya Member Organizations in order to understand what they are doing in pursuit of PELUM Kenya's mission and how they complement the on-going local, national, regional development flagships / initiatives? These include Vision 2030, the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), Agenda 2063 and the strengthening community resilience.
- ⇒ Release a Statement on the stand the position of PELUM Kenya network regarding various pertinent issues affecting small holder farmers and also propose solutions on how they can be tackled and managed.

### Section of Exhibitors & Awards During 2018 Inaugural Networking Symposium



*Invited Guests:* PELUM Kenya 52 Member Organizations, Representatives from Funding Partners, like minded organizations, Agriculture Service Providers, Diplomats and senior programme officers from local embassies, National Government, County Government, Media (TV, Print and Radio)

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