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Join a Black Soldier Fly Derived Compost On-Farm Research

WHY BLACK SOLDIER FLY COMPOSTING?

- Generate compost and insect protein for animal husbandry.
- Reduce organic waste streams.
- Create healthy and uncontaminated soils.
- Increase economic and ecological vitality in urban food systems.
- Increase self-reliance and autonomy.

PROJECT DURATION AND TIME COMMITMENT*

2 years (2025-2026)
May-Sept. 2hrs/week
*Participant honorarium included

Sign up to be considered for an on-farm participatory study to help identify how insect-derived composting with black soldier fly larvae can help improve soil health and crop yields within urban communities. As an urban or peri-urban farmer, by participating in this project you will have the opportunity to generate two economically viable products: soil amendment and animal feed.

SIGN UP

PROJECT DETAILS

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