RASS is a FPO-Farmer Producer Organisation (group of farmers, persons with disability-farmers, farmer-families of persons with disability). They focus on improving livelihood and self-sustainability of small and marginal farmers by diverting from commercial crops to profitable other produces and better practices in commercial crops. RASS engages in group farming and mainly focused on production of seeds, forming farmers groups, assist in various stages for forming as FPO and other activities with 400+ farmers group (and increasing). Presently working in 3 surround villages in Mahabubnagar District of Telangana as model project

RASS approached ABI ICRISAT to avail technical and business incubation support for promotion of FPO’s through capacity building, training and funding assistance.
Products

Training to resource persons on
Building groups,
Forming FPO,
Support in Registration
Training on administration.

Seed Research
Seed Production
Breeder Production,
Foundation Seed Production

Seed Packing
Seed Marketing
Vermi compost
Organic Fertilizers
Organic Agri Produces
Incubation support from ABI-ICRISAT

**Area of business:** Farmer Producer Organizations & Seed Business

**ABI support:**

- Plan, Organize, Coordinate and Manage Seed business
- Scouting and Identification of entrepreneurs
- Capacity Building
- Facilitate Breeder and Foundation seeds
- Quality Control (QC) Systems
- Development of information and communication technology and MIS Promotion and Publicity; Seed Business license etc