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A New Well for Baker Bridge Farm in Lincoln

February 15, 2017 -- Lincoln, MA – Thanks to the generosity of the Ogden Codman Trust and the Llewellyn Foundation, The Food Project has begun the construction of an additional well for the Baker Bridge Farm in Lincoln. The well will irrigate nearly a third of the farmland of the 31-acre farm. Produce from the farm is distributed to local food pantries, The Food Project's SNAP-accessible Dudley Town Common Farmers Market, and supplies hundreds of Community Supported Agriculture shares.

"The Ogden Codman Trust and the Llewellyn Foundation grants will provide vital infrastructure improvements for our Lincoln farm," said J. Harrison, executive director of The Food Project. "After the past summer's record-setting drought, which caused devastating crop losses on the farm, we are grateful to have a sufficient and reliable source of water on the north side of the farm for this upcoming growing season."

The Ogden Codman Trust is a perpetual charitable foundation established by the will of Dorothy S. F. M. Codman. Grants from the Ogden Codman Trust have supported a wide range of organizations and causes within the Town of Lincoln for over 45 years.

The Llewellyn Foundation funds initiatives that address the health, education and well-being of individuals, families and communities. The Llewellyn Foundation has provided funding through grants to The Food Project since 2011.

To find out how you can support The Food Project's mission to create a thoughtful and productive community of youth and adults from diverse backgrounds who work together to build a sustainable food system, visit [The Food Project on the web](#).

About The Food Project

Since their founding in 1991, The Food Project has grown into a nationally-recognized non-profit organization that works at the intersection of youth, food, and community. For more than 25 years, The Food Project has brought youth and adults from diverse backgrounds together on their farms to produce healthy food for residents of the city and suburbs to build a local and sustainable food system. The organization believes that food is a unique vehicle for creating personal and social change. The Food Project aims to transform our food system into an equitable and inclusive model that is community-controlled and supports food justice for all.

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