# *Thank you for your commitment to green initiatives at the University of Illinois. One of the ongoing requirements listed in the terms of the funding agreement for your project is the submission of semesterly reports with key information about your project. In addition to this form, please provide additional financial documentation and/or progress photos if available.*

# *Please be as accurate as possible in describing the project (including possible setbacks or challenges in meeting the initial goals of the project). Not fully meeting your project's goals will not disqualify you from making future funding requests as long as your reports are as complete and accurate as possible. If you have any questions, please contact the Student Sustainability Committee, at* *sustainability-committee@illinois.edu**.*

**Project Name:** Illinois Sustainable Food Project – Pumpkin Puree

**Date of Report Submission:** Spring 2018 – Semester Report

**Project Purpose:**

The project will allow many more products to be made from materials grown at the SSF and elsewhere on campus. This includes pumpkins and squash, as well as nuts, produce, and grains. Final products include purees, pastes, slurries, and nut butters. This is an expansion on the existing ISFP capability.

**Detailed Accounting of Expenditures to Date:**

Expenses to date on this project are minor. Equipment is held in purchasing, awaiting PO release.

**Project Progress to Date:**

The project has had many successful test trials using small amounts of product in our test kitchen, and we are anxiously awaiting the production equipment to arrive to start using more of the produce that is being grown.

**Student Involvement and Outreach to Date:**

The students have been involved in the test recipe work and equipment specification, and will be involved in production as the equipment arrives.

**Marketing and Promotion Efforts to Date:**

This particular project has not been marketed heavily yet, but the greater ISFP program has significant resources devoted to marketing of all projects involved.

**Additional Comments:**

Any additional comments/relevant information for the semesterly report