Update on 30 September 2020: The tender closing date has been extended to <u>1</u> <u>December 2020, 12 noon</u>. This is to allow for more time for tenderers to submit their proposals, following a corrigendum published on the SFA website (30 September 2020).

SFA LAUNCHES TENDER FOR 2 LAND PARCELS FOR FOOD FARMING AT LIM CHU KANG AND SUNGEI TENGAH

The Singapore Food Agency (SFA) has launched 2 land parcels for food farming at Lim Chu Kang and Sungei Tengah for sale by public tender today:

- (i) 1 land parcel for general agriculture (food) farming; and
- (ii) 1 land parcel for vegetable farming
- 2. The land parcel for general agriculture (food) farming may be used to farm food crops, seafood, quail eggs, cattle/goats for dairy milk and food frogs.
- 3. With less than 1% of land set aside for agriculture food production, our farms have to make efficient use of scarce resources such as land, water and energy. Farms should leverage technology to increase productivity and be sustainable and resilient against climate change.
- 4. Five tranches of farmland for tender has been released since 2017, with this being the sixth tranche. Proposals that can achieve high production levels sustainably will have a higher chance of being awarded these new land parcels. Proposals will be assessed on their production capability, track record, relevant experience and qualifications as well as innovation and business sustainability including waste management.
- 5. "Moving forward, the plans and schedule for future land tenders will be tailored to support promising farms to achieve the high food production levels required to meet our "30-by-30" goal. SFA is also studying how the larger Lim Chu Kang agriculture area can be redeveloped to enhance our food production, considering feedback from farm operators for centralised facilities and services, as well as circular economy principles. SFA will work with farms, including successful tenderers in the land sales

exercises, towards an exciting vision for Lim Chu Kang," said Mr Melvin Chow, SFA's Senior Director, Food Supply Resilience.

- 6. Details of the land parcels can be found in <u>Annex 1</u> and the location plans are in Annex 2. The tender for the land parcels will close at 12 noon on 10 November 2020.
- 7. More details on the land parcels, and the tender packet containing details and conditions of tender of the land parcels are available for download on the SFA website at www.sfa.gov.sg/landsales.

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Annex 1

LOCATION	LOT NO./MK	PERMITTED	LAND AREA	LEASE TERM
	NO.	FARM TYPE	(sqm)	(years)
LCK 114C at	Lot 1936V MK	General	10,000.1	20
Neo Tiew	12	agriculture		
Crescent		(food) farming		
ST 35A at	Lot 3688C MK	Vegetable	11,917.1	20
Sungei	11	farming		
Tengah Road				

Annex 2



