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April 1, 2005

Dr. A.G. Kawamura, Secretary California Department of Food and Agriculture 1220 N Street Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Dr. Kawamura:

In compliance with the provisions of Section 2279 of the California Food and Agriculture Code, I respectfully submit this report of the agricultural production for the City and County of San Francisco for the calendar year 2004. This report reflects only gross value of production and does not indicate net farm income or cost of production and marketing.

This report is part of a larger City and County Food and Agriculture report that will more thoroughly review food systems activities and issues. The larger report, San Francisco Food Systems Food and Agriculture Report Card, will reflect not only production issues that concern the City and County, but also examine distribution, consumption and recycling matters in order to facilitate more effective and sustainable food systems policies and programs that are meaningful for our diverse communities. This report card will be issued in the summer of 2005.

During last fiscal year, the Mayor's Office with the Board of Supervisors dissolved the Department of Consumer Assurances which housed the Agriculture and Weights and Measures Programs. Currently, these programs are in the process of being integrated into the Department of Public Health's Occupational and Environmental Health Section. During this transition, all agriculture standards, regulatory compliance and enforcement activities have remained intact. We continue to appreciate the patience and understanding from State and local agencies regarding all reporting procedures. This agricultural production report was diligently compiled by our Agriculture Biologists with contributions from City and County producers, processors, and government agencies.

Sincerely,

Fernando F. Ona

CC: Mayor Gavin Newsom, City and County of San Francisco The Honorable Board of Supervisors, City and County of San Francisco Dr. Mitch Katz, M.D., Director of San Francisco Department of Public Health Members of the Health Commission, City and County of San Francisco

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2004 City and County of San Francisco Crop Report



Harvey Milk Farm to School Salad Bar



South of Market Community Garden



Ferry Plaza Farmer's Market Shoppers



EBT / Food Stamps at Heart of the City Farmer's Market

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NURSERY PRODUCTS Cut Flower and Indoor Decorative	AREA	GROSS VALUE
Orchids	176, 000 sq. ft.	\$ 541,000
Maiden Hair Fern	2,000 sq. ft.	\$ 14,500
Cuttings	45, 000 sq. ft.	\$ 18,750
Total	223, 000 sq. ft.	\$ 574, 250
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OTHER FARM PRODUCTS	AREA	GROSS VALUE
Wheatgrass	38, 100 sq. ft.	\$ 25,000
Bean Sprouts	5, 500 sq. ft.	\$ 845,000
Soybean Sprouts	3, 000 sq. ft.	\$ 312,000
Alfalfa Sprouts	3, 000 sq. ft.	\$ 85,800
Total	49, 600 sq. ft.	\$ 1, 267, 800
PROCESSED PRODUCTS	AREA	GROSS VALUE
Tofu	3, 000 sq. ft.	\$ 62,400
Cabbage (Salad)	4, 800 sq. ft.	\$ 10,400
Lettuce (Salad)	4, 800 sq. ft.	\$ 10, 400
Total	12, 600 sq. ft.	\$ 83, 200
NURSERY PRODUCTION	5.3 ACRES	
MISCELLANEOUS	1.5 ACRES	
TOTAL	6.6 ACRES	\$ 1, 925, 250



St. Mary's Farm Site, Southern Bernal Heights



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