

Farm Name:

## Whole Farm Plan for Hmong Farmers

### I. Whole Farm Goals

This Year:

Five Years Out:

### II. Evaluation of Current Resources

Human Resources (Personal and Family Farm Interests & Skills):

Natural Resources (Land, Soil, Water, Other):

Physical Resources (Buildings, Equipment, Other):

Market Resources:

Financial Resources:

Community Resources:

*(Attach Photos on Front Cover)*

### III. Marketing Assessment & Plan

Marketing Options:

Location(s):

Target Market Description:

Competition:

Demand for Product/Service

Unique Product Attributes (features to highlight):

Promotional Materials & Advertising Ideas:

### IV. Enterprise Requirements (include challenges & possible solutions)

Climate (Requirements, Challenges & Solutions):

Soils:

Water:

Buildings & Fencing:

Machinery:

Labor:

Regulatory/Liability Factors:

V. Crop Production Plan

Type of Enterprise/Crops:

Crop	Acreage	% of Total Land

**Soil & Crop Fertility Management**

General Soil Types & Location:

Major Components of Crop & Soil Fertility Management Program:

Methods for Monitoring Effectiveness of Program:

**Starting Seeds, Bulbs, and Seedlings**

Sources, Suppliers, & Specifications:

Materials Needed (Soil Mix, Fertilizers, and other Inputs):

Greenhouse Specifications:

Watering System:

Other Season Extension:

Greenhouse Crop/Seedling Insect & Disease Control:

**Crop Rotation Plan**

Describe:

**Cover Crop/Green Manure Use**

Describe:

**Compost Use**

On-Farm Materials to be composted:

**Manure Use**

Source & Type (On-Farm or Off-Farm, Species):

Method of Composting:

Treatment, if Any Before Use (Composting, Tea):

Uses for Manure:

Uses for Compost:

Potential Problems

Crop Production Plan, Continued

<p><b>Additional Soil Amendments to be used</b> Describe:</p>	<p><b>Tilling, Preparation &amp; Cultivation Practices</b> List:</p> <p>Machinery/Equipment Needed:</p>
<p><b>Water Use</b> Describe Needs:</p> <p>Sources:</p> <p>Water Quality Protection Practices:</p>	<p><b>Natural Resources Management</b> Soil Conservation Practices to be used:</p> <p>Practices to Minimize Soil Erosion:</p>
<p><b>Weed Management Plan Summary</b> Monitoring &amp; Identification of Weeds:</p> <p>Issues:</p> <p>Strategies to be used:</p>	<p><b>Insect &amp; Pest Management Summary</b> Anticipated/Expected Pests:</p> <p>Monitoring &amp; Identification of Pests:</p> <p>Economic Threshold:</p> <p>Strategies for Control:</p>
<p><b>Disease Management Summary</b> Anticipated/Expected Problems:</p> <p>Disease Monitoring &amp; Identification:</p> <p>Strategies for Prevention/Treatment:</p>	<p><b>Harvest &amp; Storage</b> Methods:</p> <p>Facilities/Equipment:</p> <p>Processing or Transportation Concerns:</p>

## VI. Optional Livestock Production Plan

<p><b>Production System Overview</b> Describe Goals of Livestock Operation:</p>   <p>Species &amp; Number of Animals:</p>   <p>Organic, Natural, or Conventional:</p>	<p><b>Sources of Animals</b> Current Stock:</p>   <p>Future Stock:</p>   <p>Breeding Stock:</p>   <p>Herd Replacements:</p>   <p>Type of breeding to be Practice On-Farm:</p>
<p><b>Feed</b> Types of Feed Required by Livestock Type:</p>   <p>Estimated Daily, Monthly, or Yearly Feed Volume:</p>   <p>Raise Feed On-Farm (Details):</p>   <p>Purchase Feed (Sources):</p>   <p>Feed Storage:</p>	<p><b>Pasture/Grazing Plan</b> Livestock to be pastured:</p>   <p>Rotation Schedule:</p>   <p>Duration of Rotation:</p>   <p>Access to Shelter:</p>   <p>Supplemental Feed:</p>   <p>Forage Mix:</p>
<p><b>Water</b> Sources:</p>   <p>Volume Required:</p>	<p><b>Housing</b> Barns or Shelters:</p>   <p>Heating/Cooling:</p>   <p>Bedding:</p>   <p>Access to Outdoors:</p>

Livestock Production Plan, Continued

<p><b>Animal Care &amp; Management Summary</b></p> <p>Animal ID Method:</p> <p>Type of Recordkeeping:</p> <p>Preventative Health Methods:</p>  <p>Veterinarian:</p>  <p>Transportation:</p>  <p>Pest Management Strategies:</p>	<p><b>Processing</b></p> <p>Slaughter Method:</p>   <p>Available Facilities:</p>   <p>Transportation:</p>   <p>Inspection/Certification:</p>   <p>Other Processing Details:</p>
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Additional Notes:

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