

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR SUBSISTENCE PRODUCERS

Gauteng subsistence producers who play a vital role in ensuring local food security, can now receive assistance from Gauteng Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (GDARD). GDARD hereby calls for 2025/2026 financial year applications for subsistence producers within the Province. Accordingly, subsistence producers are urged to apply.

The application forms are available at GDARD offices across Gauteng. All applicants need to be at least 18 years of age and must possess a valid South African identity document.

Priority will be given to subsistence producers who are practising vegetables and poultry farming.

The provided to subsistence producers includes the following:

TYPE OF SUPPORT	DESCRIPTION
Production inputs	Garden tools, seeds, seedlings, fertilizers, pesticides, herbicides, day old chicks, feed, medication, and sawdust, etc.
Infrastructure	Borehole drilling and irrigation systems, fences and gates, storage facilities, tunnels and shade net structures, poultry structures etc.

REQUIREMENTS

1. South African Certified ID copy, not older than 3 months;
2. Valid confirmation of land tenure/ownership (title deeds, Permission to Occupy, minimum 5 years lease agreement) for community food gardens;
3. Application form completed;
4. Constitution in case of a group/organisation and
5. Non-Government Employees or Political Office Bearers.

Application forms are available at Regional Offices of GDARD. Completed application forms with the supporting documents must be submitted to the nearest Regional Offices of GDARD.

Closing Date for the applications is 30 August 2024 at 16h00.

Late applications will not be considered.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

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Should you not receive any correspondence from the Department within 3 months of application, consider your application unsuccessful.

