

**NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR LETTERS OF INTEREST
350-ACRE FARM LEASE**

The City of Sumter is inviting persons to submit a Letter of Interest to lease approximately 350 acres of preserved land for farming purposes. The objective is to lease the land to a seasoned farmer/grower to develop and implement a crop rotation to allow for sustainability and preservation of natural resources. The lease term will be for 3 years. The required content of the Letter of Interest and the form of the proposed lease agreement are available from Eric Shytle, General Counsel for the City, at the following address:

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Letters of Interest must be received by the City no later than 11:00 a.m. on Friday, November 22, 2013.