



SAND PLAINS
Community Development Fund

PROJECT # 10-P006

PROJECT NAME: Shallot Storage Barn

Business/Organization: 598193 Ontario Ltd.

County: Elgin

Priority Categories Addressed: Agribusiness and Food
Industry

Loan Amount: \$250,000

Board-Approval Date: August 4, 2010

Project Summary: This project will construct a new barn that will be used to store shallots once harvested on the farm. A cool storage facility for the produce will result in a more efficient operation, and will allow for additional production.

Regional Economic Impacts & Benefits: With the exception of seed from France, crop inputs are purchased locally. Local producers are sub-contracted for production and local suppliers are contracted for storage. Product is sold across Canada. The next stage of development is US sales.

Market Impact Assessment: The business must purchase additional product to supply contracts with the following distributors: Costco, Loblaws and Metro.

WEB: PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENT