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Director of Bureau: Secretary for Home Affairs

Question:

Over the years, the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) has organised various greening activities, including the Community Garden Programme. In this connection, will the Government:

- 1. list in a table the name, location, area, number of planting plots and average number of applicants per round of each of the community gardens in the territory; and
- 2. provide details of the operating expenditure and staff establishment of all the community gardens in Hong Kong?

Asked by: Hon KWOK Ka-ki (Member Question No. (LegCo use): 322)

Reply:

The Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) currently operates 24 community gardens in 18 Districts. Each community garden programme is manned by 2 part-time staff. The total estimated expenditure in 2017-18 is \$2.52 million. Details are set out at the **Annex**.

Details on the Community Garden Programme in 18 districts in 2017-18

District/Location	Name	Area (m²)	Number of planting plots	Average number of applicants per round		
Central & Western District						
Eastern Street North, Sai Ying Pun	Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park Community Garden	600	55	1 720		
Eastern District						
Braemar Hill, North Point	Wai Tsui Crescent Community Garden	1 652	55	1 890		
Southern District						
Near Hung Shing Street, Ap Lei Chau	Ap Lei Chau Waterfront Promenade Community Garden	580	50	820		
Near Ocean Park Road, Wong Chuk Hang	Ocean Park Road Community Garden	700	35	1 320		
Wan Chai District						
Bullock Lane, Wan Chai, Hong Kong	Wan Chai Park Community Garden	144	16	290		
Kowloon City District						
Inverness Road	Kowloon Tsai Park Community Garden	440	30	450		
Kwun Tong District						
71 New Clear Water Bay Road	Jordan Valley Park Community Garden	1 200	45	1 450		
Kai Lok Street, Kowloon Bay	Kowloon Bay Sports Centre Community Garden	500	50	770		
20 Sau Ming Road	Sau Ming Road Park Community Garden	200	30	440		
Sham Shui Po District						
Boundary Street	Fa Hui Park Community Park	1 100	50	800		
1 Lai Wan Road, Lai Chi Kok	Lai Chi Kok Park Community Garden	2 048	80	770		

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Wong Tai Sin District				
Chuk Yuen Road	Lion Rock Park Community Garden	700	55	730
Yau Tsim Mong Distric	ct			
Man Cheong Street, Yau Ma Tei	Man Cheong Street Community Garden Note 1	2 500	90	550
23 King's Park Rise, Yau Ma Tei	King's Park Recreation Ground Note 1	230	20	
Islands District				
Tat Tung Road, Tung Chung	Tung Chung Community Garden	1 000	75	460
Kwai Tsing District				
Kwai Fuk Road	Kwai Fuk Road Community Garden	500	26	470
North District				
Jockey Club Road, Sheung Shui	North District Park Community Garden	1 000	60	460
Sai Kung District				
Sheung Ning Road, Tseung Kwan O	Sheung Ning Playground Community Garden	510	Summer: 34 Winter: 28	890
Yuk Nga Lane, Tseung Kwan O	Yuk Nga Lane Community Garden	2 180	76	830
Sha Tin District		<u> </u>		
Tai Wai	Che Kung Miu Road Playground Community Garden	540	30	300
Tai Po District				
Ting Kok Road	Tung Tsz Nursery Community Garden	1 250	40	190
Tsuen Wan District				
59 Wing Shun Street	Tsuen Wan Park Community Garden	570	53	950
Tuen Mun District				
Tsing Tin Playground	Tsing Tin Playground Community Garden	1 400	50	370
Tuen Fu Road	Tuen Fu Road Community Garden	2 595	38	200

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Yuen Long District						
Tin Sau Road, Tin Shui Wai	Tin Sau Road Community Garden	1 000	60	160		

Man Cheong Street Community Garden was closed on 1 October 2017 for the construction of Man Cheong Street Park. During the period, the Community Garden Programmes are held at King's Park Recreation Ground.