

Dimitra and MANTRA Forge Strategic Partnership to Tokenize Agricultural Assets, Unlocking New Investment Avenues

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Dimitra, a leading blockchain-based agricultural technology company, and MANTRA, a prominent Layer 1 blockchain platform, today announced a strategic partnership aimed at bringing real-world agricultural assets onto the blockchain. This collaboration is set to revolutionize investment opportunities in the agricultural sector, starting with pilot projects in cacao and carbon credits.

The partnership, formalized through an exclusive Memorandum of Understanding, will initially focus on tokenizing agricultural assets, with the ambition of eventually bringing a billion dollars worth of real-world assets on-chain. Pilot programs are currently underway, focusing on cacao cultivation in Brazil and carbon credits in Mexico. These initial projects, though currently small in scale, are designed for indefinite expansion, contingent on investor interest.

Mr. Jon Trask, CEO of Dimitra, highlighted the transformative potential of this initiative. “This partnership is not just about technological innovation; it’s about creating direct, traceable, and verifiable investment channels into regenerative agricultural projects for smallholder farmers,” stated Trask. “We project potential annual returns for investors ranging from 10-30%, based on our preliminary modeling, while acknowledging inherent agricultural risks.”

A key aspect of this collaboration is the ability for MANTRA token holders to directly invest in these agricultural projects, fostering a more transparent and equitable ecosystem. The integration of the pilot programs is in progress, with MANTRA’s native OM token holders expected to gain investment access

within the coming months.

Despite recent volatility in MANTRA's OM token, Dimitra affirmed its commitment to the partnership. Trask acknowledged the initial pause for reassessment following market fluctuations, but emphasized the enduring rationale for the collaboration. He cited MANTRA's robust team, the soundness of their real-world asset (RWA) development capabilities, and notably, their Virtual Asset Service Provider (VASP) license granted by Dubai's Virtual Asset Regulatory Authority (VARA) earlier this year, as critical factors solidifying Dimitra's confidence.

MANTRA has a proven track record in RWA tokenization, including successfully tokenizing \$500 million worth of real estate in the United Arab Emirates.

Mr. John Patrick Mullin, CEO of MANTRA, underscored the broader impact of the partnership. "Tokenizing agriculture extends beyond mere innovation; it offers scalable solutions to long-standing challenges within the global food supply chain, with a focus on long-term impact," said Mullin. "Dimitra is directly addressing real-world problems through enhanced traceability and transparency, and MANTRA Chain was specifically architected to support such impactful initiatives."

This strategic alliance is poised to create a new paradigm for investment in sustainable agriculture, leveraging blockchain technology to foster transparency, efficiency, and direct engagement with the global farming community.