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Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to announce a second volume of this Special Issue focusing on the sustainability of peri-urban agriculture (PUA). In contemporary societies, PUA has become a very specific feature of multifunctional agriculture, which makes an important contribution not only to the sustainable development of peri-urban areas, but also to the reinforcement of urban-rural relationships.

Key topics in this Special Issue include:

- New forms of agriculture in urban and peri-urban areas:
- Sustainable land use and access to land;
- Diversification and multifunctionality in PUA;
- Role of PUA in the urban-rural nexus;
- Land use policy and planning in peri-urban landscapes;
- Role of PUA in sustainable local food systems;
- Land use policy and planning in peri-urban landscapes;
- Conflicts and synergies between cities and agricultural areas;
- Peri-urban areas and social transformations;
- New entrepreneurship in PUA.

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