



## **CERES GLOBAL AG CORP. ANNOUNCES CLOSING OF PRIVATE PLACEMENT**

**Minneapolis, MN (September 30, 2019)** – Ceres Global Ag Corp. (“Ceres” or the “Company”) (TSX: CRP) is pleased to announce that it has closed its previously announced non-brokered private placement, issuing 2,802,599 common shares of the Company (the “Shares”) at a price of \$4.53 per Share for gross proceeds of approximately \$12.7 million (the “Private Placement”).

Insiders of the Company subscribed for 2,792,599 Shares, including VN Capital Fund C, L.P. (“VN Capital”) which subscribed for 2,757,487 Shares.

VN Capital has agreed to a standstill agreement under which for a period of 18 months from the closing of the Private Placement, VN Capital will not be permitted, without the consent of the Company’s board of directors, to purchase Company shares except from private parties in blocks of 250,000 or more shares.

The Private Placement was priced at a premium of 5.3% to the five-day volume weighted trading price on TSX for the five days ended August 30, 2019. The net proceeds from the Private Placement will be used initially to repay debt incurred in connection with inventory financing and later to fund anticipated growth-based projects.

All Shares issued pursuant to the Private Placement are subject to a hold period of four months and one day, in accordance with applicable Canadian securities laws.

Pursuant to Multilateral Instrument 61-101 *Protection of Minority Security Holders in Special Transactions* (“MI 61-101”), the Private Placement constitutes a “related party transaction” as insiders of the Company subscribed for Shares. The Company relied on exemptions from the formal valuation and minority approval requirements of MI 61-101.

All dollar amounts in this news release are denominated in Canadian dollars unless otherwise indicated.

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### **About Ceres Global Ag Corp. (ceresglobalagcorp.com)**

Through its network of commodity logistics centers and team of industry experts, Ceres procures and supplies North American agricultural commodities and value-added products and provides reliable supply chain logistics services to industrial products, fertilizer products, and energy products customers worldwide.

Ceres is headquartered in Minneapolis, Minnesota and together with its affiliated companies, operates 13 locations across Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, and Minnesota. These facilities have an aggregate grain and oilseed storage capacity of approximately 30.8 million bushels.

Ceres has a 50% interest in Savage Riverport, LLC, a joint venture with Consolidated Grain and Barge Co., a 50% in Gateway Energy Terminal, a joint venture with Steel Reef Infrastructure Corp., a 25% interest in Stewart Southern Railway Inc., a short-line railway located in southeast Saskatchewan with a range of 130 kilometers, and a 17% interest in Canterra Seed Holdings Ltd, a Canada-based seed development company.

For more information about Ceres, please visit [www.ceresglobalagcorp.com](http://www.ceresglobalagcorp.com)

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