



Vision: Cultivating personal, neighborhood and environmental well-being through a welcoming garden community.

Application for Friends of the Garden Members

Name: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

** Contact information will not be used for activities other than those related to the Fulton Place Community Garden and its functions.*

Areas of interest for participation:

Maintaining the Communal areas

Maintaining compost piles

Organizing events

Construction, Maintenance

Communications

Grants and fund-raising

Co-ordinating work parties

Other (_____)

Fulton Place Community Garden Waiver

I understand that neither the garden group, the land owner, nor the City is responsible for my actions. I therefore agree to hold harmless Fulton Place Community Garden, the Synod of the Diocese of Edmonton, St. Augustine's Anglican Church and the City of Edmonton for any liability, damage, loss or claim that occurs in connection with the use of the garden by me, my family, my associates or any other of my guests.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Statement of Expectations for Friends of the Garden Members

Intention

1. I will participate in the Fulton Place Community Garden following the spirit of the garden vision, as stated above.

Administration

2. My contact information, as provided herein, shall only be used for the functions of the Fulton Place Community Garden and may be shared among the garden membership.
3. I shall attend the pre-season meeting of the Garden Committee in April.
4. I shall pay membership dues at the pre-season Garden Committee meeting. Membership fee for Friends of the Garden members for the 2017 gardening season is \$10.

Responsibilities for Communal Space

5. I shall contribute to the planting, maintenance, watering and weeding of communal plots.
6. I shall contribute 6 hours of volunteer time towards the garden. Work parties will be held every Wednesday evenings. If I am unable to attend, I will advise the Garden Committee and perform the equivalent of 6 hours of alternative duties as agreed upon by the Garden Committee.
7. Planting and installation of any garden structures in communal plots shall follow the direction of the Garden Committee.
8. Non-organic fertilizers, fungicides, pesticides and herbicides shall not be used in the garden.
9. Garden waste shall be disposed of in timely fashion according to the Fulton Place Community Garden "Compost Guidelines", detailed at the end of this agreement.
10. Waste that is not compostable shall be disposed of in the bins provided.
11. Watering practices shall follow the Fulton Place Community Garden "Watering Guidelines", detailed at this end of this agreement.
12. I may harvest produce from communal plots, with consideration of other members.
13. I am encouraged to report vandalism to the Garden Committee.

Member Signature: _____ Date: _____

Garden Committee Representative: _____ Date: _____

Assignment (to be filled out when paying fees):

Work Parties: _____

Communal Area: _____

Compost Guidelines

1. I will only add vegetation to the compost (no meats, compostable plates, or oils).
2. I will not add any weeds, diseased plants, rocks, or any non-organic material (e.g., plastic) in the compost.
3. I will chop up any materials that are longer than 4"/10 cm for efficient composting.
4. I will bury all wet greens underneath the top layer of the compost.
5. I will add a scoop of browns each time I add greens.
6. I will give each compost box a quick turn/fluff each time I visit the garden.
7. If the compost seems dry when I turn/fluff it, I will add some water.
8. I will contact the compost coordinator if the compost has a bad smell.

Initial: _____

Water Guidelines

1. I will use rainwater before using Church water as Church water must be paid for at an at-cost basis.
2. Only the Water Coordinator will fill the Church water tank.
3. I will notify the Water Coordinator if rainwater tanks are low or empty.
4. I will put the watering cans back in the shed when I am done watering.

Initial: _____

Planting Guidelines

1. Aggressively self-seeding plants (*such as dill, coriander and poppies*) should be dead-headed prior to the seeds ripening.
2. Perennials (*such as strawberries, chives and mint*) must be planted only in the common areas and with the prior approval of the Garden Committee.
3. Very tall plants (*such as pole beans, corn and sunflowers*) should be planted only where other garden plots are not shaded, or in the common area and with the prior approval of the Garden Committee.
4. Noxious weeds, invasive or illegal plants are not allowed.

Initial: _____