

CITY of EDEN
COMMUNITY GARDEN

Learn, Grow, Share and Strengthen Our Community

APPLICATION (PLEASE PRINT):

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____
City Zip Code

E-mail address _____

1. How many years of gardening experience do you have? _____
2. Who will be gardening in your plot? List names, for security reasons. _____

3. Why are you seeking a plot in the Community Garden? _____

Which area best describes your interest in the Community Garden

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Learning gardening techniques | <input type="checkbox"/> Money savings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Healthy lifestyle | <input type="checkbox"/> No space for home garden |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hobby | <input type="checkbox"/> Herbal gardening |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community involvement | <input type="checkbox"/> Food quality |

CITY OF EDEN COMMUNITY GARDEN AGREEMENT

1. This agreement is between the city of Eden and _____ (your name), for the 2011 season.
2. The purpose of this agreement is to provide garden plots for those in the Eden Community. Each plot will be 10' by 20' (200 square feet). The rental fee for a season will be \$25.00.
3. There will be a tool shed containing a limited number of tools that will be available to participants on specific days. Each lessee may want to have a few of their own tools and provide their own seed and transplants. (Donations are being solicited) Fertilizer will also need to be provided by the lessee.

4. Each garden plot holder is required to contribute their time to the donation plot as needed. This will vary during the growing season.

5. No plot can be gardened until payment of fees and a signed agreement is received and approved. No exceptions. Each gardener agrees to use the plot and tools at his own risk and agrees to hold the City of Eden harmless from any injury and damage

6. I will use this garden at the sole discretion of the City of Eden. I agree to abide by its policies and practices. I am responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of the garden plot. Watering, weeding, harvesting and any other garden related maintenance of my plot are all my responsibility.

7. I will tend my plot ONLY when the garden is open (from 6:00a.m. to 8:30 p.m.).

8. I will respect the surrounding neighbors, neighborhood and property. I will not engage in, or allow anyone in my party to engage in, disruptive and/or unlawful behavior on the garden premises or in the surrounding neighborhood, including (but not limited to) yelling, blaring radios or other sounds, speeding through neighborhood streets or parking in front of neighboring properties.

9. If I must abandon my plot for any reason, I will notify the Garden Committee.

10. I will not expand my plot beyond the measurement assigned or into paths or other plots. I will keep all my plants within the limits of my garden plot. I will not allow any plants to grow more than six feet high or shade my neighbor's plots.

11. I will keep weeds down and maintain the common areas immediately surrounding my plot if any. If my plot becomes unkempt, I understand I will be given 2 week's notice to clean it up. At that time, it will be re-assigned or tilled in.

12. I will keep my plot, paths and surrounding areas clean and neat. I will keep trash and litter cleaned from the plot, as well as from adjacent pathways and fences.

13. I will participate in the fall cleanup of the garden.

14. I will pick ONLY my own crops unless given permission by another plot user.

15. I will not bring pets to the garden.

16. I will not plant any illegal plant. I will not smoke, drink alcoholic beverages, use illegal drugs, or gamble in the garden. I will not come to the garden while under the influence of alcohol or illegal drugs. I will not bring weapons of any kind to the garden.

17. Guests and visitors, including children, may enter the garden only if I accompany them. They must follow all rules, terms and conditions stated here. I will supervise my children at all times when they are in the garden. I am solely responsible for the behavior of my guests.

18. I will respect other gardeners, and I will not use abusive or profane language.

19. I will work to keep the garden a happy, secure and enjoyable place where all participants can garden and socialize peacefully in a neighborly manner.

20. Plots are not going to be specified as "organic". We encourage you consider chemical alternatives. The county extension agent will be available to visit your plot and assist with any pest control issues that may arise.

21. Please use the buddy system if you are going to be out of town.

I have read and understand the application and agreement and accept these rules as stated above for the participation in the city of Eden Community Garden.

In consideration for the provision of a garden plot, I agree to waive, discharge, hold harmless and release from any and all liability for personal injuries (including death) and damages, the city of Eden, their employees and agents resulting from the use of or visitation of the garden.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

**Mail to: The City of Eden
PO Box 70
Eden NC 27289**

Make checks payable to: The City of Eden