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Health Department
41 Elm Street

Southbridge Community Garden Application

Please fill out this application, sign and return with a photocopy of your ID to:
The Health Department
41 Elm Street
Southbridge, MA 01550
Fax: 508-765-1190

Year of use: _____

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Choose Community Garden Location:

- Cross Street (plots C1-C6)
- Worcester Street (handicap accessible) (plots W1-W7)

Plot number (first choice) _____

Plot number (second choice) _____

Plot number (third choice) _____

Fee: FREE

How did you hear about the community gardens? _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date received: _____ Plot number assigned: _____ Copy of Photo ID Attached: _____

(over)



Southbridge Community Garden Guidelines 2014

The Town of Southbridge in partnership with the Center of Hope will provide the following:
4' x 8' plot with planter box & soil
Supply of water (blue barrel)
Compost bin (near water supply)

The renter/community gardener understands that:

1. He/she must be a resident of the Town of Southbridge.
2. The community garden is open from May 2015 to October 31, 2015
3. Renter will notify the Town of Southbridge if they must abandon their plot.
4. Renter agrees to keep garden weeds to a minimum and maintain their plot and areas immediately around their plot.
5. Renter agrees to clean up and remove dead plants from his/her plot by October 31, 2015, and to clean up the plot before planting May, 2015. Please place weeds and dead plants in onsite compost bin.
6. Renter will bring their own garden supplies and tools.
7. Pets are not allowed.
8. Children must be supervised.
9. Renter agrees to keep trash out of their plot and nearby areas. Bring in and bring out your own trash.
10. Renter agrees to pick their own crops.
11. Renter agrees not to use fertilizer, insecticides or herbicides in a manner that will affect other plots
12. If renter plants tall crops, they must not shade other plots.
13. Renter may place weeds and spoiled crops in compost bin -- NO trash or meats.
14. The renter agrees to comply with all federal, state and local laws and regulations.
15. The Town of Southbridge assumes no liability for accidents or injury to participants or to others either on or adjacent to the garden area. Neither does the Town assume responsibility for acts of vandalism or loss of crops or property due to theft.

I agree to abide by these conditions.

Name of applicant

Signature of applicant

Date