

## GARDEN GUIDELINES

The following guidelines have been established by the members of this garden. Please read them and direct any questions or comments to the Managing Committee.

1. All gardeners are required to complete an application form. A plot fee of \$30 is due upon registration.
2. All gardeners are required to sign up for one of the garden jobs listed on page 4 upon registration. A monthly sign-up sheet is in the shed.
3. Garden meetings and work parties to complete special projects are scheduled throughout the season. Please plan to attend to get to know your fellow gardeners and help with garden upkeep.
4. Keep your plot and the adjoining pathways tended. If your plot appears to be untended for a period of time, and you haven't contacted the Managing Committee, you will be contacted and your plot may be assigned to another gardener.
5. Plant tall plants and vines in places where they will not interfere with your neighbor's plot. Planting illegal plants is prohibited.
6. At the end of the gardening season, all dead plants and non-plant materials must be removed and disposed of properly and your garden left neat and tidy. If your garden is not cleaned up by October 31<sup>st</sup>, you could lose your gardening privileges for the next season.
7. Pick up litter when you see it.
8. Weeds are disposed of by throwing them over the back fence for the deer and goats to make use of. Any diseased plants are to be bagged and disposed of so as not to contaminate the other gardens. Old plants can be placed in the brush pile to be shredded and added to the compost bin.
9. Do not apply anything to or pick anything from another person's plot without their express approval.
10. Please do not leave the water on unattended. When finished watering, place the hose back on the bracket at the hydrant area.
11. Smoking and chewing tobacco is not allowed. Tobacco can transmit a lethal virus to tomatoes and cigarette butts contain toxins.
12. Return tools to the shed and lock the shed before leaving the garden.
13. Drugs, alcohol, radios, boom boxes and fires are not allowed at the garden.
14. Pets must be kept on a leash and any droppings picked up.
15. The garden is open every day from dawn to dusk. For your safety, only garden during daylight hours.
16. Report theft, vandalism and any unusual activities to the Garden Managing Committee.
17. If any of the guidelines are violated you will be contacted. If the violation is not addressed within two weeks you may lose your gardening privileges.

