



WELCOME!

Thank you for your interest in CityScapes Community Garden for the 2024 season!

We are excited to inform you that our community garden will be **open for the 2024 season**. As always, the health and safety of our community gardeners are our top priority. Please be certain to follow the safety guidelines posted on our website <https://cityscapesinc.com/about/gardens> and enclosed below. We want to continue to offer this service and appreciate your help in maintaining a safe environment.

Mark your calendars! Our community garden is set to open on **May 1, 2024**. As of this date, you will be permitted to begin planting. Please be sure to read over the enclosed rules so that you are familiar with our garden policies.

To reserve a plot, please complete and sign the enclosed application. Be sure to return the application with payment promptly. All applications are due by **April 15, 2024** and plots are awarded on a first come, first serve basis. Once we have received your completed application and payment, you will be assigned a plot number for the 2024 season. If you gardened with us last year, and you are renewing your application, your plot number will carry over from the previous year unless indicated otherwise. Please note, if you gardened with us last year and we do not receive a renewal application by April 15, 2024, your plot may be assigned to another interested resident.

If you have any questions, concerns or need help planning your garden, please contact us via phone or email. We will be happy to assist you.

Enjoy this opportunity to think ahead to spring!

CityScapes Team

614-850-2549

gardens@cityscapesinc.com

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ONE 4' X 8' RAISED BED PLOT: \$15

TWO 4' X 8' RAISED BED PLOTS: \$25

THREE 4' X 8' RAISED BED PLOTS: \$40

FOUR 4' X 8' RAISED BED PLOTS: \$50

Garden costs helps cover dirt, water, maintenance and dumpsters. If you have any questions, please contact us at gardens@cityscapesinc.com



COMMUNITY GARDEN

GARDEN RULES

All gardeners are responsible for being familiar with and obeying all garden rules. If you have any questions, please contact us at gardens@cityscapesinc.com

- Registration application, payment and waiver must be signed prior to plot assignment.
- Planting begins May 1st. Plots will be subject to reassignment if not planted by May 27th, 2024.
- Gardening is permitted from dawn to dusk, seven days a week.
- No planting outside of your raised bed or in-ground plot.
- Each gardener is responsible for keeping his/her plants within his/her plot. Vine plants should be staked or another method used to keep them within the plot area (All walkways must be kept clear, for safety and our companies landscaping service).
- Plots must be kept free of noxious weeds.
- Unattended watering is not permitted. Do not water other plots or walkways. Containers of standing water are prohibited as they attract mosquitoes which are known to be carriers of the West Nile Virus.
- It is strongly recommended that gardeners use organic gardening principles, including avoiding the use of synthetic fertilizers and pesticides. If any type of pesticide or fertilizer is used – organic or synthetic – it must not be allowed to leave your plot. Any fertilizer or pesticide product used must be applied as per that product’s label.
- Herbicides (weed killers) are strictly prohibited.
- Smoking and tobacco products are not allowed on site due to the risk of Tobacco Mosaic Virus. If you are a tobacco user, please wash your hands prior to working in the garden.
- Children visiting the gardens must be supervised.
- Dogs are not permitted at the gardens.
- Illegal plants, including cannabis and other species designated as invasive by the Ohio department of Agriculture are strictly prohibited. For a complete list of invasive plant species, visit <http://codes.ohio.gov/oac/901:5-30-01>
- Gardeners may harvest from their own plot only. Discourage theft by harvesting your garden promptly.
- Any refuse collected in the garden area should be deposited in the designated waste disposal area or taken home.
- All materials must be removed from the plots by November 1st, 2024.
- Periodic inspections will be conducted to ensure that plots are being maintained and in compliance with these rules. Those who fail to adhere to these community rules will be issued a citation and notified by phone or email. Anyone who has received a citation will be given a period of no more than ten (10) days to rectify the stated problem. If the plot is not improved within 10 days, the gardener’s privileges may be terminated and subject to fines.
- Use common courtesy, be considerate of your gardening neighbors, and ENJOY.

By signing here I acknowledging that I have read, understand, and will abide by the rules of the CityScapes Community Garden.

Printed Name

Date

Signature of Participant



COVID-19 HEALTH AND SAFETY GUIDELINES FOR THE CITYSCAPES 2024 COMMUNITY GARDEN

First, we want to say that we hope you are safe and well. In these uncertain times, the health and safety of our community gardeners are a top priority. With safety in mind, please read the following guidelines.

- If you are exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 or feel unwell, please do not visit the community garden. For more information about coronavirus and its symptoms, please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/covid-by-county.html>
- Anyone displaying symptoms of COVID-19, or who has come into contact with someone who has the symptoms of COVID-19, should not come to the gardens. Anyone displaying symptoms will be asked to leave.
- If you have come in contact with someone who has tested positive or if you have tested positive for COVID-19, do not visit the garden for a minimum of 14 days or until you have recovered.
- We ask that you do not share gardening equipment with fellow gardeners.

Thank you for your continued support of our community garden and we look forward to working with you this 2024 growing season.



COMMUNITY GARDEN

APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

New Application

Renewal Application, if renewal do you want previous year's plot? YES/NO

Number of Plots:

(1) One \$15.00

(2) Two \$25.00

(3) Three \$40.00

(4) Four \$50.00

Payment Method:

CHECK CREDIT CARD

(Please go to <http://payment.cityscapesinc.com/payment/> to use a credit card to pay. For Invoice Number, please input "GARDEN" and Company Name, please input "CITYSCAPES".)

Make checks payable to **CityScapes Inc**

Send application with enclosed payment to CityScapes Inc. Attn: Community Garden, 4200 Lyman Ct, Hilliard, Ohio 43026

Or drop off at 4200 Lyman Ct, Hilliard Ohio 43026 between the hours of Monday –



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RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND PROMISE NOT TO SUE

As a participant in the CityScapes Community Garden, I _____, being of sound mind and cognitive awareness, recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks inherent to this activity and I agree to assume all such risks including any damages to property, or any other loss which I may sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with or associated with this program.

In consideration of CityScapes accepting my registration application, and with the intent to be legally bound, I hereby, for myself, all heirs, executors, administrators, and assignors, do hereby forever release, waive and relinquish all claims I have or may have as a result of participating in this program, and CityScapes' officers, agents, servants, employees and insurers, from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, actions or causes of action resulting from physical injuries, including death, loss of services or consortium, loss or damage to property, or any other loss which I may have or my child may have, or which may accrue to me on account of my participation in this and all other CityScapes programs.

Signature of Participant

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian if Minor is Under 18

Date

Please sign and date all pages and return to CityScapes at 4200 Lyman Ct to reserve your garden plot.

