

POTEGP SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE CENTER 501(C) 3  
COMMUNITY GARDEN GUIDELINES:

A. Each gardener is responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of their garden plot. *(i.e. Watering, weeding, harvesting and any other garden related maintenance are all the responsibility of the gardener. Gardeners may arrange for other gardeners to water their plots.)*

1. Garden plots should be cared for at least once a week.
2. Only OMRI approved products are allowed (the application of herbicides (weed killers) to the garden plots is prohibited.)
3. Dispose of all trash and diseased plant matter properly.
4. Individual fencing of plots is allowed. Please keep structures under 8 feet tall and neat. (no solid fences allowed)
5. Gardeners may harvest vegetables and flowers from their garden only. No illegal crops are allowed.
6. At the end of the growing season, gardeners are responsible for clearing their plot of all plant material and leaving the plot as they found it in the spring.
7. It is the gardener's responsibility to notify the coordinator if he or she is not able to care for their plot in any given week. If any plot remains unattended for more than three weeks that plot is subject to reassignment.

B. Tools made available for use need to be cleaned, and returned in garden shed when finished. No tools should be taken overnight. The gardener understands that any tools borrowed for garden purposes are lent at own risk to borrower/gardener. *(A limited number of specifically marked tools, hoses and watering equipment will be available. Any misuse of equipment will result in revokal of lease on plot.)*

C. Children are welcome in the garden but must be accompanied by an adult and must be supervised at all times. Pets are not allowed.

D. No smoking is allowed on property (including e-cigarettes)

E. Plot fees are due in full before the garden season begins.

F. Each gardener must complete a Release of all Claims form before any work in the garden can begin.

Your compliance with the above regulations will help everyone have an enjoyable and prosperous garden. Failure to comply with above regulations during the season, may result in a loss of future gardening privileges.

## 2017 COMMUNITY GARDENER APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in having your own four- by ten-foot bed in one of our community gardens! Your completed application ensures your place on a wait-list for the next available garden plot. A \$30 yearly fee Or a \$10 yearly fee plus a commitment of 4 work hours for the garden plot and use of shared tools will be collected upon garden plot assignment.

\* Required

Gardener Name: \*

Gardening Partner Name:

Gardener Phone: \*

Partner Phone:

Gardener Street Address: \*

City, State, Zip Code \*

Gardener Email:

Partner Email:

Phone and e-mail: All Gardeners are required to share their phone number and e-mail address with garden leaders.

How many people total, (family members and friends) will be using your plot? \*

Please check the box if you do not give your permission for your photo to be published. If you do not give your permission, please let photographers know when you encounter them in the garden.

- I do NOT give my permission for my photo to be published.

Please check all the descriptions that apply to you, these will help us with garden placement: \*

- I am a senior citizen and would like a taller bed.
- I am physically disabled and would like a wheelchair accessible bed.
- I do not need a taller bed or a wheelchair accessible bed.

**Please help us understand when you will use the garden most by listing the primary days and times you will be gardening: (hours available on Mondays-Sundays between 8am & 7pm)**

Community Gardens are sustained by work/volunteer days and fundraising projects. Are you able to attend 4 hours on Tues, Thurs or Fridays between 10:45-2pm or Saturday & Sundays between 11am-4pm between April and October? \*

- Yes
- No
- I need another garden job, such as fundraising committee, due to physical limitations

Community Gardens are led by garden members. Are you interested in learning more about leadership opportunities in the gardens? \*

- Yes
- No