



# Town of Moultonborough

Ken Kasarjian

## Community Garden Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Physical Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email

**Return Application to:** Community Garden Program, Office of Development Services, Town of Moultonborough, 6 Holland Street, P.O. Box 139, Moultonborough, NH 03254.

Number of plots (20' \* 30') you would like to reserve: \_\_\_\_\_ Plots x \$60 per plot = \$\_\_\_\_\_ total.

Please attach a check payable to "Town of Moultonborough Community Garden" to your application. You must also sign the back page of rules to indicate your acceptance of the same.

Check the appropriate items:

- I am a minimum of 18 years old and a Town Resident \_\_\_\_\_, or a Tax Payer \_\_\_\_\_ ,
- I would like a garden next to a friend, Name \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned, on behalf of themselves, their guests, their child and/or children agree to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Town, its officers, agents and employees (the "Town") from and against any and all claims, demands, suits, actions, costs, and judgments, of any kind arising out of, or in any way resulting from, my use of the premises upon which the Community Garden Program is being offered excepting only those claims which are due to the sole negligence of the Town.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

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For Town Use Only:

Assigned to Plot #: \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

# COMMUNITY GARDEN RULES

These rules are designed to help the garden run smoothly for everyone. We appreciate your cooperation and community spirit in making this a successful program. However, any gardener who continues to break the rules after warning will lose their plot(s) which will be reassigned without a refund.

- I understand that only Moultonborough Residents (seasonal or year round) or tax payers are eligible for the program.
- I will pay an annual renter fee for a growing seasonal plot (Saturday of Memorial Day Weekend – October 31<sup>st</sup>) of \$60.00 to help cover garden expenses.
- I am responsible for my own tilling, cultivating, weeding, fertilizing, watering, end of season clean up, and all other care of my plot(s). Small rototillers & weed whackers are allowed.
- I will have something planted in the garden by (June 15th) and keep it planted all summer long.
- By the end of the growing season (October 31<sup>st</sup>), I will remove all non plant materials from my plot, including plastic pots, wire tomato cages, stakes, tools, etc.
- If I must abandon my plot for any reason, I will notify the garden leadership.
- I will keep weeds from seeding, at a minimum, and maintain the areas immediately surrounding my plot if any.
- I will not plant wildflowers or any perennials.
- I will not keep open containers of water on the premises, as these are perfect breeding grounds for mosquitoes that may carry and spread viruses that are dangerous to humans.
- I agree not to smoke in the garden area, as research shows that tobacco can transmit a virus to tomatoes.
- If my plot becomes unkempt, I understand I will be given one week's notice to clean it up. At that time, it will be re-assigned or tilled in.
- I will keep trash and litter out of the plot, as well as from adjacent pathways and fences.
- I will participate in the fall cleanup of the garden.
- I will plant tall crops where they will not shade neighboring plots.
- I will pick only my own crops unless given permission by another plot user.
- I will use only those organic fertilizers, organic insecticides & weed repellents that will not in any way affect other plots or that are allowed in the garden.
- I will water my plot using only those hoses and nozzles provided by the garden leadership.
- I agree to volunteer some hours toward community gardening efforts, if needed.
- I will not bring pets to the garden.
- I will provide my own tools and store same elsewhere.

If you witness or experience garden theft or vandalism, please notify the police. Due to the open nature of the community garden site, the Town is not responsible for the loss of garden supplies, tools or equipment. Do not leave your tools, and/or supplies in the gardens.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_