

COMMUNITY GARDEN DESIGN PLANNER	
GARDEN ELEMENT	COMMENTS
 <p>RAINWATER TANKS</p>	<p>Aim for a minimum of 20,000 litres of storage capacity but this may be limited by your total capture area (roof space). Perhaps you can gain access to additional water from a neighbour's roof.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Circular tanks are economical but take up a lot of space.- Slimline tanks make better use of space but are generally smaller and will be more expensive per litre of water stored.- Underground tanks are expensive to install and may be hard to maintain.- Header tanks are used to increase water pressure where the main storage tanks are downhill from the distribution areas (garden beds). Water pressure can be improved by pumping water from the main storage tanks to an elevated header tank and then distributing it around the garden.
 <p>SHELTERS</p>	<p>You will need to provide shelter and shade in your garden for people working or visiting throughout the year. What you can get shade from a tree in summer it won't protect you from rain and winds. Building outdoor shelters can be expensive but by sticking to standard building specs, you will minimise your expenses.</p> <p>When planning your shelters and sheds, be aware of two important classifications under the Building Code of Australia (BCA):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Class 9B covers public buildings including assembly buildings.• Class 10A covers non-habitable buildings and structures such as sheds and carports. <p>The regulations covering each are very different as are the costs of construction. Become familiar with the requirements of each class and, if money is a limiting factor, aim to design a shelter that complies with Class 10A requirements. For information visit www.buildingpermission.com.au. You can also download the Fact Sheet Class 10A Building Fact Sheet 2010 from the same website.</p>

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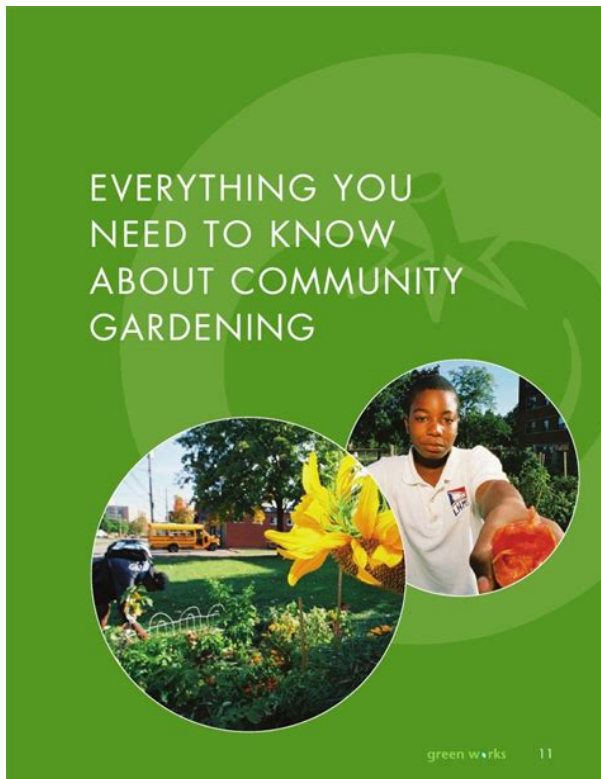
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Register a free business account He launched the Soil Association's flagship Organic Apprenticeship Scheme in 2007. He helped to set up and run The Community Farm near Bristol, UK and is on the board of the Community Supported Agriculture Network UK. To calculate the overall star rating and percentage breakdown by star, we don't use a simple average. Instead, our system considers things like how recent a review is and if the reviewer bought the item on Amazon. It also analyzes reviews to verify trustworthiness. Sorry, we failed to record your vote. Please try again Sorry, we failed to record your vote. Please try again Sorry, we failed to record your vote. Please try again Page 1 of 1 Start over Page 1 of 1 In order to navigate out of this carousel please use your heading shortcut key to navigate to the next or previous heading. The contacts and friendships came later. The article is called The Healing Gardens. Once the gardens were constructed, with the help and guidance of notforfor profit group Sustainable Gardening Australia SGA and ongoing funding from the Helen Macpherson Smith Trust, the gardens and gardeners organised lectures and workshops, celebrations and festivals that continued to draw in new people from the bush fire affected regions. All adding to the cohesiveness and healing of these communities. Elaine Shallue from SGA wrote the text of the manual and describes the sense of community in these regions after the fires. "Individuals took the lead within their communities so that the greatest momentum for renewal came from within. Neighbour helped neighbour, friendships were forged, acquaintances became connected and together the community started to recover. Recognising the strength of this regeneration, communities looked for ways to augment these newly forged bonds. It was in this spirit of community renewal that the Community Based Gardening Project was conceived.<http://www.vieiras.pt/imagensprodutos/evenflo-stroller-manuals.xml>

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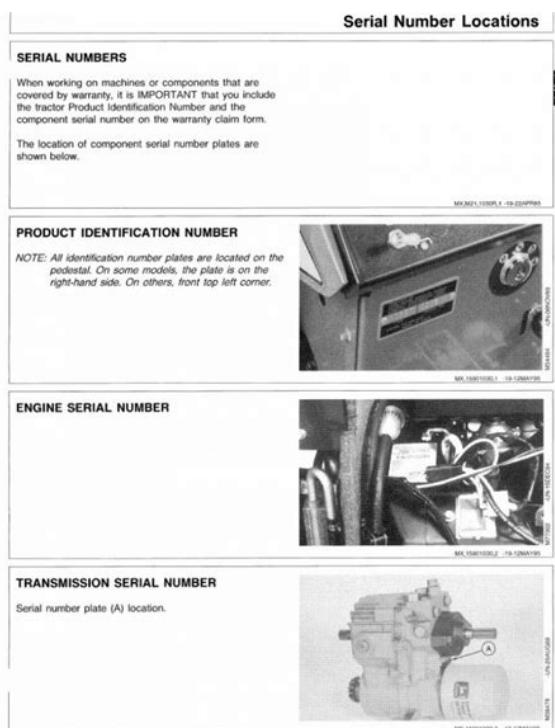


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' Full of sensible advice from finding the right plot, to insurance, planning, contacting the wider community and forming working groups, as well as design, choosing plants, placement of tanks, compost bins and shelters and much much more. And the really good news is that it's free. Please email for further details. Water fountains remain off. The Lakefront Trail and The 606 are open, users must keep it moving. GO HERE to learn more. Water fountains remain off. The Lakefront Trail and The 606 are open, users must keep it moving. GO HERE to learn more. The practice of community gardening, whether inspired by the desire to transform outdoor space or contribute to healthier lifestyles, is now deeply rooted in modern culture. The Chicago Park District's Community Gardens in the Parks program provides guidance, support and resources to dozens of community garden groups across the city. From helping maintain beautifully landscaped perennial beds to managing your own plot of vegetables, there are a wide range of opportunities available for those who wish to become involved in Chicago's vibrant gardening movement. The gardens vary greatly in size, style and function. From large pots of flowers to carefully planned landscapes, many of the community gardens are ornamental and focus on growing native plants, shrubs and beautiful annual and perennial flowers. The "edible" gardens feature a variety of opportunities, including allotment plot gardening, pantry gardening and children's learning gardens. Welcoming people with a range of interests and experience levels, there are many opportunities to volunteer in one of the many gardens found in Chicago's parks. The links below will help those interested to learn more and get involved. Building the foundation for a successful community garden is a longterm responsibility which requires community support and dedicated, ongoing commitment by all members of your gardening group.

Vegetable gardens are more often divided into allotment plots assigned each season to gardeners, or shared space where members are responsible for working together and sharing equally in the fruits of their labor. While the Community Gardens in the Parks program continues to support efforts to reduce unnecessary vandalism or theft, we cannot guarantee that any garden is free from the risk. In order to form a new community garden with the Chicago Park District, the following documents are required The 16 week curriculum includes gardening basics as well as lessons in nutrition,

cooking, and environmental stewardship. During the last week of the summer program participants from all parks come together for the Harvest Festival to show off their produce and creative creations. Are you interested in starting a community garden in Forsyth County. Please visit In addition Don't see the topic you were looking Explore our resources on the topics listed below Help us to measure the impact of community gardens on access The worksheet will help you Available for free as a This publication Includes strategies for increasing organic The series covers It contains approximate planting dates for Spring, Summer, Finally, it includes Other beneficial insects help pollinate crops like The following resources will help you identify beneficial These more detailed articles may be Also, see our resources The Program Tools include excellent resources The manual contains Science Science pages Contiene los intervalos Finalmente, incluye un ejemplo de un plan de rotacion de cultivos. It was created in partnership with the Maine Cooperative Extension. PDF version of toolkit available for download and viewing here. Generally speaking the manager, or management team is responsible for garden guidelines, rule enforcement, volunteer organization, plot assignment and basic admin, communications and conflict resolutions. While the specific tasks vary, the ultimate responsibility lies with this person or group.



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This membership agreement will clearly state the goals of the garden, member responsibilities, and will cover common issues such as whether dogs are allowed, smoking, etc. Often these documents are combined in some form. See below for examples. Tom Settlemire Community Garden's application and garden guidelines Allen Day Community Garden's plot lease agreement and garden guidelines Garden Orientation or Garden Welcome Packets Missouri Cooperative Extension's Gardener Welcome Packet Template Portland Oregon Garden Orientation Slides Garden Newsletters or Emails Keeps gardeners aware of issues, changes and events Provides pest and harvest updates Announces celebrations and milestones Can be done via email, or with a free newsletter software such as Mailchimp Garden Types Plot System Garden broken into plots, or plot rows and rented to community members, groups or families for production of food for their own use. They can be either volunteer led, or nonprofit led. Community Plot System Communal gardens are typically organized and gardened by a group of people who share in the work and rewards. Plots are not subdivided for

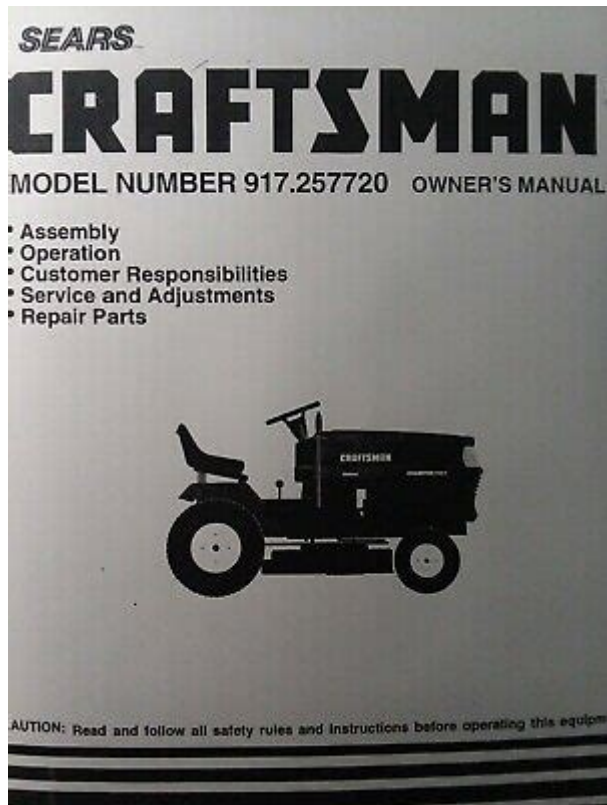
individual or family use. Produce is distributed among group members. Produce is grown by volunteers, food pantry clients, or both and donated to the food pantry. Educational Program gardens are typically established by nonprofit organizations or other agencies to teach business or job skills to youth or other groups. They grow and sell the produce they raise. Proceeds from the sale of garden products are used to pay the participants for their work. These gardens can be associated with a formal or semiformal program that incorporates classroom lessons with hands-on gardening activities. Gardens may be located on school grounds, at a community center, in neighborhoods or on other parcels of land.

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Food Forests edible forest garden, containing a diverse mix of plants like fungi, herbaceous ground covers, perennial vegetables, fruit and nut bearing vines, shrubs, and trees. For more information look to The Center for an Ecology Based Economy or The Resilience Hub. Cooperative gardens where there is loose land sharing agreement between a landholder and a gardener, or between a landholder and a group of gardeners. This is a growing type of gardening arrangement in Maine, look for information specific to your area on Facebook, on community bulletin boards and through Land in Common. Demonstration gardens show different types of gardening methods, plant varieties, composting techniques and more. Demonstration gardens located at working community gardens are often open to the general public for display and classes. Pest Control Cooperative Extension's list of pest control resources and management bulletins Pesticide use there is a Maine state law that prohibits pesticide use without landowner permission including organic or homemade chemicals Some communities in Maine have put pesticide use policies into effect. See list here. Board of Pesticide Control a Maine resource Water and Soil Testing Fundamental parts of the garden Here is the Cooperative Extension's list of testing resources in Maine Lead Even if raised beds are being built, it is strongly recommended that you test your soils for heavy metals including lead. Here is the Cooperative Extension's information regarding soil lead and avoiding lead in foods and when present in gardens. Soil Testing Soil tests indicate soil pH and the levels of nutrients that are available for plant growth. UMaine Soil Testing Lab Cooperative Extension's info on soil testing Water Testing Well Water In general the water source for any garden should be known and potable. Don't use water if there is an "upstream" pollutant.

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See above Cooperative Extension testing resources, their video on water testing for food producers or this list of information on contaminants. Water Access In order to have a community garden there must be adequate access to water. There either needs to be a well and water system on site, or access to some other other water source. Be sure to test the water. Well water can be high in chemical contaminants that are dangerous to humans. Have a clear water access agreement in place as applicable, management guidelines and responsible persons in place. For ex. If a well and pump are used, who is responsible for setting it up each season and caring for the power source. Water Tanks can be used at gardens without an onsite water source Consider water capacity as related to garden need Consider placement Consider how to acquire the water, how they will be filled, who will be responsible for maintenance Leadership Different community gardens have different management structures based on what type of garden they are and whether they are volunteer or organizationally led. Volunteer led gardens can often struggle to maintain a leadership team due to competing obligations or overwork. It is suggested that the leadership team always be seeking to engage new leadership in the process. Don't be afraid to ask long time plot holders. Don't be afraid of getting a "no". Decrease the number of responsibilities the management team is managing. Have team lead volunteers that handle specific tasks. Ex. mowing, turn on water system, etc If possible, raise funds to pay a parttime employee to manage some aspects of the garden management. Coordinator led Gardens benefit from having volunteer input in the management of the garden Volunteers take on certain tasks and lead the group who does them ex. Volunteer management is necessary if it is required of plot holders as the way to maintain the garden, or if a food pantry, educational or other volunteer led program is offered at the garden.

Create a point person or team for managing volunteer signup and garden work days. This can also help avoid some common problems like maintaining communal areas of the garden outside of plots. It is suggested that volunteers submit their own hours through an email, a shared spreadsheet, a Google Form, or a volunteer log, or similar. Mentorship encourage mentorship of new gardeners to build consistent garden norms. Challenges Liability establishing liability is important in the event that someone is harmed at the garden or by partaking in the garden. This can be avoided or mitigated by Partnering with a land organization, school, town, or nonprofit that has an applicable insurance policy. Purchasing liability insurance. Lock the gate to the garden, give only the

plotters the combination. Clearly label all garden tools so they are not accidentally taken home and can be returned if taken accidentally. Clearly post signage stating the garden rules to discourage stealing, or unintended stealing. Speak with the thief directly if known to ensure they understand the rules. Expel them from the garden if necessary. Member Conflict Not all plot holders will have compatible personalities and intervention may be necessary. Clearly mark plot boundaries, if possible with physical barriers. Design conflict resolution guidelines. Move conflicting plot holders away from one another in subsequent years. Clearly post garden rules, ensure that all plotters sign garden agreement, guidelines, or similar. This can be used to remind plot holders what they agreed to when joining the garden. Helpful Contacts Maine Organic Farmers and Gardeners Association Great resources for Mainers, including a directory of Community Supported Agriculture CSA locations.

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American Community Gardening Association This national organization provides resources on ways to create and improve your community garden along with holding events, releasing publications, and working to help community gardens achieve the most they can. Cultivating Community A Portland area organization that is committed to strengthening communities by growing food, preparing youth leaders and University of Maine Cooperative Extension Staff Contact information for Cooperative Extension staff by County Also can contact about local Master Gardener Volunteers who may be able to offer on the ground support Local zoning contacts check with your town office UMA Community Gardens Focusing on the social and psychological aspects of creating a community garden. Resource for Working with Local Governments Cultivating Community Garden's Guide to working with local government CDC's Community Garden benefits information Includes case studies outlining garden benefits Funding Where can gardens get funding for staff time and materials. Local businesses, banks and community development funds great sources of start up funds Local community food council check Maine Network of Community Food Councils for local council contact information may be able to integrate garden funding needs into other grant proposals or know of local funding sources SEEDMoney a great crowdfunding site to obtain startup and ongoing funds Maine Community Foundation works with donors and other partners to improve the quality of life for all Maine people. New England Grassroots Environment Fund seeks to energize and nurture long term civic engagement in local initiatives that create and maintain healthy, just, safe and environmentally sustainable communities. Food Corps regularly shares grant opportunities Maine School Garden Network regularly shares grant opportunities NRCM Seed Grant To advance sustainable community initiatives throughout the state.

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We offer seed grants for organized committees and startup groups. Fiskers Project Orange Thumb supports programs that celebrate innovation, education and biodiversity. Our grants aim to make a real impact by supporting schools and community gardening initiatives across North America. Network for Good lots of great resources on how to fundraise, how to thank donors, etc. Community groups rotary club, land trust partnerships, etc How to thank your funders. For start up funding consider a ribbon cutting event with press, signage for funders For all funders press releases, social media, newsletter, or website coverage thanking funders, personal note Offer an end of season Harvest Supper, or Plotluck for gardeners and funders. This is especially useful with localized, or community based funder. Community Gardens can be in Neighborhoods, on Farms, the inner city, rural areas, at Schools, Colleges and Universities, on Roof Tops, on Blighted Land, tear down a vacant building and create a Community Garden. And, Always remember to donate extra Food to your local Food Pantry and Food Bank. Please help us continue our work by giving a donation. More than 100 gardeners grow pesticidefree, fresh vegetables for their families' tables, and our gardens

are a primary source of fresh food in many neighborhoods. We support Bridgeport gardeners by providing hands-on workshops, growing guides and crop plans, seeds and seedlings, soil, and other resources. Community Gardens are pieces of land where people get together to grow food, and make decisions together to make the garden be a vibrant community space. Whether a 100 garden plots or a 50 square foot rooftop patch, community gardens are places where people share ideas, resources and experiences while growing food. Every year we support the start up and sustaining of community gardens and gardeners across the city. And there's a really special one at Gordonridge Place.

Since graduating from university, Natalie has found herself in all sorts of roles that feed her various passions, including being senior coordinator for PACT GrowtoLearn, a schoolyard gardening and food justice organization here in Toronto. Natalie has one foot in the food justice movement. Fill out the Community Garden Wishlist form and FoodShare may be able to support this growing season. It also outlines the process for requesting Council-managed public open space to be allocated for a new community garden, including This manual was produced with funding from the Helen McPherson Smith Trust to guide people on how to establish community gardens in fire-affected parts of Victoria. It provides practical information on planning, developing and managing community gardens. We strongly encourage you to read the manual so you understand the terms and guidelines for being part of the UNLV Campus Community Garden. Please fill out the Apply Now form down below to apply. Feel free to mix and match staff and students in your bed! This is a RSO that is run separately from the UNLV Campus Community Garden and are allotted about 4 beds to share. You can join through the Involvement Center page make sure you are logged in through your ACE account. The entrance is by the Stan Fulton Building Parking Lot. Check back for more info, or visit the UNLV Calendar once details are finalized. Community gardens handbook How to start and maintain a garden, a guide for community groups in Alberta. Sign up for our newsletter to receive the latest updates. To support these gardens, Environment Lethbridge hosts the Lethbridge Community Garden Network, which is designed to provide information and support to new and existing gardens.

The Community Garden Network is comprised of representatives from Environment Lethbridge, Alberta Health Services, Chinook Food Connect, Lethbridge Sustainable Living Association, and the City of Lethbridge along with members from the Campus Roots Community Garden, the Lethbridge Interfaith Food Bank and the Westminster Neighbourhood Garden. Day of Service The following resources, which have been developed or recommended through our partnership with Antioch University New England AUNE provide targeted, reliable information with employee gardeners' specific interests in mind Cooperative Extension agents can provide on-site education and guidance. Day of Service. The website is no longer updated and links to external websites and some internal pages may not work. Rallying support from your neighbors, friends or community-led organizations is a great way to start a garden in your back yard so to speak. The USDA's Peoples Garden initiative offers lots of useful resources and a supportive network for both first-time planters and seasoned harvesters. If a community garden will benefit the community, build on this momentum by holding regular meetings to collaborate on ideas and goals. Develop a plan of action. Get people energized and organized. USDA's People's Garden website has how-to videos and databases filled with garden-based learning curricula, free seed and funding sources, and healthy gardening practices. You can call on an Extension Master Gardener volunteer in your area to help with gardening challenges. The long-term success of your community garden will depend a great deal on relationships with partners. And be sure to check out the Community Garden Resource Guide. Community gardens range in purpose from increasing access to fresh, healthy food in rural towns to providing safe green spaces where youth can play in urban cities. What type of community garden will your neighborhood be planting. Knowing this information will narrow your search for a site.

If growing food, find a location that receives at least six hours of direct sunlight per day with easy access to water. Check if the land you would be growing on has proper drainage. Once you identify

an ideal site, find out who owns the land. Contact the landowner and discuss next steps which may include obtaining permission through written agreement or lease and getting liability insurance. Once the past uses have been determined, take samples of the soil and have them analyzed to find out soil type and quality. EPA has stepbystep guidelines on how to do this. Consult with your state environmental agency, local health department, or county's Cooperative Extension office to learn how to take a soil sample and to determine what kinds of samples you should take. The quality of the soil can have an effect on the design of your garden. Design your garden to fit the needs of the community it serves. Consider factors such as ageappropriate design, accessibility, protection from animals or vandalism, storage of tools, and space to gather. Incorporate sustainable gardening techniques such as using native plants, composting, mulching, applying an integrated pest management approach, creating a habitat for wildlife, using water wisely or installing a rain barrel. Use the USDA Plant Hardiness Zone Map to determine which plants will thrive in your part of the country. Once the project is up and running, let everyone know. Gain greater community support by welcoming visitors and sharing updates on how the neighborhood is benefiting from the garden's existence. Over time, revisit the plan and make any needed changes based on lessons learned or feedback from partners and neighbors. Remember to plan ahead so that the garden will continue to grow for seasons to come. Reflecting a desire among our residents for more community garden space, we've created the Issaquah Community Garden at Confluence Park in historic Olde Town Issaquah.

If you love to garden but lack the space, the Issaquah Community Garden is the place for you. New applications are accepted on an ongoing basis. If you are interested in being placed on our waitlist Submit your application online, or call 4258373328. Location Set inside Confluence Park, the Issaquah Community Garden was designed to encourage a thriving gardening community. Today, community gardens continue to make positive contributions in neighborhoods across North Carolina. Winner of an American Society for Horticultural Science, Extension Division, 2017 Educational Materials Award, Collard Greens and Common Ground A North Carolina Community Food Gardening Handbook is a practical guide to community gardening. Based on experience and research, it is packed with best practices, tested strategies, and useful checklists. The guide covers every step in the community gardening process, from starting a new garden to sustainable longterm garden management and policy. Whether you are new to community gardening or a seasoned veteran, Collard Greens and Common Ground will help your community garden flourish. Revised and updated by Extension Educator Barbara Murphy, University of Maine Cooperative Extension. This fact sheet in the Food for ME series includes suggestions on how to set up a community garden project, recruit volunteers, and establish a garden plot. What type of garden should it be flower, vegetable, organic. Will it have individual or group plots. Invite neighbors, friends, church groups, garden clubs, and apartment dwellers anyone who might be interested in getting the project off the ground. It can take more than a year to get all of the pieces in place for a successful community garden. Choose wellorganized people as garden coordinators. Form subcommittees, if needed, to tackle specific issues such as obtaining land, writing guidelines, finding sponsors, and communication.

Approach town recreation departments, civic groups, and churches with your idea, and emphasize the ways in which the town, as well as participating individuals, will benefit. Be creative auction off square feet of land, offer to put sponsors' names on a wall of benefactors, or offer to donate produce to a specific cause in exchange for support. For maximum yield, the site should receive a minimum of eight hours of sun a day during the growing season—preferably more. For a simple activity to determine how much sun a piece of land gets, place paper cups randomly over the area being considered for the garden. At 9:00 a.m., place a piece of popcorn in every cup that is in the sun. Do this every two hours until 5:00 p.m. The cups with the most popped corn at the end of the day received the most sun. Also, think about easy access, a water source, and parking. Create a master

plan and organize a work day or two to get the site gardenready. Remember to consider room for compost piles, paths, tool sheds, a communication area, etc., as needed. Children aren't necessarily interested in the same goals as adults, so provide a separate space where they can explore, plant, play, and harvest at their own speed. Don't be so restrictive that new gardeners may feel unable to participate. The following subjects will need to be discussed Make sure the garden coordinator has contact information for all participants. Create a message area for updates and notices, take and post pictures, and celebrate regularly. It contains legal resources for establishing community gardens on vacant land that is owned by individuals or other private entities, as opposed to public land. It includes these resources Established in 2003, the threeacre Yarmouth Community Garden YCG has become one of the largest and most diverse community gardens in the state. One hundred and forty 10foot by 10foot rental plots are available to area residents.

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