



Schuylkill River Park Community Garden

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Dear Resident —

Welcome to the plot waiting list for the Schuylkill River Park Community Garden (SRPCG). The Garden is on Fairmount Park land of the City of Philadelphia ("City") and is leased to the Center City Residents' Association ("Manager"), which manages the Garden through a Steering Committee comprised of current SRPCG Gardeners. Typical wait time for a plot is between 1 and 3 years, depending on plot turnover in any particular year. Licensed Plots are renewable annually by Gardeners in compliance with the License Agreement and the *Garden Guidelines and Rules* (see document on website at www.srpcg.org) for up to a six year term. Plot fees at present are \$65 for a 10x10, \$85 for a 10x15 and \$105 for a 10x20. Fees are subject to change.

A few rules to keep in mind: You must remain a CCRA Resident Member during your entire tenure on the waiting list (and in the SRPCG). If your CCRA Membership lapses, we will remind you to renew in writing. If you fail to renew after a few reminders, you will be removed from the waiting list. If after removal you subsequently re-activate your membership, you will be eligible to re-join the waiting list and will be added as the last person. Additionally, you must continue to live within CCRA boundaries (Schuylkill to West side of Broad between the North side of South and the South side of JFK) during your entire tenure on the waiting list and as a gardener in the SRPCG. If you should move within the CCRA boundaries while on the waiting list, please inform the CCRA office of your new address immediately. Please also keep the office informed of any changes to your e-mail address or phone number as that is how you will be contacted when a plot is available. While on the waiting list, you may not plant within any SRPCG Gardener's Plot for any reason, even if given permission by a Gardener.

As a waiting list member, you will have the opportunity to participate in many SRPCG Activities. These include, among others, participating in our Annual Harvest Supper, work days, and Lady Bug Release festivities for children (refer to the Garden Calendar on the website). We also offer waiting list members the opportunity to plant a very small plot of land (approximately 4 x 2.5) in our Waiting List Plantings which are located on the Western edge of the garden. We try to accommodate as many waiting list members as possible in this program, but we are generally unable to accommodate all those who are interested. We send out information regarding this program and how to become involved each spring.

To check your status on the waiting list, please contact CCRA at centercity@centercityresidents.org. The waiting list is also available for inspection on the SRPCG bulletin board. To learn more about the SRPCG, check out our website: www.srpcg.org

Again, welcome to the waiting list. We are looking forward to seeing you in the Garden. Sincerely,

The SRPCG Steering Committee