

Children's Garden Registration and "Hold Harmless" Agreement

The following rules and restrictions apply to the Children's Garden:

- a. The fee for a row in the Children's Garden is \$20 a year per child, or \$35 for 2 children in the same family.
- b. A parent or guardian is not required to have plot at the WPCG in order for their child to participate in the Children's Garden.
- c. Only children between the ages of 5 and a half and 13 can be members of the Children's Garden. Any child gardening in the plot needs to be accompanied and supervised by a parent or guardian 16 years of age or older.
- d. In order for a child to garden in the Watkins Pond Children's Garden, a liability waiver needs to be signed by that child's parent or guardian.
- e. The parents of any child gardening in the WPCG Children's Garden, and the child, must commit to participating at least one WPCG work party during the growing season.
- f. There will be a mandatory WPCG Children's Garden information session prior to planting. A child will not be permitted to garden unless both the child and a parent/guardian attend this session.
- g. Any disagreements among children participating in the WPCG Children's Garden will be settled by the parents or guardians involved.
- h. There will be a limit of 12 children who are able to participate in the WPCG Children's Garden during any one growing season. Space will be provided on a first-come-first-serve basis.
- i. The gardening space allotted each child will be divided equitably among all children.
- j. Children gardening in the WPCG Children's Garden will manage the upkeep of their plantings and are entitled to any produce grown in their allotted space, but we would like to encourage the sharing of produce this year as we are using raised beds for the first time.

I have read and understand these rules and restrictions, and I agree to abide by these rules and the general rules of the garden while gardening in the Watkins Pond Community Garden.

Child's Name _____

Parent or Guardian Printed Name _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____, Date _____

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Each gardener must fill out a form*. Please print legibly

Please complete this form with your check made out to Watkins Pond Community Garden (WPCG)

Child's Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ (must be in the City of Rockville)

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Address (if different from above) _____

City _____ Zip _____ (must be in the City of Rockville)

Phone (home) _____ (work) _____ (cell) _____

E-mail _____

_____ The information above may be shared with other gardeners* (Initial to approve).

*This information will be used for registration and garden news purposes only. It will not be shared beyond the WPCG Board without your written approval.

I have read the WPCG Rules and understand that failure to follow these rules, and all applicable City of Rockville laws and regulations, will result in the loss of my garden plot without refund. I understand that the WPCG Board is the final arbiter of complaints against me. I am a resident of the City of Rockville and do not hold another plot in the City.

I understand and agree that none of the following entities are responsible for my actions or the actions of my children and/or guests in connection to my/our activities at the WPCG: WPCG Board Members, other WPCG Members, King Farm Board of Trustees, City of Rockville, Transco Gas, Williams Pipeline or owners of the land. I THEREFORE AGREE TO HOLD HARMLESS THE WPCG BOARD MEMBERS, OTHER WPCG MEMBERS, KING FARM BOARD OF TRUSTEES, CITY OF ROCKVILLE, TRANSCO GAS, WILLIAMS PIPELINE OR OWNERS OF THE LAND FOR ANY LIABILITY, DAMAGE, LOSS OR CLAIM THAT OCCURS IN CONNECTION WITH ANY OF MY ACTIVITIES OR THE ACTIVITIES OF MY CHILDREN AND GUESTS AT THE WPCG.

I have read and understand these rules, and I agree to abide by these rules and the general rules of the garden while gardening in the Watkins Pond Community Garden.

Parent or Guardian Printed Name _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____, Date _____