



GARDEN PLOT REQUEST FORM

BONNEY LAKE COMMUNITY GARDEN

Instructions: Provide all requested information. Sign and date the form. Return this form and payment to:
City of Bonney Lake, Attn: Community Garden, P.O. Box 7380 / 9002 Main St E, Bonney Lake, WA 98391
or by fax to (253) 862-8538.

Application Deadlines: *May 1st – Returning gardeners please apply by March 1st.*

Name(s): _____ City of Bonney Lake Resident? Yes*
 No

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell/Work Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Community Garden Location: 18424 89th Street East, Bonney Lake

Garden Plot Request:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Single Plot – 6' x 12' | <input type="checkbox"/> Double Plot – Two 6' x 12' (as available) |
| Plot Number (if known) _____ | Plot Numbers (if known) _____ |
| Annual Fee: 2017 - \$10.00** | Annual Fee: 2017 - \$20.00** |
| 2018 - \$25.00** | 2018 - \$50.00** |

The City may share applicant information with Harvest Pierce County (part of the [Pierce Conservation District](#)) for organizing and development.

Yes - please share my contact info. with Harvest Pierce County
 Opt-Out – *please do not share my info. with Harvest Pierce County*

* Applicants residing inside the city limits of the City of Bonney Lake may receive first priority for available garden plots.
 ** Discounts for qualified applicants may be available; Call (253) 862-8602, ext. 3282, for more information.

Acknowledgements:

The undersigned hereby applies to the City of Bonney Lake for use of the above community garden plot and certifies the information is correct and furthermore agrees to abide by all ordinances, policies, and rules and regulations which may apply.

The applicant hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Bonney Lake and its officers, agents, officials, employees, and volunteers, from and against any and all claims, demands, suits, action, payments and judgments as a result of injury or death of any person or property damage to any property sustained by applicant or any other persons which arise from or in any manner grow out of any act or omission on or about said facility by applicant, its agent, guest, or employees, in the execution of this Garden Plot Request Form including any and all expenses, legal or otherwise incurred by the City or its representatives in the defense of any suit or claim.

The applicant agrees to follow guidelines established by the City of Bonney Lake.

Forms submitted to the City may be subject to public disclosure under the Washington State Public Records Act (RCW 42.56).

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____ Fee Enclosed/Paid: \$ _____

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Date Received: _____	By: _____	Approved By: _____	Date _____
Amount Paid: _____	Plot # _____		



Bonney Lake Community Garden (BLCG)

2017 Rules and Regulations

- Garden plot assignments will be determined by the Membership Coordinator. You will be contacted within 2 weeks of your application. Gardeners in good standing from the previous year receive priority.
- The plot can be gardened from the time of plot assignment until termination of relationship with Bonney Lake Community Garden (BLCG).
- Limit of two sites per individual with a limit of four per household. Additional sites may be available after April 1.
- Preference will be given for those with physical limitations for the four half size and two full size raised gardens.
- A free-standing tool shed is provided for garden members for storage of tools.
- Wood chips, Tagro soil, compost, and water for the garden is available on site at no charge.

Gardener Responsibilities:

Each gardener will:

1. Pay fees associated with registration. Registration fees go toward purchase of new tools, hoses and other supplies related to the operation of Bonney Lake Community Garden.
2. Maintain assigned plots, plantings, and 24 inch perimeter around their entire plot site in a healthy and weed-free condition at all times. Consistent maintenance of the plot is required for throughout the year. Any plot not planted and/or maintained by May 1st or within 2 weeks of assignment subsequent to May 1 will be considered abandoned and made available for reassignment.
3. Harvest garden produce regularly and avoid allowing it go to waste. You may be contacted by the BLCG Leadership Team member if there is an urgent need to harvest produce. If the produce is not harvested in a timely manner it will be donated to the food bank or senior center.
4. Respect fellow gardeners. Plantings must be kept within the borders of assigned plot(s).
5. Agree to plant crops that do not grow above five feet high relative to ground level surrounding the plot. Corn, sunflowers and raspberries are prohibited due to this height restriction.
6. Clean up after him/herself including storing tools, taking organic materials to yard waste bins, and taking any rubbish or trash off-site.
7. Use earth-friendly or organic gardening practices. Application of herbicides (weed killers) to the garden plots and surrounding areas is prohibited.
8. Pick only his/her crops. Produce grown through this program may not be sold. Donations to charitable organizations are encouraged.

9. Attend as least one general membership meeting per year and/or complete the annual gardener's survey.
10. Contribute at least 8 volunteer hours per year maintaining common areas and/or participating at Garden projects. A list of the maintenance tasks will be posted on-site.
11. Record his/her volunteer hours of common-area garden maintenance in the Garden Work Log located inside garden shed.
12. Make arrangements for backup plot care if unable to tend for his/her plot.
13. Notify the Membership Coordinator promptly if necessary to abandon garden plot for any reason.
14. Supervise children so they don't disturb other sites. Pets are not permitted in the BLCG.
15. Use water and other supplied materials wisely; mulching helps preserve water.
16. Seek conflict resolution through the BLCG Board as specified in the Garden By-Laws.

I agree to these Rules & Regulations

Gardener's Name	Signature	Date
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Thank you and Happy Gardening!

If you have any questions, suggestions, and/or comments, please contact the current Site Coordinator, Bonney Lake Community Garden.

Points of contact for garden issues:

Site Coordinator: blcg.contact@gmail.com

Membership Coordinator: blcg.membership@gmail.com