

# **FORREST HILL ORGANIC COMMUNITY GARDEN**

## **GARDENER'S MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

By adopting a garden plot I agree to:

1. Plant my plot by June 1, or lose it;
2. Maintain and upkeep my plot including weeding, and help maintain common areas, paths and fence lines;
3. Harvest promptly to avoid wasting food;
4. Conserve water by Mulching with straw, grass clippings, leaves, etc.
5. Not use synthetic fertilizer, chemical pesticides or herbicides;
6. Participate in spring and fall cleanups;
7. Not plant vine crops such as pumpkin, melons, or winter squash
8. Prepare my plot(s) for winter by October 30th;
9. Not bring pets in the garden;
10. Not to pick from other plots without first gaining approval from the person(s) tending it;
11. \* Not smoke in or around garden area;
12. Learn about and practice organic gardening methods.

Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Smoking tobacco carries the risk of spreading the tobacco mosaic virus from hands to garden plants.