



Micah's Garden Plot Registration

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Phone (home) _____ (cell) _____

Plots are 8x4 feet and 12" high.

A plot fee of \$30 is required before the plot can be assigned. Each gardener agrees to donate 2 hours per month in service to Micah's Garden.

Please mark three areas that interest you for volunteering during the season:

- ___ Site maintenance
- ___ Delivery of produce to food pantries
- ___ Annual planting of community plots
- ___ Fall cleanup
- ___ Composting
- ___ Social events

I have read the Community Garden Guidelines and agree to abide by the guidelines required of all gardeners.

Signature _____ Date _____



Micah's Garden Guidelines

1. Plot fees are due in full before the garden season begins (\$30 per plot plus 2 hours per month of service to Micah's Garden for the 2016 growing season). These will be opportunities to tend the collective grounds, the 4 community plots, and to have fun getting to know each other.
2. Each gardener must complete a Release of all Claims form before any work in the garden can begin.
3. Assignment of garden plots will be awarded by a lottery system. Preference for this year's plots will be given to this last's participants first.
4. Each gardener is responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of their garden plot. Watering, weeding, harvesting and any other garden related maintenance are the responsibility of the gardener.
5. A limited number of tools, hoses and watering equipment will be available in the community garden storage bin for use.
6. Please keep garden gate closed and return all tools.
7. Micah's Garden welcomes children with adult supervision.
8. Garden plots should be cared for at least once a week. It is the gardener's responsibility to notify the coordinator if he or she is not able to care for their plot in any given week. Please keep your plot neat and clean with no trash, standing water, unsightly objects or freestanding structures. Weeds must be kept under control and plant litter must be removed.
9. Community Gardeners agree to employ organic gardening practices at Micah's Garden: mechanical weeding, composting, companion planting, and the like. Organic fertilizers and pesticides are allowed. The application of synthetic herbicides (weed killers) to the garden plots is prohibited.
10. Please do not harvest vegetables and flowers from your neighbor's plot. All gardeners are encouraged to help harvest from the 4 community plots for our food pantry partners on Wednesdays.
11. Feel free to donate surplus produce from your plot to our food pantry partners on Wednesdays.
12. Only legal produce may be planted at Micah's Garden.
13. At the end of the growing season, gardeners will clear their plot of all plant material and leaving the plot as they found it in the spring.



Micah's Garden: Release of All Claims for Seasonal Gardeners

I, _____, am a participant in Micah's Garden. In order to participate in Micah's Garden, I agree to the following:

1. I am duly aware of the risks and hazards that may arise through participation in Micah's Garden, and assume any expenses and liabilities I incur in the event of an accident, illness or other incapacity. If I had any questions about Micah's Garden, its nature, risks or hazards, I have contacted the Jennie Hodge or Pastor John and discussed those questions with her or him to my satisfaction.

2. In consideration of being granted the opportunity to participate in Micah's Garden, I, for myself, my executors, administrators, agents and assigns do hereby release and forever discharge the Garden Committee, Garden Coordinator, volunteers, other gardeners, and the cooperating landowner from all claims of damages, demands, and any actions whatsoever, including those based on negligence, in any manner arising out of my participation in this activity. I understand that this Release means that, among other things, I am giving up my right to sue for any such losses, damages, injury or costs that I may incur.

I represent and certify that my true age is either 18 years old or, if I am under 18 years old on this date, my parent or legal guardian has read and signed this form. I have read this entire Release, fully understand it, and I agree to be legally bound by it.

Participant's Signature _____

Printed Name _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____

Printed Name _____ Date _____