

Useful Information for Garden Leaders – 2018



General

- Website at <http://comogardens.org/>
- Facebook at <http://www.facebook.com/CommunityGardenCoalition?ref=ts&fref=ts>.
- Donate money at <http://comogardens.org/donate-money/>
- Donate food at <https://comogardens.org/donate-food/>
- Donate stuff at <https://comogardens.org/donate-stuff/>

Forms

- Household Gardener Info Forms at <https://comogardens.org/gardener-data/>.
 - Needs to be completed annually by all gardeners at neighborhood and non-youth group gardens
 - We **STRONGLY** encourage gardeners to fill out the online version.
- Youth Garden Info Form (online only) at <https://comogardens.org/resources/garden-leaders/>
- Propose a new garden at <https://comogardens.org/resources/garden-leaders/>

Funds and Compost

- Yearly \$100 allotment and requesting additional money through Funding Request form at <https://comogardens.files.wordpress.com/2017/11/funding-request-jan-2013.pdf>.
- Compost – CGC will reimburse for cost of compost and bulk delivery (up to approx. \$140)
 - Primary source: City of Columbia
(<http://www.gocolumbiamo.com/PublicWorks/Solidwaste/compost-mulch.php>)
 - Compost is available the City Landfill for \$12 per yard.
 - Pick up on Thursday afternoons (1-4pm) and second Saturday of the month (8am-12pm). Check website to be sure.
 - Hauling for \$45 plus the cost of compost from Jerry Calvin – Schedule using #696-3695 (home). Cell # is 819-0673. Can carry about 7 cubic yards.
 - Craigslist is a good source – look under Farm and Garden – but make sure source material was not treated with a persistent herbicide.
- Use tax exempt form for purchases and keep receipts.

Supplies

- Seeds – We will be available at the Spring Thaw and plant distributions (while supplies last).
- Transplants – Cool season plants to be available in late March; warm season to be available in mid-May. Monetary Donations requested. Pick up at Claudell, 711 Claudell Lane.
- Mulch
 - Straw bales are at Claudell and Ash St. (201 West Ash). They are available for sharing.
 - Other options: Civic Recycling for wood chips, Craig's list for old hay and straw. Keep us posted if you find a good source.
 - May request funds through Funding Request form for these items

Tillers

- Walk-behind BCS and a Troy-Bilt @ Claudell (contact Bill for info, wm.mckelvey@gmail.com, 573-746-0770)