

GreenSpace Native Plant Community Garden (aka GreenSpace on Fourth)

MEMBER AGREEMENT and QUESTIONNAIRE

Members may be gardeners and/or assist the garden in other ways, or a member may just care about the garden being there and want to be supportive.

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone (s) _____

E-Mail _____ Are you currently on the GreenSpaceonFourth listserv?

Yes ___ No ___ What email address should we use for this list? _____

Skills and Interests (Please check all that apply)

As a gardener, I am: a beginner ___ somewhat experienced ___ expert ___

Most of my gardening has been at: Home ___ Work ___ Community Garden ___ Other _____

Special skills:

Native Plant knowledge ___ Horticulture ___ Greenhouse work ___

Compost ___ (Are you a Master Composter? Yes ___ No ___) Rainwater management systems ___

Solar Power ___ Construction/Carpentry ___ Web/WordPress Design ___ Graphics/Posters ___

Workshop Facilitator ___ Educator ___ Grant Writer ___ Lawyer ___ Architect ___

Can provide indoor meeting space ___

Other (what?) _____

Special Interests/Reason(s) for joining: _____

I have read the Member Responsibilities and agree to abide by them, and I have read and agree to uphold the GreenThumb policies for community gardens.

Signature _____ Date _____

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(this page is retained by Member)

As a Member of the GreenSpace Native Plant Community Garden, I understand that:

Members are expected to participate in the community garden or contribute skills or time in various ways to make the garden a great place and productive community resource.

Garden Members are expected to attend monthly meetings where you may participate in decisions about the garden, raise concerns, propose ideas, etc.

Members are expected to be on the Garden's listserv for updates, timely notices, etc.

Members will sign up for and keep open hours at least once a month, April through October, for one hour. Current open hours are Saturdays, 11am – 1pm. Additional days and hours to be determined at a garden membership meeting. During open hours a Member can be gardening, watering, reading, etc., but will welcome visitors when they enter, answer questions, etc.

The Garden gate is NEVER to remain open without a Member present.

The lock combination (or key) is not to be given to a non-Member.

When you open the gate, the lock must be re-locked so it doesn't fall off or get stolen.

Members will read the GreenThumb community garden policies and our DEP license terms and honor them. Both documents will be available on a tab at the GreenSpaceonFourth.org website.

Members will pay a \$20 annual membership fee for individuals and \$30 for a household (partner, spouse, children). All adult household members need to complete an application. No one will be denied membership for lack of funds. Preferred method of payment is a check made out to GreenSpace, but a cash payment is also accepted.

Applications/checks should be mailed to GreenSpace, 148 Sterling Place, Brooklyn NY 11217.

In case of an emergency, please contact Judy at 718.638.8939 or Tom at 646.797.7505. If the situation is something dangerous, criminal or pertains to physical injury, call 911 and leave Judy and/or Tom a voice message ASAP. Should the lock be broken or missing, please secure with another padlock and give a key or combination to Judy or Tom, save and submit receipts, and you will be reimbursed. Please post to listserv what has taken place. Preferred lock is a combination lock where we can determine the combination.

