

Plainsboro Community Garden

The Community Garden is available to Plainsboro Township residents through a random-drawing lottery system. Successful applicants will be granted permission to “farm” a garden plot, measuring 20’ x 20’ (one plot per household). Fifty-four plots will be available in the 2011 drawing. The Plainsboro Community Garden is located on the south side of Plainsboro Road at the base of the railroad bridge.

Application Procedure: Completed application form and \$25 application fee must be submitted to the township by March 14, 2011 as detailed below. The application fee is non-refundable to successful applicants. An additional \$50 security deposit will be required of those selected by April 15, 2011. **If you had a plot last year you may request in writing to apply the security deposit to this year security deposit.** The security deposit will be refunded at the end of the season if the plot is maintained and cleaned up as outlined in program rules.

Planting Season: Gardeners may access their plots after April 9, 2011. Garden permits expire December 15, 2011. Plots must be vacated and returned to pre-planting condition on or before December 15, 2011 to qualify for refund of security deposit.

Water is available, as well as an on-site compost facility. Questions may be directed to Plainsboro Township Public Works, 609-799-0099.

DATES TO REMEMBER	March 14, 2011	Application Deadline
	March 22, 2011	Public Lottery Drawing – Plainsboro Twp. Court Room 7:30 pm (Tuesday)
	April 9, 2011	Garden plots available for access and use
	Dec. 15, 2011	Permits expire – deadline for clean-up

Application for 20’ x 20’ Plot at Plainsboro Community Garden *Plainsboro Residency Required*

Completed application form and \$25 application fee (check payable to Plainsboro Township) must be received by March 14, 2011. Applications should be mailed to Township of Plainsboro, Community Gardens Program, 641 Plainsboro Road, Plainsboro NJ 08536. One application per household.

If selected in the drawing, the applicant understands that the \$25 application fee is non-refundable, and that an additional \$50 security deposit will be required, refundable pending proper maintenance and clean-up of the assigned plot as outlined in the program rules and regulations. The applicant agrees to abide by all of the regulations for the Plainsboro Community Garden and understands that the seasonal permit may be terminated at any time for violation of regulations. The applicant holds harmless the Township of Plainsboro, its employees, officials, and volunteers thereof with regard to any injury or accident that may occur as a result of the use of this facility.

Please Print Clearly

Name _____ Day Phone _____

Address _____

Signature _____ Date _____

For Township Use

Plot Assignment _____ Security Deposit Rec'd _____ Final Disposition _____