



## *Welcome to the Eatontown Community Garden*

Dear Gardener,

Thank you for your interest in the Eatontown Community Garden. Eatontown is excited for the 2024 gardening season to begin.

We welcome our returning gardeners and all interested new gardeners. The Eatontown Community Garden was developed by the Eatontown Green Team in partnership with the Mayor, Council, and the Borough of Eatontown. The garden is part of the many offerings presented by the Eatontown Recreation Department. The garden is located on Grant Avenue in Eatontown, across from Gerry Tarantolo Park.

Weather permitting, we anticipate the open of our garden season to be March 1st. DPW will turn on the water mid-April and turn off the water in the Fall (specific dates will be determined based on the weather and gardeners may not be given advanced notice). Gardeners will have access to the Community Garden until November.

**The 2024 Garden Rules and Responsibilities are included with this letter. It is required that all gardeners, returning and new, carefully review and familiarize themselves with the Garden Rules and Responsibilities each season. Additionally, all gardeners are required to sign-off on receipt of the Rules and Responsibilities.**

**New 2024 Gardener Applications will not be accepted until April 1, 2024.**

Registration for participation in the Community Garden will be taken online through the Recreation Department's registration software: [www.EatontownRecNJ.com](http://www.EatontownRecNJ.com). Alternatively, the application and contract are available to register in person or through the mail.

If you are unable to register online, need assistance with registering, or have questions/concerns, please reach out to the Recreation Department and the office staff will be able to assist you.

Happy Gardening,  
Eatontown Recreation  
(732) 389-7607  
[rec@eatontownnj.com](mailto:rec@eatontownnj.com)

## 2024 GARDEN SEASON

Online Registration is preferred: [www.EatontownRecNJ.com](http://www.EatontownRecNJ.com)  
Use this form only if you do not have computer/internet access.  
Please be advised, e-mail is our primary method of communication.

### *Eatontown Community Garden Application & Contract*

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

Gardener's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Applicant Status** (circle 1)

Returning    New

**I already have an**

**EatontownRecNJ Account**

(circle 1)

Yes    No    Unknown

Home Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATIONS FOR NEW GARDENERS FOR 2024 SEASON WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNTIL 4/1/24.**

**Plot Size:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Large Plot (4' x 20') - \$25

\_\_\_\_\_ Small Plot (4' x 10') - \$15

\_\_\_\_\_ total amount due

Please contact Eatontown Recreation with any questions by email at [rec@eatontownnj.com](mailto:rec@eatontownnj.com) or by phone (732) 389-7607.

The Borough of Eatontown and their agents, employees, and officers 1) shall not be held liable for failure to perform or fulfill their contractual obligation for any reason within or beyond their control, 2) shall not be held liable for damages, loss or injury for any reason within or beyond their control and 3) shall not be liable for any theft, damage to, loss of, or replacement of any belongings, equipment, materials, tools, or plantings. Insurance for such loss, damages or injury shall be the sole responsibility of each Gardener at their own expense. The Gardener shall indemnify and hold harmless the Borough of Eatontown and their respective agents, employees, and officers against all claims, damages, losses and expenses that may result or arise in regard to the Gardener participation in the Eatontown Community Garden.

I, the undersigned applicant, have read, understand, and agree to comply with the Eatontown Community Garden Rules and Responsibilities (reverse/attached). I agree that failure to comply with these rules may result in termination of plot usage rights. I expressly release the Borough of Eatontown and their agents, employees, and officers from any and all liability for any damage, injury or loss to any person or good which may arise from participation.

Applications without signature will not be accepted.

Signature & Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mail or drop off this completed application with your plot fee (payable to "Borough of Eatontown," marked "Eatontown Community Garden") to:

Eatontown Recreation  
Attn: Eatontown Community Garden  
47 Broad Street  
Eatontown, New Jersey 07724

*If no plots are currently available, the applicant will be notified and placed on a waiting list, and fee payment will be refunded, until a plot becomes available.*