



## THURMONT COMMUNITY GARDEN

### *Terms of Use - 2019*

Registration begins February 1, 2019

1. The fee for each garden plot is \$20. Payment and signed “Terms of Use” must be submitted before the garden plot can be used.
2. A contact list of garden tenants will be established to facilitate communications. If you do not want your information shared, please indicate at time of signing.
3. If there is a waiting list, beds unplanted by May 31<sup>st</sup> may be forfeited and given to the next available gardener.
4. Do not plant tall crops that may shade someone else’s plot. Any plants expected to be over 4’ high should be planted in the center of your garden plot.
5. Keep weeds and insects under control without the use of insecticides and/or herbicides.
6. Please do not leave personal effects or gardening tools behind as they may be lost or stolen. The Town of Thurmont is not responsible for the loss or damage to any personal effects.
7. You may dispose of plant materials in the compost bin adjacent to the gardens. Please take non-compostable trash with you.
8. Please supervise children and pets so they do not disturb garden plots. Pets should be leashed. Please clean up after your pet.
9. Please conserve the water. Water should only be collected from the water tanks by the use of watering cans, buckets, etc. Hoses should not be connected to the tanks and the faucets should always be turned off when not in use.
10. If you need to be absent for an extended period of time, ask someone to tend your garden while you are away. If you can’t find anyone, notify the Community Garden Coordinator at [ThurmontGarden@gmail.com](mailto:ThurmontGarden@gmail.com).
11. Garden plots must be maintained to prevent encroachment into any other garden plots or the walkways.
12. After the growing season has ended, all dead plants, weeds, tomato cages, bean poles, etc. must be removed from your plots.

*Please tend to your Thurmont Community Garden with respect and courtesy to fellow gardeners. Taking a few extra minutes to improve the state of our garden will go a long way toward upkeep and beautification. The Community Garden Team will be inspecting the garden plots frequently to ensure compliance to these Terms of Use. Thank you.* [ThurmontGarden@gmail.com](mailto:ThurmontGarden@gmail.com)

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I have read and understand the Terms of Use and accept these rules, terms, and conditions as stated above.

Garden Plot Number:

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Signature of Gardener:

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Printed Name:

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Date:

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E-mail:

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Phone:

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Contact Info. Shared?                      Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

*Please send application and payment (or drop off) to:*

*Town of Thurmont*

*PO Box 17, 615 East Main Street*

*Thurmont, MD. 21788*