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Join our Lino Lakes Community Garden by renting a garden plot,

Do you have a green thumb but lack the space to pursue your hobby? If so, you are in luck! The City of Lino Lakes has garden plots available for rent in the open area just south of the American Legion at the intersection of Lake Drive and 77th Street. The city will prepare the plots for planning and make water accessible - the rest is up to you!

Please review the attached 2023 Community Garden Rental Agreement and Application Form, & Rules and Regulations Form. Please complete the application, including the signature and date, acknowledging that you have read and agree to the Community Garden Rental Agreement.

Return the application along with your check (made payable to the **City of Lino Lakes**) to the City of Lino Lakes, 600 Town Center Parkway, Lino Lakes, MN 55014. The plots are 10' x 15' and should be available by the week of May 8th.

The 2023 registration dates and priority for renting garden plots will be as follows:

1. Returning gardeners from last year can register for their same 2022 garden plot(s), up to a maximum of three plots, from April 10th -17th (returning 2022 gardeners from last year can also request different plots) if interested.
2. New Lino Lakes gardeners can register for plots beginning April 18th.

Garden plot(s) can be requested by calling 651-982-2441. Plots will be assigned on a first come, first served basis.

The rental fee for gardeners is \$25.00 per plot. There will be a \$50.00 charge for garden plots that are not cleaned up by October 15th, 2023.

Thank you for your interest in Lino Lakes Community Gardens Plots. If you need additional information, please call 651-982-2441.

Happy Gardening!



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Lino Lakes Community Garden Plots Rules and Regulations

1. Due to the limited parking, please park on an orderly fashion on 77th St. **No parking in the Legion Parking lot. No driving in the garden areas.**
2. Crops, plants, vines and vegetation must be contained within the boundaries of one's 10'x15' garden plot(s). Please respect your neighbors' gardens by not walking on their plots.
3. Community garden plots are intended for personal use only. Gardening for commercial purposes is not allowed.
4. Absolutely no pets are allowed in the community garden area.
5. Children in the community garden area must be supervised at all times.
6. Gardeners are expected to keep their plots clear and free of weeds, grass and other debris that can harbor insects. Plots that are not adequately controlled for weeds and cleaned out by the end of the planting season will be charged a **\$50.00** per plot fee and may lose priority for renting a space the following year.
7. All weeds, cuttings and other debris must be removed from your garden plot before becoming a nuisance. Pull the weeds along your fence line or plot area. Dumping of debris into other garden plots (including unused plots) is prohibited.
8. No fertilizers may be used that will in any way detrimentally affect adjacent garden plots or grass areas. Pesticides, insecticides and herbicides can only be used with Lino Lakes staff approval.
9. Only structures such as trellises for vines or melons are allowed in the community garden. Only metal or metal mesh fencing up to 4 feet high can be used-no plastic fencing is allowed.
10. Water spigots will be supplied by the city for the entire community garden to utilize. Hoses will not be provided. Please roll up your hoses and place in your plot when not in use.
11. All crops and non-compost materials must be removed by October 15th, 2023.
12. The City of Lino Lakes assumes no liability for any injury, damage, theft or loss of property belonging to the garden user participants, before, during or after their usage and/or lease.
13. Absolutely no traps of any kind can be used in the community garden area.

2023 Community Garden Rental Application and Agreement Form

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Applicant Information

Last Name: _____	First: _____
Street Address: _____	City: _____ Zip Code: _____
Home Phone: _____	Work/Cell: _____ E-Mail: _____

Community Garden Location: Garden plots are located just south of the American Legion at the intersection of Lake Drive and 77th Street, Lino Lakes.

Are you a returning gardener? Yes _____ No _____

Number of plots requested (up to a maximum of 3) _____

Please call 651-982-2441 to select from available plots. Plots will be assigned on a first come, first served basis.

Returning gardeners can submit applications and request plots from April 10th-17th. New gardeners can submit applications and request plots starting April 18th.

I hereby agree to lease a garden plot at the Lino Lakes Community Gardens from the City of Lino Lakes Public Services Department under the following conditions:

The City agrees to:

1. Have the garden plots ready for planting by approximately the week of May 8th.
2. Stake out and identify with a number each 10' X 15' plot.
3. Provide water access.
4. Till the garden plots in the spring

The Lessee agrees to:

1. Assume all responsibility for all personal property and personal belongings used at the garden area.
2. The term of this agreement shall be from the date of this agreement through October 15th of the same year, at which time all fencing and personal property shall be removed by the gardener from the garden area or the City will dispose of it. If not, then there will be a \$50.00 fee.
3. I understand and acknowledge that, while the City of Lino Lakes owns the Community Garden property said property is being provided to the public "as is" and the City makes no representations or warranties with respect to the property. I also acknowledge that I am using the property at my own risk, that the property is used by other members of the public over whom the City exercises no control, and that I assume all liability arising out of the use of the property by me or my family. I agree to hold the City harmless from any claims arising for such use of, or presence upon, said property.

DATA PRIVACY

In accordance with the MN Government Data Practices Act, the Public Services Department hereby informs you that the personal information we are requesting of you on our application is considered private. Private data is available to you and to City staff who need to have this information to perform their duties.

I have read, understand and agree to all of the above-mentioned conditions for the rental of the City of Lino Lakes Community Garden Plots.

Signature

Date

2023 PAYMENT INFORMATION

Amount Due: \$25.00 Payment Type: Check _____ (checks payable to City of Lino Lakes) Cash _____

Office Use Only: Date Received: _____ Plot Number Assigned: _____ Processed By: _____