



## Winakwa Community Garden Rental Plot Agreement

### Applicant Info:

Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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

Mobile Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Raised Bed Plot # \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Paid \$ \_\_\_\_\_ cash/cheque/credit card

### **Terms and conditions\*\*\*PLEASE READ CAREFULLY\*\*\***

1. Have my plot planted by June 15 and cleaned up by October 31 of the current growing season.
2. Use only natural and/or organic fertilizers.
3. No GMO (genetically modified organism).
4. Harvest only crops in assigned raised garden bed.
5. Be considerate of neighboring raised garden bed.
6. Keep assigned raised garden bed and surrounding area free of weeds and refuse. If unable to maintain the assigned raised garden bed, the agreement holder is responsible to make arrangements with the convener of the Winakwa Community Garden Committee. If neglected plots are not addressed within 2 weeks, a notice will be issued.
7. Notify us of any information changes.
8. There is no onsite storage. Please remove garden tools daily.
9. Read the Winakwa Community Garden Terms of Reference.

### **Compost Guidelines**

1. I will only add vegetation to the compost (no meats, compostable plates, or oils).
2. I will not add any weeds, diseased plants, rocks, or any non-organic material (e.g., plastic) in the compost.
3. I will chop up any materials that are longer than 4"/10 cm for efficient composting.
4. I will bury all wet greens underneath the top layer of the compost.
5. I will add a scoop of browns each time I add greens.
6. I will give each compost box a quick turn/fluff each time I visit the garden.
7. If the compost seems dry when I turn/fluff it, I will add some water.
8. I will email [winakwagardens@gmail.com](mailto:winakwagardens@gmail.com) if the compost has a bad smell.

### **Water Guidelines**

1. I will use the Winakwa Community Garden onsite water tank.
2. I will notify the Winakwa Community Garden Committee at [winakwagardens@gmail.com](mailto:winakwagardens@gmail.com) if rainwater tanks are low or empty.

### **Planting Guidelines**

1. Aggressively self-seeding plants (*such as dill, coriander and poppies*) should be dead-headed prior to the seeds ripening.
2. Perennials (*such as strawberries, chives and mint*) must be planted only in the common areas and with the prior approval of the Garden Committee.
3. Very tall plants (*such as pole beans, corn and sunflowers*) should be planted only where other garden plots are not shaded, or in the common area and with the prior approval of the Garden Committee.
4. Noxious weeds, invasive or illegal plants are not allowed.

**NOTE: Failure to comply may result in suspension of your Rental Plot Agreement.**

By signing below I agree to adhere to all Winakwa Community Garden terms and conditions regarding membership, rental, planting and maintenance of the assigned plot.

Applicant's Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

