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Street Address:		Email:	
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Alternate Contact:		Phone:	
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Mailing Address:		City:	Postal Code:
<b>Plot Size:</b>	<b>Plot Fee:</b>	<b>Plot Location:</b>	

**NOTE:** Plot fee is required before the plot can be assigned. This fee will go toward expenses of the community garden.

I hereby acknowledge that I have read the Community Garden Rules & Regulations and understand that failure to meet the guidelines will result in loss of garden privileges.		DATE:
Main Contact Signature:	Alternate Contact Signature:	

### COMMUNITY GARDEN RULES & REGULATIONS:

**Any permission and/or approval granted herein are subject at all times to the following conditions:**

1. The Community Garden should serve one or more of the following purposes:
  - produce edible and ornamental plants for the personal use of the community gardeners
  - grow food to donate to charitable causes
  - free demonstrations of gardening techniques or skills to local area residents
2. No individual, group and/or organization may purchase and install any permanent structure, shed, or fence in the Community Garden. Locked barriers are not permitted.
3. Cosmetic pesticides and chemicals are prohibited in the Community Garden as regulated by the Province of Manitoba Environment Act and Non-Essential Pesticide Use Regulation No. 286/2014.
4. The South Interlake Garden Club is responsible for the allotment of garden plots as follows:
  - Allotments of garden plots must be made from a waiting list on a first-come, first-served basis to any resident of the Town of Stonewall with preference to those with no garden plots elsewhere
  - Returning gardeners in good standing will receive first right to renew their plot for another growing season each fall
  - Plots that have not been renewed by March 1<sup>st</sup> for the next growing season will be available to new gardeners
  - Existing gardeners are NOT ALLOWED to sublet their plots – doing so will remove their privilege to access the Community Garden
  - Each gardener may be assigned to ONE plot only
5. Plot Holder Agreements must be created between the South Interlake Garden Club and residents who wish to garden at the Community Garden. The South Interlake Garden Club is responsible for executing, maintaining, and enforcing the Plot Holder Agreements.
6. Garbage service is not provided on site. All trash and recycling must be removed from the Community Garden daily. Trash removal is the responsibility of the gardeners.
7. Each gardener is responsible to keep their plots neat, keeping weeds and insects under control.
8. Gardeners are responsible to dispose of weed and plant materials. No materials should be left on pathway.
9. Be considerate of your neighbours. Do not plant sprawling crops, or tall crops that may interfere with your neighbour.
10. Do not “help” your neighbour unless specifically asked to do so. The agreement only authorizes access to the assigned plot.
11. Children must be supervised at all times and not allowed to wander onto other plots.
12. The following are prohibited in the Community Garden:
  - Permanent plantings of any kind including but not limited to shrubs, trees, and perennials
  - Glass, ceramics, pottery
  - Pets
  - Smoking
  - Temporary greenhouses
  - Raised garden beds
  - Pressure treated or creosote-soaked wood
13. The Town of Stonewall is not responsible for loss, damage, injury or any other type of incident or claim arising from the creation, operation, products, or site of the garden in the Community Garden. The Town has the authority to stop any activities they see which are unsafe.

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