

Come grow with us!

A community garden is ready to be planted!

The garden is available to residents of both Gulfport and St. Petersburg, providing the opportunity to grow vegetables, annuals, and other non-permanent plants in a plot of their own.

The garden is a grassroots endeavor coordinated by a group of local gardening enthusiasts. It is supported by the City of Gulfport and the 49th Street South Business Association (so49). It is intended to provide a sustainable, educational, and aesthetically appealing garden in the Gulfport community. The garden is located on Preston Avenue South, which is just one block long between 51st and 52nd streets

and between 16th and 17th avenues. Plots are available for \$25 for a season, with two seasons a year (March-August and September-February). Eventually the garden will offer educational courses for both youth and adults on topics ranging from organic gardening to xeriscaping. The focus will be on sustainable and organic gardening.

The grassroots community group seeks gardeners with an interest in having their own plot, as well as volunteers to help. Sunny plots of about 60 square feet are available for planting. Water is provided. More information is available at www.so49.org. To sign up and reserve your own plot, please visit **BanyanScapes Nursery** at **932 49th Street South, Gulfport, FL.**



COMMUNITY GARDEN WISH LIST

- ◆ Garden Tools
- ◆ Garden Hoses
- ◆ Garden Benches
- ◆ Storage Shed
- ◆ Weed Block
- ◆ Wheel Barrow

Please contact www.so49.org to make donation drop-off arrangements.

SIGN UP FOR

◆ Garden Plot.....	25.00
◆ Friend of the Garden	15.00
◆ Sponsor a Plot	25.00
◆ So49 Member	100.00

Total _____

Name _____

Address _____

Phone / Email _____

VOLUNTEER INTERESTS

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| ◆ Garden Maintenance | ◆ Administrative Support |
| ◆ Event / Program Planning | ◆ Youth Programs / Activities |
| ◆ Other (please specify) _____ | |