# Southside Community Land Trust Community Garden Rules

#### 1. Gardeners must attend 2 workdays every year.

- > On workdays, gardeners work together in common spaces, not in their own plots.
- Everyone must arrive on time, and stay for the garden meeting at the end of the work session.

#### 2. Keep the garden clean.

- Pick up trash and bring it home.
- Keep paths clear; no planting in paths.
- Pick up trash around the perimeter of the fence.

## 3. No Chemicals are allowed in the garden. No Miracle Grow allowed!

- Only organic fertilizer like compost, fish emulsion, and aged manure are allowed.
- If you would like more information about using organic fertilizer, call Southside Community Land Trust's Community Growers Director at 273 9419 ext. 105.

#### 4. Plant in your plot, only.

If you have questions about where your plot is, ask your garden's Garden Leader.

## 5. Gardeners cannot give their plot away.

If you decide to leave your plot, you must tell your Garden Leader. They will look at the waitlist and assign the plot.

## 6. Save water.

- > Turn off water spigot completely when you finish watering.
- > No storing water in buckets or open containers, as it attracts insects.

## 7. Lock garden gate when you leave.

## 8. Take enough compost to cover one (1) inch deep in your plot.

 $\succ$  The compost is for everyone in the garden to share equally.

## 9. Clean your plot for winter.

## 10. Pay plot fee and sign a contract each year.

> If you move, give your garden leader your new address and phone number.

## 11. Gardeners must plant their plot by June 15.

> If it's not planted, the plot will be given to the next person on the waitlist.