City of Inver Grove Heights
Parks & Recreation
2012 Community Garden Plots

Regulations

General Rules

- Plot holders may garden during park hours from 6am-10pm.
- Plots are intended for personal use only. Gardening for commercial purposes is prohibited.
- Pets are not allowed in the garden area.
- Children in the garden area must be supervised at all times.
- Please park in designated areas only. Parking is not permitted in trails or grass.
- Water source is available on site; you will be required to bring your own bucket.
- Gardeners are responsible for planting, weeding, watering and harvesting your own plot. Gardeners are also required to maintain surrounding pathways.
- Gardeners are responsible for bringing their own tools. Storage is not provided.
- If there is no evidence of activity at your plot by June 3, it will be re-assigned. There will be no refunds on plot fees paid.
- Stakes that mark you plot's corners and have plot numbers and name must be left in place all season.
- Pack your trash back home to dispose of properly. There will be some trash receptacles in site.
- A rain barrel and compost bin will be available for your use.
- Harvest produce from your designated plot only.

Frequently Asked Questions

Where are the plots located?

Salem Hills Park, 1642 Upper 55th St E (see map on reverse)

How do reserve a plot?

A completed application as well as the $25 rental fee is due to secure your plot. You can reserve a plot in one of three ways:

- Parks and Recreation office 8055 Barbara Av
- Call 651-450-2585, we accept Visa, MasterCard, or Discover
- Email jgraham@invergroveheights.org

Can I reserve more than one plot?

Due to limited availability, only one plot per household is allowed.

What if I need to cancel my reservation for a plot?

Refunds are not issued for Community Garden plots.

Do I need to be a resident to have a plot?

Priority for plots is given to Inver Grove Heights residents. Previous year plot holders have first priority. If plots remain, they will be made available on a first-come, first-serve basis.

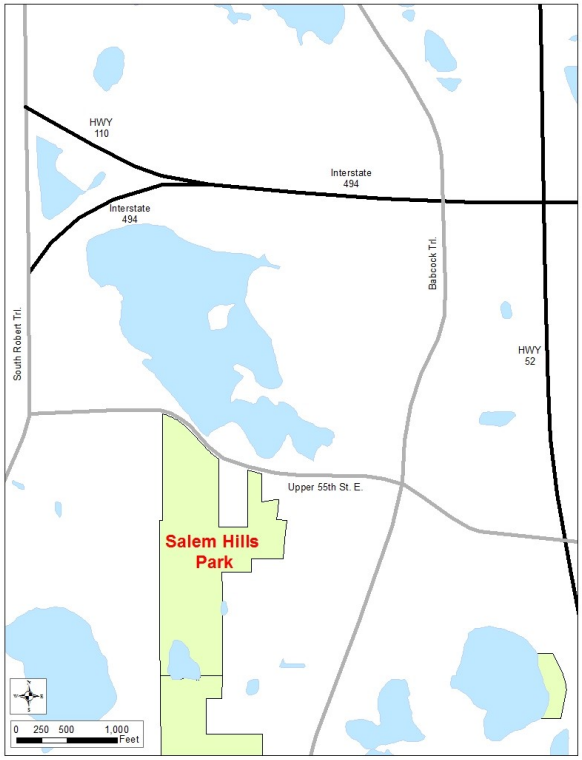
City of Inver Grove Heights Responsibilities:

- Gardens will be plowed, tilled, dragged, measured and staked out in the spring by the City.
- City will plot over the plots after October 21.
- City will take registrations and payments for plots.
- City will provide access to water through drinking fountain spout.

Plot Fees and Deadlines

Fee per plot	$25
Request Deadline	May 3
Planting Begins	May 19
Planting Deadline	June 3
Harvest Deadline	October 19

Community Garden Location: Salem Hills Park - 1642 Upper 55th St E



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