



2012 COMMUNITY GARDEN HARVEST TOUR

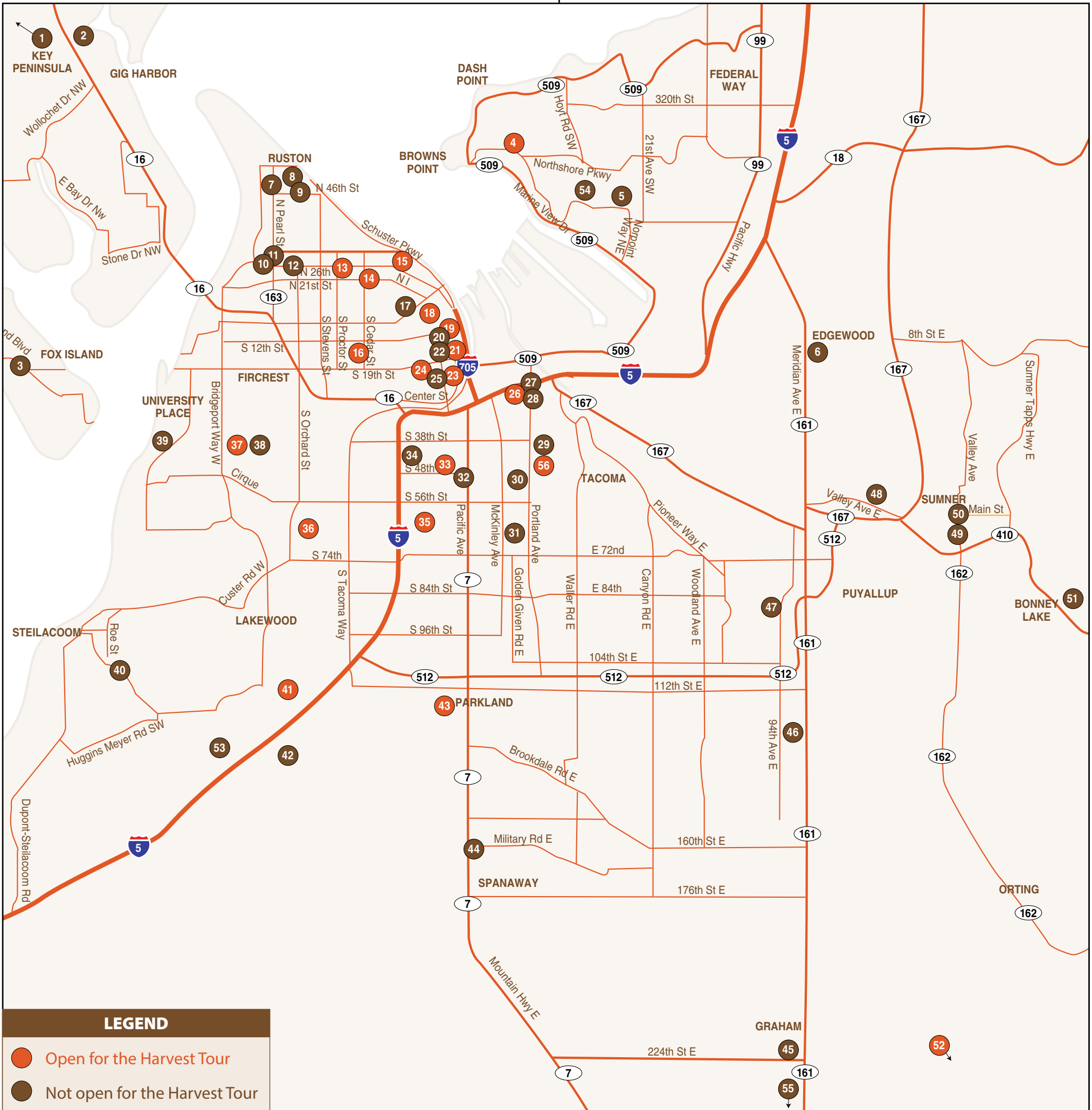
Self-guided tour
10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 15, 2012

When you're visiting the gardens ...

- Please stay on the path.
- Don't pick anything.
- Ask the gardeners questions.
- Consider claiming a plot in your neighborhood.
- Enjoy!

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The Community Garden Harvest Tour is brought to you by the Tacoma-Pierce County Community Garden Program.

1. **Key Peninsula Community Garden**
Sunnycrest Nursery, 9004-B Key Peninsula Highway North, Vaughn
Managed by Healthy Communities of Pierce County, supported by Sunnycrest Nursery.
2. **Gig Harbor Community Garden**
4118 Rosedale St., Gig Harbor
Owned by the City of Gig Harbor Parks Department, managed by Healthy Communities of Pierce County.
3. **Fox Island Community Garden**
1017 9th Ave., Fox Island
Owned by Fox Island Water Association.
4. **Brown's Point Community Garden**
4301 Browns Point Blvd. N.E., Tacoma
Owned by Resurrection Lutheran Church.
5. **Northeast Tacoma Community Garden**
NE 57th and Norpoint Way NE, Tacoma
Come check out the chicken!
6. **City of Edgewood**
At the Nelson Farm
Supported by the City of Edgewood and the Master Gardeners.
7. **Patch on Pearl**
North 43rd & Pearl, Tacoma
City of Tacoma-owned site.
8. **Point Defiance Ruston Senior Center** 4716 N. Baltimore, Tacoma
Created by Master Gardener Hal Meng, designed as an enabling garden for people with disabilities.
9. **Orchard & Vine**
North 45th and Orchard, Tacoma
Owned by City of Tacoma, managed by gardeners. Gorgeous fence and amazing garden created in what was formerly a parking lot.
10. **Grace Community Garden**
North 26th & Vassault, Tacoma (park behind the church)
Grace Baptist Church has created a garden for the community on their property, behind the church.
11. **Golden Hemlock Apartments**
5939 N. 26th, Tacoma
Low-income senior living facility offers numerous raised beds to its residents.
12. **Kandle Community Garden**
South end of Kandle Park, Tacoma
Owned and managed by Metro Parks. Gardened mostly by Russian/Ukrainian residents.
13. **Proctor Garden**
Intersection of North 21st and Proctor streets, Tacoma
Owned by the City of Tacoma, managed by Metro Parks.
14. **Junett Community Garden**
North 16th & Junett, Tacoma
Former Tacoma Public Utilities substation, now a City of Tacoma Open Space and community garden. Gorgeous gazebo and amazing gate!
15. **University of Puget Sound**
Corner of North 17th and Alder streets
Gardened by students and supported by faculty.
16. **Franklin Park Community Garden**
Southeast corner of Franklin Park, South 15th & Puget Sound, Tacoma
Owned and managed by Metro Parks — Includes an Enabling Demonstration garden built through a partnership between Master Gardeners, the Master Gardener Foundation and the Life Christian School.
17. **Ilese's Garden**
Intersection of North Fifth & North Ainsworth, Tacoma
Private backyard, managed by residents.
18. **Neighbor's Park Community Garden**
South Eighth & I streets, Tacoma
Owned by Metro Parks, managed by the South Eighth & I Neighbor's Association.
19. **Gallucci Learning Garden**
Intersection of South 14th and G streets, Tacoma
Owned and Managed by the private nonprofit, Guadalupe Land Trust. This brand new site is an educational site, community gathering place and demonstration garden.
20. **Leo's Garden**
Adjacent to the St. Leo's facilities at South 14th & Yakima, Tacoma
Managed by the St. Leo's Food Connection to teach food bank recipients how to grow their own food.
21. **Viet Huong**
Intersection of South 18th & G streets, Tacoma
Owned and managed by the private nonprofit, Guadalupe Land Trust. Primarily gardened by low-income refugees from Southeast Asia living in the adjacent low-income housing. Come check out the unique crops and growing methods!
22. **Hilltop House**
South 19th & Yakima, Tacoma
Private land, managed by the Guadalupe Land Trust as a community garden.
23. **UW-Tacoma Giving Garden**
Court D near South 19th Street and Fawcett Avenue, Tacoma
Managed by a student group at the University of Washington Tacoma. All the produce goes to local food banks.
24. **McCarver School/Zina Linnik Memorial Community Garden**
2111 S. J St., Tacoma
Collaboration of Metro Parks Tacoma, the Greater Metro Parks Foundation, McCarver Elementary and CASTINGS. A community garden is in development alongside a school garden that will be an outdoor classroom for the children at McCarver. Youth have been very involved.
25. **South 25th & J**
Tacoma
Coming soon – will be developed as a community orchard in Fall 2012.
26. **Dometop Community Garden at Rogers Park**
East 34th & L streets, Tacoma
Developed by the community members and the Dometop Neighborhood Association in the summer of 2011. Located above an existing dog park.
27. **Good Medicine Community Garden**
1610 E. 32nd St., Tacoma
Owned by the Puyallup Tribe, managed by gardeners in collaboration with the tribe.
28. **Green Thumb Community Garden**
Intersection of East Portland Avenue and East Wright, Tacoma
Owned by the City of Tacoma, managed by gardeners. This new garden has very active gardeners and already has a waiting list.
29. **Salishan Community Garden**
Owned by the Tacoma Housing Authority, managed by gardeners with support from Tacoma Housing Authority staff.
30. **East 51st between K & L**
Tacoma
New City of Tacoma garden site.
31. **Boze Community Garden**
East 68th Street between East L and East K, Tacoma
Planned for Fall 2012.
32. **Stewart Middle School Community Garden**
South 52nd & D streets, Tacoma
Built by students and teachers, open to the community.
33. **48th & Yakima**
Located between two houses a half block from the intersection of South 48th & Yakima, Tacoma
Owned by the City of Tacoma, managed by gardeners.
34. **Baraguay Community Services**
Supported by local Filipino community. Coming soon.
35. **Charlotte's Blueberry Park**
East 74th & D streets, Tacoma
Owned by Metro Parks. Blueberry bushes open to the community to harvest.
36. **Manitou Community Garden**
4806 S. 66th St., Tacoma (behind the Manitou Community Center)
Owned by Metro Parks, managed by Andy Mordhorst. All the food from this garden goes to the emergency food system.
37. **University Place Community Garden**
Located at Evergreen Primary, 7102 40th St. W., University Place
Located at Evergreen Primary School, supported by Tacoma Narrows Rotary.
38. **Fircrest Presbyterian Church**
Open to the community in Spring 2012.
39. **Curran Apple Orchard**
Intersection of 39th & Grandview streets, University Place
Owned by the City of University Place, managed by a board of directors together with University Place Parks. You can adopt an apple tree and harvest from it.
40. **St. John Bosco's church**
10508 112th St. SW, Lakewood
Owned by St. John Bosco's Church, managed by members. Most of the food supports the emergency food system.
41. **Lakewood Community Garden**
New for 2012!
42. **Springbrook Park**
Supported by the Lakewood Lions as a pilot project in 2012. Future expansion possible.
43. **PLU Student Garden**
121st Street & Yakima Avenue, Parkland
Owned by Pacific Lutheran University and managed by a student group. Much of the produce is donated to Trinity Lutheran Church.
44. **Spanaway United Methodist Church** 135 163rd St. S., Spanaway
Owned by the church, organized by the Self Reliant Community of Graham. The purpose of this garden is to provide fresh produce for the Spanaway Food Bank.
45. **Self-Reliant Community Garden**
9716 224th St., Graham
Owned by Rainier Valley Montessori Academy, supported by the Self-Reliant Community group.
46. **Pilgrim Lutheran Church**
Food bank plot was built in 2012.
47. **Puyallup Community Garden**
1111 19th Ave. S.W., Puyallup
Owned by City of Puyallup Parks and Recreation Department, supported and managed by Pierce County Extension Master Gardeners.
48. **The Farm**
12324 Valley Ave. E., Sumner
Two-acre site owned by the City of Sumner.
49. **Permaculture Demonstration Garden**
1920 S. Gary, Sumner
Permaculture techniques for a small-town garden. Come see this unique site and get ideas for your own home.
50. **Shepherd's Field Community Garden** 245 Valley Ave. E., Sumner
Owned by King Lutheran Church.
51. **Bonney Lake Community Garden**
18421 89th St. E, Bonney Lake (adjacent to the Lions 4 Kids House)
Owned by City of Bonney Lake, managed by gardeners – come check out this amazing oasis!
52. **Eatonville Community Garden**
Started in Spring of 2012.
53. **TREE program**
14916 Washington Ave. S.W., Lakewood (at the Tillicum Community Center)
New for 2012. Project supports youth and veterans through gardening.
54. **Olympic View Friends Church –**
201 Brown's Point Blvd., Tacoma (on church property)
Started in 2011.
55. **Presbyterian Church of Graham**
10118 249th St. E., Graham
Started in 2010. Much of food is destined for food banks.
56. **Swan Creek Community Garden**
East 42nd & East Roosevelt streets, Tacoma
The newest Metro Parks garden revitalizes the original Salishan community garden site.

LEGEND

-  Open for the Harvest Tour
-  Not open for the Harvest Tour