

1/30/20 – Meeting Agenda: Bloomfield Garden Committee

Agenda: BGC Meeting Thursday 1/30/20

7:30 p.m. Mayor's Conference Rm

Meeting begun:

Adjourned:

Next Meeting 2/27/20

1. Take Action on the Following Garden Tasks:

a. **February:**

- i. Post Membership Flyers for both gardens and promote garden membership online
- ii. Purchase Weed Whacker and Battery Charger + Wood for Composting Bins and for work table stations at Milbank and Pulaski
- iii. Create new Community Gardens Logo
- iv. Inquire about Garden Signage with Recreation Department

b. **March:**

- i. Friday, March 27 - 12 yards of dirt being delivered to Milbank

c. **April:**

- i. Open Gardens to Members!
- ii. Designated Garden Volunteers
- iii. create committees for composting, fence perimeter maintenance, pathways, food donations, events, communications

2. Membership Updates

- a. Milbank - Filled 8 plots, 18 open
- b. Pulaski - Filled 18 plots, 9 open

3. Upcoming Community Garden Events

- a. **Saturday, Feb. TBD - 10 am - 12: - Seed Swap @ Bloomfield Library**
- b. **Saturday, April 4th: 10 am - 12 pm - Opening Day - PULASKI PARK**
- c. **Sunday, April 5th: 10 am – 12 pm - Opening Day - MILBANK PARK**

Opening Day Tasks – Clean out all garden beds, add wood chips to aisles, dirt to beds, hang name signage and plot #s, signage for composting, plant signage, rules & regs signage, plant flowers, sign up for 2020 Garden Committees

4. In Development:

a. **Establish On Going Workshops**

- i. *How To Design Garden Bed Workshop in April*
- ii. *How to Garden Workshop in May*
- iii. *Nutritional Workshops to combat diseases*

b. **Establish New Events in Garden**

- i. *Yoga in the Garden*
- ii. *Candle Making Event*
- iii. *Art Gallery in Garden Event*
- iv. *Live Music in Garden Event*

c. **Establish Garden Scholarship for Young Gardeners**

5. Next Meeting will be on Thursday, February 27th at 7:30pm in the Mayor's Conference Rm