Greenworks on the Ground

















ACCESSIBLE FOOD AND DRINKING WATER

All Philadelphians have access to healthy, affordable, and sustainable food and drinking water

Greenworks is the city's sustainability plan to improve quality of life for all Philadelphians. We've developed guides to show individuals, communities, and institutions how they can help make the Greenworks visions a reality. All of the guides are available at www.phila.gov/green or by calling 215-686-3495.

What Communities Can Do

FOOD

- ☐ Be smart about food at community events: Use the Food Connect app to donate excess food.
 - www.foodconnectgroup.com
- ☐ Community composting: Start a shared compost project at a community garden or other neighborhood site.
- ☐ Host local food vendors: Provide residents access to local food through a farmers market or Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) program.
 - List of farmers' markets
 - http://tiny.cc/PhillyMarkets
 - Philly Local Food Guide:
 - http://tiny.cc/PhillyLocalFood
- ☐ Share food resources with residents: Alert community to food resources such as food pantries, soup kitchens, or senior meal programs.
 - Philly Food Finder:
 - http://www.phillyfoodfinder.org
- □ **Support your local food co-op:** Support local efforts to start or sustain a community food co-op.

WATER

- ☐ Educate your community on water quality: Invite the Philadelphia Water Department to speak to your community about water quality.
- ☐ **Keep litter out of drains:** Sign up for the Philadelphia Storm Drain marking project to help residents keep litter out of storm drains.
 - http://tiny.cc/PhillyStormDrains



PHILADELPHIA COMMUNITY GARDENS

There are several resources available to help you identify suitable land and work with your community to build a garden. You can use the VACANT LAND 215 TOOLKIT (http://tiny.cc/VacantLand215) and PHILLY LANDWORKS (http://tiny.cc/PhillyLandworks) to identify and purchase a lot in your community.





