

A citywide celebration of urban gardening



# MAYOR WALSH'S 2017 GARDEN CONTEST

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### Important Dates

Entry Deadline – Wednesday, July 12 - 11:59 p.m.

Finalist Notification – Thursday, July 20

Judges Visit Gardens – Week of July 24

Awards Ceremony – Mid August

### Eligibility

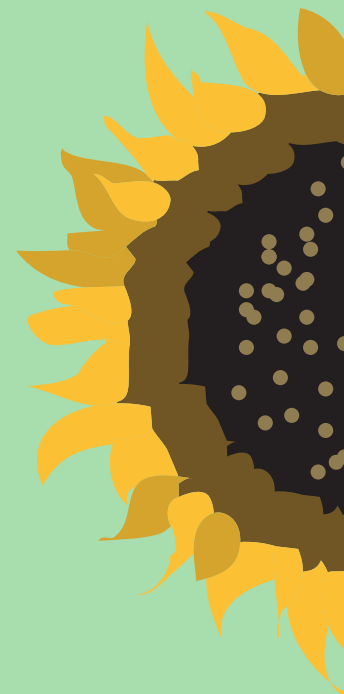
- Boston residents
- Club or Organization gardens
- Businesses
- Amateur gardeners' only

### General Information

Photographs or images submitted to the Boston Parks & Recreation Department become City of Boston property and may be used for press or marketing purposes. Gardeners may only enter one category per year. For more information, please call (617) 961-3047.

### Judging Criteria

- General Appeal
- Natural or Formal
- Neatness
- Plant Material
- Use of Color
- Variety/Quality
- Garden Hardware
- Furnishings/Art
- Sustainable Features and Methods



Please fill out the form completely and submit photos of the nominated garden

Please mail this form with photos to:

Mayor Walsh's Garden Contest  
Boston Parks & Recreation Department  
1010 Massachusetts Avenue, 3rd Floor  
Boston, Massachusetts 02118

or apply online:

[boston.gov/mayors-garden-contest](http://boston.gov/mayors-garden-contest)

Categories (Check only **ONE** category)

- Porch, Balcony, or Container Garden
- Shade Garden
- Small Yard Garden (250 sq. ft. or less)
- Medium Yard Garden (250 to 500 sq. ft.)
- Large Yard Garden (larger than 500 sq. ft.)
- Community Garden (individual plot)
- Vegetable or Herb Garden
- Senior Garden Category (65+)
- Storefront, Organization, or Main Street District Garden

Gardener's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Neighborhood \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Garden Address if different than above:

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