

## **United Grove Community Garden Agreement & Guidelines 2019**

- I will not work in the garden before sunrise or after sunset.
- I will have something planted in my garden by June 15th and will keep the garden planted all season.
- I will not use synthetic or chemical pesticides or herbicides.
- I will plant tall crops only where they will not shade neighboring plots.
- I will control weeds in my plot and surrounding area throughout the season.
- *I understand that if I do not maintain my plot or adjacent pathways, I will receive a maintenance warning with a one week clean-up time. If I fail to respond to two warnings, I will forfeit my garden and the maintenance fee for the season..*
- I will remove all trash and litter from my plot, adjacent pathways, and fences.
- I will harvest only my own crops unless given permission by another gardener.
- I will only bring well-mannered pets to the garden. I understand that all pets must be leashed and under control, and may not enter other gardeners' plots.
- I will participate in ongoing maintenance chores and the fall cleanup of the garden.
- I understand that neither the City of Fort Atkinson nor the United Way, its officers, employees or volunteers are responsible for my actions.
- If I must abandon my plot for any reason, I will promptly notify United Way or a garden coordinator.

I agree to release, hold harmless and indemnify the garden group, the City of Fort Atkinson, and United Way, and their officers, employees or volunteers for any liability, damage, loss or claim that occurs in connection with the use of the garden by me or any of my guests.

I HAVE READ AND AGREE TO FOLLOW THE GUIDELINES AND LIABILITY WAIVER (SIGNATURE):

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Gardener Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Plot # (s): \_\_\_\_\_