



Garden City

a three part workshop series



Have you been dreaming of starting your own urban oasis, a garden where you can grow you own food and find some piece of mind, but you don't have any space and don't know where to look to find some? If so, this 3 part practical workshop series is for you. Attend one workshop, or all three. This workshop series is co-presented by the San Francisco Parks Trust and Garden for the Environment. Find additional information and updates at www.parksportal.com, keyword: *gardencity*

SPECIAL OFFER: \$70 for enrollment in all 3 workshop sessions, plus a San Francisco Parks Trust Membership for one year!

Workshop I Finding City Land for a Garden

Date: Sunday, May 2
Time: 10 AM – 3 PM
Location: Studio For Urban Projects
3579 17th Street SF, CA 94110
Cost: \$15-\$30 sliding scale

Pre-registration is required, and space is limited, so sign-up soon. To pre-register, please call (415)750-5110, or email julia@sfpt.org

Even though San Francisco is a very dense city, there are more open parcels of land than one would think. In this session, learn how to identify possible spaces for gardens in San Francisco, including city property, privately owned lots, school gardens, sidewalks and backyards. The basic pros and cons of each option will be explored. After a brief lunch break, workshop participants will venture out on a bicycle tour of gardens implemented in such spaces. All participants should bring a bag lunch, water, and **a bicycle**.

Workshop II Navigating Permits, Procedures and Building Community Support for your Garden

Date: Sunday, May 9
Time: 10 AM – 2 PM
Location: Studio For Urban Projects
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Cost: \$15-\$30 sliding scale

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After you find a potential garden site, what's next? In this session, learn how to successfully navigate the procedures and permits relevant to your type of site. Learn how to effectively build community support for your garden project and cultivate a committed volunteer group to ensure your garden thrives. A panel of successful garden-entrepreneurs will share how they launched their projects and lessons learned in the process. All participants should bring a bag lunch.

Workshop III Digging In: Getting your Garden Started

Date: Sunday, May 16
Time: 10 AM – 2 PM
Location: Garden for the Environment, 7th Ave. at Lawton Street, San Francisco, CA
Cost: \$15-\$30 sliding scale

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You've identified a site for your garden, you've completed all appropriate permits and built community support, now it's time to dig in and create your dream garden. The day will start with a tour of the GFE where we will begin to build our garden skills toolbox. We will assess potential challenges and gain techniques for overcoming those challenges through basic garden design practices, plant considerations, irrigation systems, soil, compost systems, and much more! Don't forget to bring a bag lunch!

You may look for this event on parksportal.com 
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