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Dear Harborcreek Township Residents-

Harborcreek Township is excited to announce a new program being offered to all Harborcreek residents looking to spend a little more time outdoors. The **Harborcreek Community Garden** program is an opportunity for those who either do not have a yard conducive to growing a garden or for those who may live in apartment type housing without a yard.

Township residents can now have a garden plot for growing their own flowers, vegetables, or herbs to either take home to enjoy or donate to a local food bank. The garden area is located in the Village of Harborcreek on Orchard Street between Prendergrast and Dodge Streets.

The township's Parks and Recreation Department has prepared 14 garden plots ranging in size from 10'x10' to 20'x20' on this parcel of property that has been owned by the township since 2002.

To acquire a garden, beginning April 26th, all residents need to do is stop in the township's municipal building and sign up and agree to follow the rules of the Community Garden. All gardens will be signed out on a first come, first served basis with the gardening season being June 1st through October 31st.

Harborcreek Township feels that this program encourages residents to spend a little more time outside enjoying the area's summer weather and possibly helping a local charity with donations of fresh produce.

So please consider joining **Harborcreek Township's Community Garden Program**. It's sure to grow on you.

Happy Growing!

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