



Fighting Food Insecurity, One Garden at a Time

The GardenWorks Project is a 501c3 non-profit organization dedicated to improving access to fresh, locally-grown produce for individuals facing food insecurity in Dupage County.

At the GardenWorks Project, we:

- **Provide** supplies, support, and education to gardeners in households, community gardens, and 26 independent garden sites in Dupage County.
- Grow fresh produce for direct donation to local food pantries.
- Facilitate the donation of surplus produce from farmers markets.
- Connect home gardeners harvesting surplus produce with food pantries in need by way of our <u>Fresh Food Connect</u> App.

How you can help

In addition to **financial support and sponsorship**, we need **your voice** out in the community, spreading the word about The GardenWorks Project.

We also **welcome you to join us in the gardens** as individuals or on a team-building volunteer outing.

Volunteering opportunities can be arranged throughout the 2025 growing season.



To schedule a Lunch & Learn opportunity or a volunteer day for your team, please reach out:

info@gardenworksproject.org



Your sponsorship helps us:

- Provide garden supplies, including soil and seedlings, to individuals experiencing food insecurity.
- Establish new gardens sites at community centers, group homes, and food pantries.
- Offer educational resources so community members
 have the knowledge and skills to grow food for
 themselves or others.
- Ensure swift transportation of garden harvests to local food pantries to maximize freshness and quality.

OUR 2024 IMPACT

26

Garden Locations in Dupage County

55

Community Partners

168

Garden Beds

300

Individuals Served

4000+

pounds of produce donated

Limitless

enthusiasm and gratitude for continued growth in **2025**



We want your logo on our 2025 t-shirts!

Simply donate and email us your logo by

Tuesday, April 15.

We will feature your business on more than 100 shirts, worn (sometimes daily!) by our volunteers, staff, and community partners all year long.

Questions? Email us at

Email us at info@gardenworksproject.org





Choose your heirloom-variety sponsorship package:



"TRUE GOLD" CORNSTALK LEVEL (\$5,000+)

INSTALLS ONE LOCAL COMMUNITY GARDEN, CAPABLE OF GROWING
1000+ LBS. OF PRODUCE

Bonus Benefit: We'll capture your team volunteer event on video



"SILVER QUEEN" OKRA LEVEL (\$3,000)

INSTALLS A COMPOSTING SYSTEM IN ONE COMMUNITY

GARDEN, DIVERTING FOOD WASTE FROM LANDFILLS

Bonus Benefit: We'll host a volunteer day just for your team



"BRONZE BEAUTY" LETTUCE LEVEL (\$1,500)

FUNDS ALL EDUCATIONAL EVENTS FOR FOOD GROWERS AND VOLUNTEERS IN 2025

Bonus Benefit: We'll list your name on the GWP website, e-newsletter, and on social media



"RAINBOW BLEND" TOMATO LEVEL (\$500)

SUPPLIES ONE 4 x 8 GARDEN BED WITH TOOLS AND RESOURCES **Bonus Benefit**: We'll display your logo at events & GWP t-shirt

Bonus Benefits compile for each level up. T-shirt inclusion deadline is April 15.



SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT

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levels are tax-deductible.

Please complete this form and send a check made payable to The GardenWorks Project to: The GardenWorks Project, 2100 Manchester Road, #970, Wheaton, IL 60187

Thank you for your support of The GardenWorks Project's mission to fight food insecurity within western Chicagoland! Together, we can make a more sustainable and resilient future for our community.

Contact Us

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