



2018 Barrington Community Garden Plot Closing Instructions

As part of the BCG lease agreement, lessees have agreed to clean their leased garden plot of all plant debris, cages, fences, and other structures by the garden closing date of Sunday December 2, 2018. Plots that are not properly cleaned by this date will be considered abandoned and the current lessee will be unable to lease for the 2019 season. Specifics are noted below:

- All spent plant material must be removed from the plot by the closing date. Cleaned plots may be mulched with straw, compost, cover crops, or the like for winter protection. If you intend to renew the plot lease next year, plants being overwintered for next season may remain.
- All cages, trellises, fences, and fence posts must be removed for the winter. If not removed, these items will be disposed. Permanent wooden edging surrounding your plot to the allowable dimensions (5 feet by 20 feet) may remain in place over the winter.
- All appropriate spent plant debris (e.g., not diseased or containing seeds) can be placed in the compost bins or disposed of in yard waste bags (in shed) and brought to the end of the driveway along Wampanoag Trail for municipal yard waste pick-up.

If you have any questions, please contact the Steering Committee through the website (www.barringtoncommunitygarden.org).