

## Long Beach Community Garden Sponsorship Request

Dear Friend of the Long Beach Community,

In mid - 2024, permission was granted for the Long Beach Community Garden to begin planting on the grounds of Greenvale, the historic home site of Mr. Quarles. This project represents more than a garden — it is the beginning of a long - term effort to provide fresh food, education, and community involvement for families in need here in Long Beach.

We are currently marking and developing 12 x 12 garden plots, and we are inviting local businesses, families, and community partners to sponsor individual plots as we begin this journey.

To create a cohesive and attractive garden that complements the historic Greenvale property, we are using raised garden beds from Vego Garden, selected specifically to match the sage trim colors of the home site. The specific beds we are using can be viewed here:

<https://www.vegogarden.com/products/9-in-1-modular-raised-garden-bed>

The Long Beach Garden Club has already established their plot and installed the first beds on site. These beds are made of metal and painted with USDA - certified paint to ensure they are safe for growing food.

Each 12 x 12 plot will contain four raised beds, equally spaced. Before installation, each plot will be prepared with hardware cloth beneath the beds to prevent moles and underground pests, followed by landscape cloth to reduce weeds and maintenance. As the garden grows, we plan to install cloth and mulch pathways throughout the site to create accessible walkways and a unified appearance.

We are currently seeking plot sponsors and material donations to help us purchase additional beds, soil, hardware cloth, landscape fabric, and pathway materials.

### Sponsorship Opportunities

**\$500 Sponsorship** – Sponsors one raised bed and includes professional signage recognizing your business or organization.

\$1,000 Sponsorship – Sponsors two raised beds and includes professional signage recognizing your business or organization.

\$1,500 Sponsorship – Sponsors a full 12 x 12 plot with dedicated signage exclusively representing your company or organization.

Organizations that sponsor beds will also have the opportunity to help decide what is planted in their sponsored beds, allowing businesses and groups to participate directly in what is grown and donated back into the community.

All donations are processed through Long Beach Main Street, a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, and are fully tax - deductible as allowed by law.

Sponsorship of a plot allows your business, family, or organization to be represented at the garden as a founding supporter of a project focused on helping families in need in our Long Beach community.

This garden will be built by the community, for the community, and we would be honored to have your support as we grow something meaningful together.

If you are interested in sponsoring a plot or contributing materials, please contact us at [info@radishlongbeach.com](mailto:info@radishlongbeach.com).

Thank you for supporting the Long Beach Community Garden and helping us make this vision a reality.

Sincerely,  
Long Beach Community Garden