

HOPE, AR COMMUNITY "Blessin' Garden"

Future Possibilities for Partner Organiza- tions (service pro- jects)

- Rock Walkways
- Expand up to sixteen more boxes with current design
- Plant Other edible plants on property to share with community (berry bushes, fruit trees, grapes, etc.)
- Produce distribution.
- Compost Bin
- Shed for storing tools
- Spice Planters



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*"Those who work their land
will have abundant food"*

~ Proverbs 28:19a

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Have a blessin'? LEAVE IT
Need a blessin'? TAKE IT
Above all, be BLESSED!

Why?

- Opportunity to provide healthy produce for those in Hope, AR who have very little access to fresh vegetables.
- Provides volunteer opportunities.
- Serves the unemployed & underemployed population here in Hope.
- Opportunity to study gardening under a Master Gardener.
- Donations may be tax deductible. The Hope ConneXion is a subsidiary 501c3.
- Helps fulfill God's command to love others as Jesus first loved us. (cf., John 15:12)



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Garden Box Adopter Type	Suggested Donation*	Box Size	Custom Yard Sign in Box	Website Mention	Produce Donated to Community	**Produce belongs to Adopters	HCOC Volunteer's Work Box	Adopter Works Box***
Corporate / Business	\$250	3 x 6 feet	X	X	X		X	
Non-Profit / Corporate	\$50	3 x 6 feet	X	X	X			X
Individual / Family	\$100	3 x 6 feet (may be divided)	X	X		X		X

- Annual adoptions only. Yearly, adopters may choose to re-adopt current box for the following growing season.
- Custom Signage is included in all box adoptions. Graphics must be approved by the HC Outreach Center director staff.
- Boxes may also be adopted and endowed for use of disadvantaged family
- * Donations may be tax deductible. The Hope ConneXion Outreach Center is a 501c3 and will provide receipts upon request.
- * Families may choose to donate the food grown in the box to the community.
- ** HCOC Volunteers will make sure box is watered as needed.

Community gardens are part of the sharing economy. They make it possible for many people to enjoy a resource – in this case, land for gardening – that they couldn't afford on their own. However, it's not just the gardeners themselves who gain from community gardens – the benefits extend to the rest of the neighborhood and even to society as a whole.

