

Community Garden Opportunity



The City of New Baltimore is considering starting a community garden on city-owned property near Anchor Bay High School to be used during the 2012 growing season.

A Community Garden is a piece of land gardened by a group of people. Community gardens provide access to fresh produce and plants and create a sense of community and connection to the environment. Community gardens encourage a community's food security, allowing citizens to grow their own food or for others to donate what they have grown. The gardens also combat two forms of alienation that plague modern life, by bringing gardeners closer in touch with the source of their food, and by breaking down isolation by creating a social community.

As part of the fact finding process we would like to determine the level of public interest before proceeding with any site preparation this fall. A small fee (to be determined) will be charged to use the garden.

If you would be interested in learning more about volunteering or participating in a community garden please contact

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