



# The GARDENS

Growing better communities in South Etobicoke

## POD PROJECT 2017



### WHAT IS

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The GARDENS Pod Project stems from the concept of a community garden, except the pods tend to be smaller, mobile, raised beds that are easier to maintain and dispersed to various locations within the South Etobicoke community.

Pods are defined as 'sites' that serve the end goal of supplying food to persons that are food insecure. There are three pod classifications, an organization pod, a residential pod and community pod.



Grow A  
GARDEN  
With Us!

### ABOUT THE GARDENS ADVISORY COUNCIL

The GARDENS Advisory Council (GAC) is an umbrella group of individuals and groups from Ward 6 committed to the provision and maintaining of community gardens in South Etobicoke.

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## BECOME PART OF THE THE GARDENS POD PROJECT 2017



### WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

#### **Become a GARDENS Pod Site Provider**

It's SIMPLE! Request a pod whether you are a resident or an organization. Our pods use minimal space and can be built nearly anywhere in the community. If you have an unused space 4' by 4', a single pod planter can be set up. Resources will be provided.

#### **Become a Volunteer Gardener**

Volunteering with us is a great way to give back to the community. Your role is essential for the growing season to maintenance and harvesting.

#### **Become a Produce Donor**

As a produce donor you can donate a portion of your garden harvest yield. Our Operations Coordinator will arrange a produce pick up and distribute to local organizations.

#### **Become a Resource Donor**

We are looking for any of the following items to support the GARDENS Pod Project; seedlings, seeds, soil, watering cans and of course funds!

For more information about how you can get involved please contact **416-675-6622 ext. 3251** or **info@gardenslakeshore.ca**

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