



**PLANTNEBRASKA**

## **My Garden Affiliate Site Program**

*A program for home gardens and landscapes*

We're so glad you're interested in joining PlantNebraska as a My Garden Affiliate! Becoming part of the program is simple—just look through the information provided here, complete the application, and send it back with the requested attachments. We can't wait to learn more about your garden.

### **About the Program**

The My Garden Affiliate level is designed for home gardeners who want their personal outdoor spaces to support a healthier, more resilient environment. This program celebrates the hard work you've put into creating a garden that benefits wildlife, reduces negative environmental impacts, and inspires you to spend more time outside. My Garden Affiliates are private, home-based gardens. If you manage a public space or want to enroll larger private acreage, please explore our other affiliate options: Landscape Steward Affiliate and Accredited Arboretum Affiliate.

### **Benefits of the Program**

The benefits to those who become a My Garden Affiliate are:

- A yard sign showing that your garden is committed to sustainable practices
- Access to a quarterly email newsletter with the latest seasonal gardening tips
- One free registration to either PlantNebraska's annual garden walk in Omaha OR Lincoln
- Invitations to show off your garden in community garden tours
- Opportunity to purchase metal affiliate signage

The best benefit of the program, however, is the statewide network of Nebraskans using gardening to be better stewards of the landscape.

### **Becoming an Affiliate & Maintaining Your Affiliation**

To become a My Garden Affiliate, simply complete the application and return it with any required attachments. PlantNebraska staff will review your submission and follow up if any clarifications are needed. If your garden meets the program criteria, you'll receive a link to complete your final registration and payment.

Once your garden is officially recognized as a My Garden Affiliate, maintaining your affiliation is easy—just keep your annual dues up to date. Each year, you'll receive a fresh My Garden yard sign to celebrate your continued commitment.

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**My Garden Affiliate Application**

***Applicant Information:***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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***Site Information:***

1. Please briefly explain how your gardening style is creating a more resilient environment.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Please tell us about 3-5 plants that make an impact in your garden.  
*(Impactful plants may be your favorites, ones that are exceptionally healthy, keep down weeds, are visited by many pollinators or birds, prevent erosion, etc.)*
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. Please tell us why you want to be a My Garden Affiliate.

When submitting your application please attach 2-5 photos of your garden.

Can we share your garden photos on our website, social media, and/or print publications?

Yes

No

How did you hear about PlantNebraska?

This garden site is primarily a residence, not a business or public site.

**Email or Mail the application form** and all supporting information to:

toby.burnham@unl.edu or PlantNebraska, P.O. Box 830964, Lincoln, NE 68583-0964. Please direct any questions to toby.burnham@unl.edu or 402-472-2971.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_