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## **Volunteer Job Opportunity:**

# **Gardener**

**Position:** Gardener

**Staff Contact Person:** Alison Rubelmann/Daniel Bosques

**Time Requirement:** 1.5+ hours/week (minimum) (spring/summer/fall)

**Availability:** No restrictions, open

**Skills Needed (or willing to learn):**

- Ability to identify native vs. invasive plants (for purposes of weeding and maintaining the bioswale and other areas of native plantings)
- Experience/knowledge of gardening (especially organic gardening)
- Ability to work without direct supervision

**Description:**

- Raising plants from seeds/cuttings
- Digging, planting and weeding flower beds and borders
- Maintaining the bioswale
- Checking the health of plants by identifying any pests/diseases and controlling them
- Applying nutrients to plants and maintaining moisture levels
- Pruning shrubs
- Mulching
- Maintaining high levels of presentation in the ANC's gardens
- Cleaning and maintaining tools and equipment

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