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Farmington Hills Beautification Commission To Host Spring Plant and Seed Swap at Heritage Park May 10

Commission members and certified Master Gardeners will share gardening advice

FARMINGTON HILLS, Mich. (April 23, 2025) — The Farmington Hills Beautification Commission is helping community members grow their gardens at the annual Spring Plant and Seed Swap. The event will be held rain or shine on Saturday, May 10 from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. in the parking lot near the Farmington Hills Nature Center in Heritage Park, located at 24915 Farmington Road, between Ten and Eleven Mile Roads.

"Every spring, amateur and Master Gardeners gather to exchange everything from perennial favorites to exotic plant species," said Tracey Emmanuel, staff liaison to the Farmington Hills Beautification Commission. "It's a great way to share your favorite plants or seeds, discover new varieties and meet fellow community members with green thumbs."

Community members are encouraged to come prepared with gloves, wagons and nursery pots to take home new seedlings, as well as any plants or seeds they would like to share. Members of the Farmington Hills Beautification Commission will be available to answer questions and offer expert gardening advice.

For more information about the plant swap or the Beautification Commission, contact Tracey Emmanuel, community development coordinator and staff liaison to the Farmington Hills Beautification Commission, at temmanuel@fhgov.com or 248-871-2545.

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About the City of Farmington Hills

The City of Farmington Hills is a place where everyone is welcome. Founded in 1973, it is one of the largest and most diverse communities in Oakland County. Farmington Hills is home to more than 83,000 residents who speak more than 60 languages, and more than 75 Fortune 500 businesses, including multinational corporations like Nissan and Bosch. The City is known for its extensive amenities, including over 600 acres of parks, 90 athletic fields, six miles of hiking and walking trails, the Farmington Hills Golf Club, and an Ice Arena. Farmington Hills is also home to The Hawk, an award-winning, 245,000-square-foot recreation and arts venue, which includes The Hawk Theatre and The Hawk Makerspace. For more information, visit www.fhgov.com.

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