

Updated Information for Water's Edge Gardeners - 10/13/24

1. We need everyone to clean out the debris from their garden plots (except for perennials) and plant a cover crop. Red clover seeds were distributed at the October 8 meeting, along with instructions on how to plant. [Click here for that information.](#)
2. If you have not yet received your red clover seeds, please see or call Oly at 803-280-3002. Do this before next Tuesday, October 15. After that he will be out of town and you then will need to contact Pam Rumney at 410-693-5987.
3. The garden tools from the shed have been cleaned (thanks to the Softball Club), and those tools you need to plant your clover seeds are in the big bin by the southern entrance gate. Other tools are leaning against the right side of the shed, awaiting the shed to be cleaned out. Note the high-water mark just above the bottom of the roof eave — easier to see on the right side of the shed.
4. A replacement dumpster has been located where the old one used to be. You may put debris in the bigger green dumpster as well.
5. A mix of dirt and sand has been left in the area where the sand was located by the dumpster end of the garden. This has been provided by the HOA for use in the repair of Water's Edge Park. Gardeners are welcome to take what they need to augment their plots.
6. We have made a pitch to get gravel for the main aisles and the aisles that run east to west (from the softball fence to the fence nearest the woods). The other aisles (between A1 and A2 for example) can be filled with mulch. A big load of wood chips have been left by the northern gate. (Note: If we can get gravel for all aisles, we will.)

7. The garden water is inoperable indefinitely. And the water at the ballpark (different source) is also off indefinitely. To ensure your clover gets a good start if we don't get rain soon, you might consider hand-watering with either water from home or gathered from the lake. DO NOT FALL IN, please!! Down at the wooden bridge a concrete ramp goes down into the water. Less slippery there than along a normal bank.

8. There are now port-a-potties and hand-washing stations located by the restrooms.

9. 150 pounds of lime pellets have been placed at the gate by the northern entrance. It is best to test your soil before adding this into or around your plot.

10. Please pick up anything you might be missing - garden gates, watering cans, poles, plastic bins with garden equipment, and more. Anything that was washed away and recovered is located at the south end of the garden or out near the shed area. What is not claimed by Tuesday, 15 Oct will be thrown away.

And finally, a big Thank You to those who have been assisting in the clean-up effort. It really helps if we all do our part.