

COMMUNITY GARDENERS OF MANITOWISH WATERS

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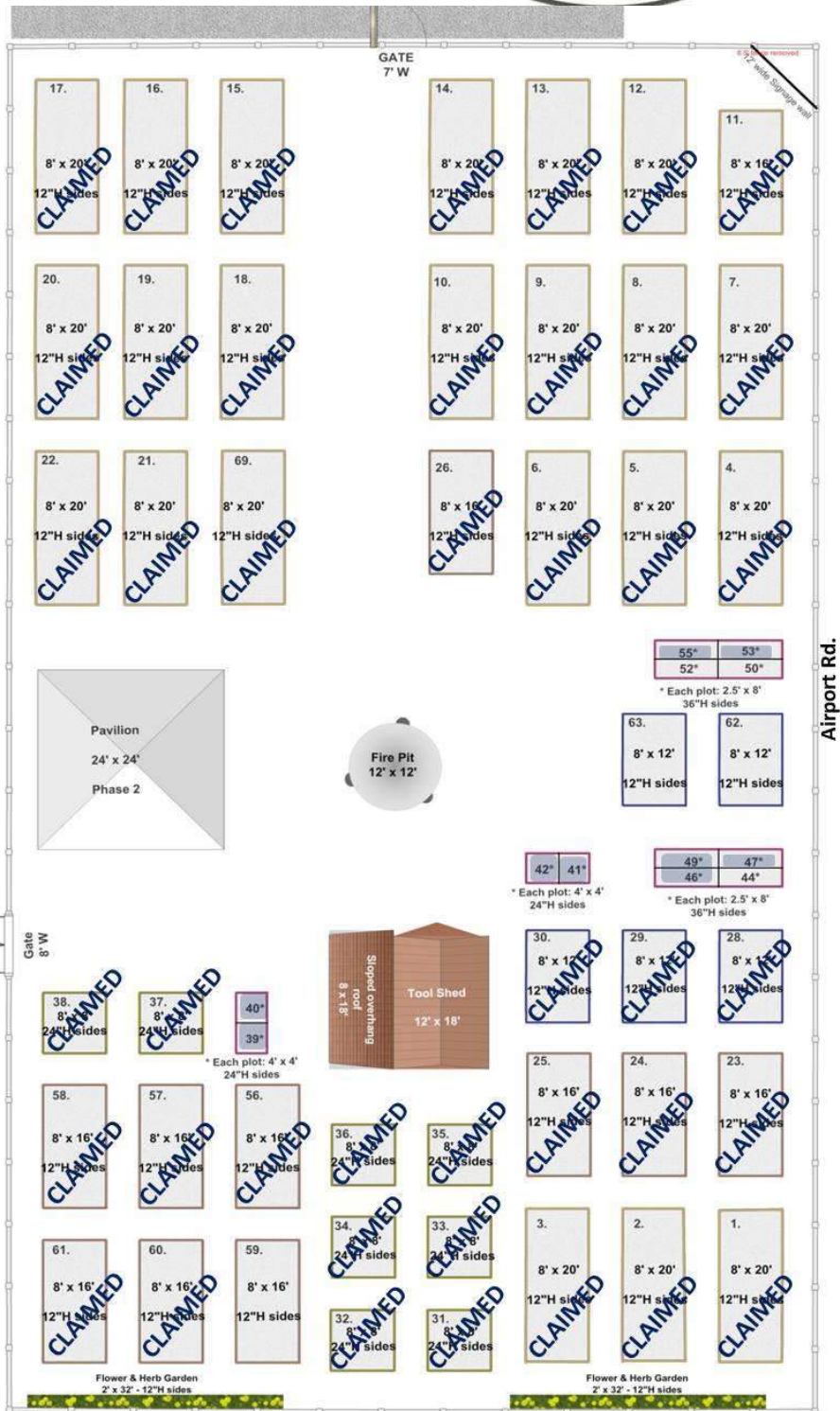
**6 OF 58 BEDS
REMAIN!**

**VOLUNTEER
HEROES!**

Since construction of the new Garden began May 25th, our *SUPER* volunteers have contributed over 800 hours of effort in the first 15 days:

- All 58 beds have been built and filled with sand, then 4" of topsoil, and then topped with 4" of organic compost
- 8'H fencing is now being constructed around the entire 550' perimeter

Please check out pages 3 & 4 to view photos of our progress!



OPENING DAY is near!

What gardeners need to know

We've been planning for a June 15th Grand Opening since January 1st! Despite all the Spring rains which made the garden site difficult to work with, as soon as our lumber was delivered on May 25th our wonderful Volunteers began staining, sawing, and building beds at an enclosed, off-site location. They have continued to give of their time and skills *every day* since then.

As of today, June 9th, our goal is still a **Saturday, June 15th Opening!**

Irrigation to all the beds will be complete. The perimeter will be complete, however, temporary gates may be in place. Path ground cover may not be fully completed. The Garden Shed will not be started until June 22nd.

Parking is available along the access road to the Town Maintenance Garage and in the area to the West of the garden. Please do not park along Airport Rd.

Each garden bed contains 4" of topsoil covered by 4" of organic compost. You will want to mix this as you plant. Power garden equipment (i.e. rototiller) is not permitted.

ONLY organic fertilizers are permitted. Please see MWGROW.org for a complete list of Garden Rules.







JUN 7



JUNE 9



**AFTER
15 DAYS &
802 VOLUNTEER HOURS!**