



VOLUNTEER TO
ADOPT A PLANTER
PLANTER BEAUTIFICATION
PROGRAM

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community

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City of Lemoore

ADOPT-A-PLANTER PROGRAM GUIDE

There are 28 planters downtown where individuals or businesses can become a volunteer to the Adopt-A-Planter Program in the downtown area.

The city is looking for committed volunteers who will enjoy adding to the ambience of our downtown and who will keep their planters in TIP-TOP SHAPE!

A plaque will be placed in the planter after it has been adopted with the plaque inscription from contract.

Example:



TIPS

- **Think enhancement:** Be respectful of what already exists in the planter. Use your creativity and landscaping design to build upon and enhance the planter.
- **Think types of plants:** Perennials, annuals, dwarf shrubs, drought tolerant plants, succulents, ground coverings, etc.
- **Think weather:** Watch the weather closely regarding extending or reducing the plants' growing season as you may need to remove plants sooner. Plant according to your planter location for the amount of sun and shade throughout the day.
- **Think water:** Plant accordingly to the amount of water your plants will need.
- **Think distance:** Allow for sufficient distance between plant material and sprinklers, taking into consideration height and size of plant being installed.
- **Think size:** Any plant material larger than 1-gallon should be avoided as to not obstruct water flow and water coverage.
- **Think soil:** Soil conditions and/or mulch products are advised when turning the soil for new plantings.
- **Think position:** When planting make sure the top of the root ball is a tad higher or at level with the soil level.

MAINTENANCE

- The Adopt-A-Planter program is a volunteer-base activity where volunteer groups such as citizens of Lemoore, civic groups, churches, neighborhood associations, businesses and other groups “adopt” and maintain a designated planter. By working together, we can help enhance the beauty and inviting atmosphere of our downtown Lemoore.
- Volunteers acknowledge that regardless of when a planter is adopted, the contract will be renewed yearly in January.
- Volunteers will visit and maintain on a regular basis the planter to ensure a clean, vibrant and healthy environment by planting new plants, trimming bushes, removing any dead plants, weeds and litter from the planter.
- Volunteers will be responsible for the purchasing of all plants and materials needed to landscape their adopted planter.
- Volunteers may also purchase and use landscape fabric, decorative rocks, boulders, flagstone, barrels, brick pathways, crushed granite, pots, soil and mulch which are all permitted. **ARTIFICIAL PLANTS ARE NOT PERMITTED.**
- Volunteers acknowledge the city will monitor and adjust water requirements as requested by the planter volunteer.
- Volunteers, if you find an area within your planter that isn't getting water after you have adjusted the sprinklers, unclogged sprinkler heads and/or replaced them, please let Parks and Recreation Dept. know by calling 924-6744 ext. 2.
- Volunteers are aware that the city reserves the right to terminate the contract at any given time.

Thank you!

Lastly, thank you for being a part of this program! You and your countless volunteer hours are what make this city beautiful. The city thoroughly appreciates all your time you put into these planters. Whether you have been a volunteer for years or just getting started, we can't thank you enough for your dedication and commitment to the City of Lemoore.

For any questions or concerns contact:
parksandrecreation@Lemoore.com
(559) 924-6744 ext. 2

PLANTERS

(A number is located at each planter as indicated on page 6)

D STREET

- #1. Billingsley Tire
- #2. Domino's Pizza
- #3. Across from Sinclair
- #4. PG & E
- #5. Lemoore Hardware
- #6. Ramblin Rose
- #7. Leon's
- #8. Wells Fargo
- #9. Maria's
- #10. Shock of Style Beauty Salon
- #11. NHC Plaza
- #12. Metamorphosis Salon
- #13. Pereira's Jewelry
- #14. The Coop
- #15. Fox Building Insurance
- #16. West Arch (North side)
- #17. West Arch (South Side)

FOLLETT STREET

- #18. R & J Machine Shop

HEINLEIN STREET

- #19. HITE Real Estate
- #20. Across from HITE Realty
- #21. Newman Garcia Studio
- #22. Across from Newman Studio

FOX STREET

- #23. Micky's Bar
- #24. Hope Fellowship
- #25. Lemoore Dog Grooming
- #26. Across from Dog Grooming
- #27. Youth Skate Park Sign
- #28. Gibson Gate



ADOPT-A-PLANTER PROGRAM CONTRACT

(Special Note: Adopt-A-Planter contract will begin and end annually in January)

Street: _____ Planter #: _____

1. I, _____ is requesting permission to become a planter volunteer by participating in the City of Lemoore Adopt-A-Planter program.
2. The planter volunteer agrees not to hold the City of Lemoore responsible for dead plants, stolen or damaged items that may occur in the adopted planter.
3. The planter volunteer acknowledges that regardless of when a planter is adopted, the contract will be renewed annually in January and the city reserves the right to terminate the contract at any given time if the volunteer does not comply with the conditions or requirements set by the Parks and Recreation Department for the Adopt-A-Planter program.
4. This waiver and release covers any future events sponsored by the Lemoore Parks and Recreation Department for the Adopt-A-Planter Program. In consideration of participation in this activity offered by Parks and Recreation of the City of Lemoore, I, the below signed, agree to indemnify and hold the City of Lemoore harmless and hereby waive, release and discharge any and all claims for loss or damage, for death, personal injury, bodily injury or property damage which I may have or which hereinafter may accrue to me against the City of Lemoore, its City Council, employees, agents and volunteers for any liability arising out of or connected in any way with my participation in this Adopt-A-Planter Program, I hereby agree to assume those risks on behalf of myself, my heirs and assigns and to release and to hold harmless all of the persons or entities mentioned above who (through negligence or carelessness) might otherwise be liable to me (or my heirs or assign) for damages. Further, I understand that the City of Lemoore, its City Council, employees, agents and volunteers, are not responsible for the personal property of this program. It is further and agreed that this contract, release and assumption of risks has been entered into and is to be binding on me and my heirs and assigns.

Contract Information

Name _____ Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail Address _____

Plaque Inscription _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Recreation Director: _____ Date _____