

Mountain View Green Garden Showcase

Garden Visit Guidelines

When visiting Showcase gardens in person, please be considerate of the privacy and property of the Showcase participants. Some common-sense guidelines:

- **Park your car safely and considerately.** If driving to view a garden, be aware of road/parking signs, and do not block or park in driveways or fire lanes.
- **Stay on the sidewalk.** Do not walk in or through the garden unless invited to do so by the property owner.
- **Be aware of pets.** Avoid aggravating or touching animals in and around the property.
- **Avoid damaging the landscape.** Admire the garden design without trampling plants or taking home plant samples.
- **Be respectful of the time and privacy of property owners.** If you happen to meet the property owner/ gardener on your visit, they may be happy to provide information in person, but be aware that they were not asked to serve as docents or tour guides.
- **Visit our website to learn more about a specific garden.** Property owners have provided photos, information, and stories about their landscapes which are posted at www.gardenshowcase.mountainview.gov.

