

## **2017 COMMUNITY GARDEN APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE**

The Friends of the Monroe Township Community Garden, a 501© (3) non-profit corporation, is accepting applications from Township residents who want to rent garden sites for the 2017 garden season. The Garden which is located at 124 Applegarth Road will open on April 1, 2017 for its third season. There are 176 10x10 foot garden plots. The annual rental fee is \$30.00, and checks should be made payable to the Friends of the Monroe Township Community Garden.

“We are pleased that the Garden has been completely sold out during the first two years of its operation and been so well received by the community,” said Leonard Baskin, President of the Friends Executive Board. A new kiosk/bulletin board has been constructed by Joseph Viola, an Eagle Scout. Also, plans are underway for the construction of a 15x30 foot greenhouse at the site.

All current Garden members will be given first preference in signing up for the 2017 season until December 31. Thereafter, people who are on the waiting list and new applicants will be considered for membership.

Applications may be picked up at the Municipal Building during regular business hours. They are also available at the Garden website, [www.monroetwp.communitygarden.com](http://www.monroetwp.communitygarden.com).