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Hi Everyone,

This month, PHS hosted a 2-part workshop with Vision Driven Consulting about fundraising & budgeting for urban agriculture. And we are exciting to announce that — thanks to the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) — PHS is offering small project support grants to preserved community and sitting gardens in Philly.

Keep Scrolling & You'll Find:

- **PHS Project Support Grant** — Have a project you've been wanting to tackle in your green space? Maybe it's building more garden infrastructure or installing a mural. Read more about answering our request for proposals!
- **Fundraising & Budgeting Strategies for Urban Ag Workshops** — Find the links to watch the recordings of our 2-part workshop series below.
- **Wiota Winter Garden Challenge** — Compete in the 5th Annual Wiota Winter Garden Challenge, created and judged by the Wiota Street Garden!! Cash prizes are on the line.

PHS Project Support Grants

Thanks to a Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR) grant, PHS is offering small project support grants to preserved community and sitting gardens in Philadelphia. Given DCNR grant requirements, only sites with land security (preserved) are eligible to apply, and no funds will be issued directly to sites, but rather invested directly in the project.

[Click here](#) to read more about eligibility, general timeline, and deadline to apply — February 1st, 2021. If you want to take a sneak peek of the application questions [click here](#).

Fundraising & Budgeting Workshop Recordings



This month, PHS hosted a mini-series presented by Brittany Campese of Vision Driven Consulting about strategies for raising funds for gardens, farms, and green spaces. Participants got a crash-course in about six different types of fundraising including but not limited to grants. If you didn't catch the workshops, no sweat!! Watch the recordings of Part 1 & Part 2 below. Maybe it'll be great fodder for submitting your RFP for the PHS Project Support Grant.

[Watch Part 1](#)

[Watch Part 2](#)

Wiota Street Winter Challenge



Wiota Street Garden is hosting the 5th Annual Wiota Winter Garden Challenge! New to this year, gardens can now select their category: vegetable, institutional, or sitting/greenspace (non-vegetable) and be judged within their particular category. From \$250 to a whopping \$1,000, cash prizes are on the line.

Gardens will be judged based on maintenance of sidewalks and front beds, trash on site, general appearance, weeding, pathways, leaf management, and more. Only Philadelphia-

based community gardens are eligible to apply. Applications must be submitted by December 31st. Judging will conclude around March 20th and the site notified thereafter. For questions, please contact Milton Lindsay at jmiltonlindsay@gmail.com.

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