

Contact Name _____
 Garden Name _____
 Garden Address _____

 Phone _____
 Email Address _____

Combination Garden

Individual _____ Community _____
 Approximate Size _____
 Date Judged _____

Scoring Gardens:

100-91 points: Excellent

90-81 points: Very Good

80-71 points: Good

70 points: Shows promise

Variety of Plants	Judge's Comments and Description
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Does the garden display a number of different kinds of plants? Are there plantings for year round interest? Are there many different varieties of one kind of plant? (for example: tomatoes; Big Boy, Cherry, Plum, Beefsteak, etc.) 	<p style="text-align: right;">Maximum of 15 points - Score _____</p>
<p>Suitability of Plants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Refers to the location of plants in relation to the growing conditions such as sun or shade. Are the plants appropriate for the growing season? 	<p style="text-align: right;">Maximum of 15 points - Score _____</p>
<p>Horticultural Practice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Addresses the quality and condition of the plant material. What has been done to combat problems of insects or diseases? Has the garden been mulched? Are plants staked when necessary? 	<p style="text-align: right;">Maximum of 15 points - Score _____</p>
<p>Imaginative Ideas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Have the gardeners devised any unusual techniques for conquering space problems, such as vertical gardening; unusual ideas for composting, mulching, cold frames? Does something set this garden apart from every other garden? 	<p style="text-align: right;">Maximum of 15 points - Score _____</p>

Maintenance	Judge's Comments and Description
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refers to the cleanliness and neatness of the garden • Has the garden been weeded? Are the paths clean and free of debris? • Are flowers deadheaded? Vegetables harvested at their prime? 	<p>Maximum of 15 points - Score _____</p>
Design and Total Visual Effect	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does the garden have an overall design integrating the various plantings into a well thought out whole? • Does the garden express a mood – excitement, serenity, restful? • Does the garden use color effectively? • Have the gardeners made the best use of the space? • Is this a place you would like to spend time? 	<p>Maximum of 25 points - Score _____</p>

Overall Impressions and General Comments:

Please include what is commendable about this garden and what needs improvement.