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Fort Bend County Announces the 2025 Community Farm & Garden Plan

(Fort Bend County, TX)—Fort Bend County is excited to announce the 2025 Community Farm & Garden Program launch, a collaborative initiative designed to promote sustainability, increase fresh food access, and foster deeper community engagement. This program will empower residents through hands-on learning experiences and strategic local partnerships, enhancing environmental stewardship and strengthening neighborhood connections.

Program Highlights:

- **Grow Together Campaign**—A year-long awareness initiative that leverages social media and partnerships to educate and engage the community on local food and sustainability.
- **Composting Initiative** – Collaborating with Lucille’s 1913 to promote composting practices, waste reduction, and soil health education.
- **Adopt-a-Raised Bed Program**—This program allows businesses and residents to sponsor and maintain raised garden beds, with training and public recognition.

2025 Goals:

- Expand fresh food access through community gardening and food distribution efforts.
- Support economic opportunities by assisting local vendors, launching internship programs, and providing hands-on agricultural education.
- Strengthen community engagement through shared stewardship of public green spaces.
- Lay the foundation for long-term investments in local food production and environmental sustainability.

Fort Bend County is committed to strengthening food security and sustainability through education, community partnerships, and infrastructure development. Members of the media are invited to attend and cover this milestone initiative.

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