



**NEW YORK
RESTORATION
PROJECT**

GARDENS FOR GREAT NEW YORKERS

ADOPT A GARDEN: TRANSFORM A BLOCK, A NEIGHBORHOOD, THE CITY ITSELF.

Since 1995, **NEW YORK RESTORATION PROJECT (NYRP)** has served as the only conservancy for open spaces in New York City's most densely populated, under-resourced and least green neighborhoods. We are driven by the conviction that all New Yorkers—no matter where they live—have the right to beautiful, high-quality public space.

We own and manage 52 community gardens in all five boroughs and have steadily restored more than half of them.

To celebrate our 20th anniversary, we are raising \$15 million to complete the design and construction of our remaining gardens. Only 15 are available for adoption.

Join our campaign and help all New Yorkers enjoy the proven benefits of access to quality green space—including improved health, safety, community pride and civic engagement.

“When people have the opportunity to be healthy and vibrant, it is reflected in the community and creates a neighborhood that is healthy and vibrant—and that’s the neighborhood I want to live in.”

NAYDA MAYMI, *Essex Street Community Garden*



“If we don’t have gardens and spaces like that...surviving in the city...I don’t even think it’s possible anymore.”

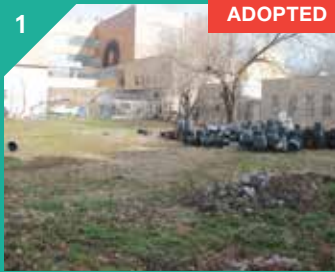
SALIHAN SAYEED, *NYRP Volunteer*

“In New York, we literally live on top of each other. And if you don’t have the opportunity to get to know the people that you live around, how can you learn to respect each other? This garden gives us that opportunity.”

SIGNE MORTENSEN,
Friendship Garden (Wicked)




1 **ADOPTED**




Bathgate
East Tremont, Bronx
16,000 sqf \$ 1,000,000

2




Clay Avenue
Morrisania, Bronx
4,480 sqf \$ 500,000

3




Clinton Avenue
East Tremont, Bronx
4,994 sqf \$ 500,000

4




Creston Avenue
Fordham, Bronx
3,000 sqf \$ 500,000

5




Eastchester Road
Eastchester, Bronx
5,994 sqf \$ 500,000

6 **ADOPTED**




Glover Street Garden
Castle Hill, Bronx
2,184 sqf \$ 250,000

7




Members Garden
Mott Haven, Bronx
2,500 sqf \$ 250,000

8 **ADOPTED**




Paradise on Earth
Hunts Point, Bronx
12,995 sqf \$ 1,000,000

9




Aberdeen Street
Cypress Hills, Brooklyn
11,040 sqf \$ 1,000,000

10




Bridge Plaza
Downtown Brooklyn, Brooklyn
2,500 sqf \$ 500,000

11 **ADOPTED**




Essex Street
Cypress Hills, Brooklyn
3,232 sqf \$ 500,000

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Hendrix
East New York, Brooklyn
988 sqf \$ 250,000

13




Hull Street Playground
Broadway Junction, Brooklyn
2,500 sqf \$ 250,000

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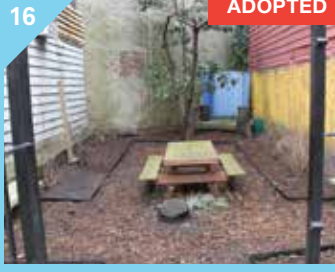
Infant Jesus
Ocean Hill, Brooklyn
2,000 sqf \$ 250,000

15 **ADOPTED**



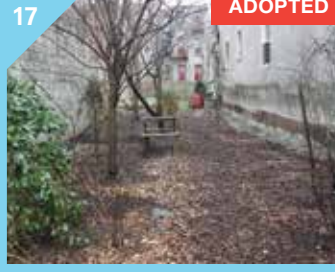
Jane Bailey Memorial Garden
Fort Greene, Brooklyn
4,326 sqf \$ 500,000

16 **ADOPTED**



LDC of Broadway
Bushwick, Brooklyn
640 sqf \$ 250,000

17 **ADOPTED**



Madison Street
Bushwick, Brooklyn
1,900 sqf \$ 250,000

18




Williams Avenue
East New York, Brooklyn
2,500 sqf \$ 250,000

19




El Catano
East Harlem, Manhattan
2,050 sqf \$ 250,000

20 **ADOPTED**



La Casita
East Harlem, Manhattan
2,500 sqf \$ 250,000

21




Pembroke Avenue
Little Neck, Queens
4,120 sqf \$ 500,000

22



Seagirt Boulevard
Far Rockaway, Queens
6,000 sqf \$ 500,000

23



Westervelt
St. George
3,432 sqf \$ 500,000



Only 15 NYRP-owned gardens remain available for adoption.

NAMING OPPORTUNITIES

Adopt a garden and ensure its renewal and care. Gifts of any amount will help NYRP achieve this goal. Honor your family roots by transforming the neighborhood where you grew up, share your commitment to NYC or celebrate someone you love.

Donors who commit \$250,000+ have the opportunity to receive name recognition for a garden appropriate to gift size. Donations of \$100,000+ will receive special recognition at our 20th Anniversary Hulaween gala in 2015. Donations of \$50,000+ will be recognized on our website and in our commemorative book honoring all campaign donors!

Exclusive naming rights remain for 20 years, after which you will have right of first refusal to continue, or NYRP may add an additional donor(s).

YOUR GIFT

Your gift may be pledged and paid over a maximum period of five years. All gifts will be restricted to NYRP's New York Garden Trust and the funds will be used to design, construct, and maintain NYRP gardens and to build the endowment for garden maintenance within our entire Trust portfolio.

NYRP estimates it will take a minimum of 2 years to fully design and build each garden. The design and renovation process will begin after payment has been received and at the discretion of NYRP.

NEW YORK RESTORATION PROJECT (NYRP) is a non-profit organization founded by Bette Midler in 1995 to restore parks, community gardens and open space in under-resourced neighborhoods throughout New York City.

NYRP owns 52 community gardens located in all five boroughs. Only 15 gardens remain available for adoption, including 1 each in Manhattan and Staten Island, 2 in Queens, 5 in the Bronx, and 6 in Brooklyn.

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