



2004 Seattle Streetside Garden Contest

Entry Form



Entries must be received by June 7, 2004

This year, we have made it possible to submit your entry forms or nominations over the internet! Visit <http://www.seattle.gov/transportation/trafficcircles.htm> for more detailed information about the contest!

1. Garden Location: _____

Example: Garden Ave N & N Flower St for intersections, 123 Garden Ave N for mid-block

2. Type of streetside garden:

- Chicane(s) or Curb bulb(s)
- Planter
- Planting Strip
- Traffic Circle
- Tree pit
- Triangle/median
- Other

Location

- Business District
- Residential District

Type of Design and Maintenance

- Professional
- Recreational/Civic/Volunteer

3. Contact Information

Are you the steward of this streetside garden? Yes No, I am nominating it

Your Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Steward information, if different than above – fill in what you can, list the main contact if multiple stewards are involved.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

4. Briefly describe this garden. _____

How long has the current garden steward(s) cared for this circle? _____

Describe how the planting and maintenance is exemplary. _____

Is there a season when it looks best, or does it have multi-season appeal? _____

How does this garden affect your community? _____

5. Please list plants used: _____

6. Attach or email photographs of your streetside garden.

All photos and documentation are to remain the property of Seattle Department of Transportation.

Questions or Comments?

Please contact:

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Contest Timeline

June 7	Entry forms due
June 15-30	Judging
September	Awards ceremony

Mail or fax entry forms to:
SDOT Urban Forestry
PO Box 34996
Seattle, WA 98124-4996
Fax: (206) 470-6940

Qualifying Streetside Gardens Must:

- ☞ be located within the Seattle City limits
- ☞ have mature trees limbed up to 8 feet at the trunk – young trees are exempt
- ☞ NOT contain any unapproved objects
- ☞ have understory plants maintained at or below 24” when within 30 feet of an intersection, or below 30” elsewhere

Primary Judging Criteria:

- ☞ Effective use of color and foliage
- ☞ Seasonal interest
- ☞ Quality of maintenance and plant health, good gardening practices
- ☞ Unique design and personality
- ☞ Plant selection: drought tolerance, pest/disease resistance, no invasives, low growing

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