## **Vegetable Planting Chart**

Planning a new or larger vegetable garden this year? Use this chart to help plan when to sow seeds or set out seedlings.

## **COOL WEATHER CROPS**

The vegetables in this section are known as "cool weather crops". Many can be planted in late winter or early spring as soon as the soil dries out enough to be worked. Many of these vegetables can be grown in succession for harvesting in the fall.

|                   | March          | April | May    | June        | July | August | September |  |  |  |
|-------------------|----------------|-------|--------|-------------|------|--------|-----------|--|--|--|
| ARUGULA           |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| ASIAN GREENS      |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| BEETS             | XXXXXX         |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| CARROTS           |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| LETTUCE           | XXXXXXXXXXXXXX |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| MESCLUN MIX       |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| MUSTARD GREENS    |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| ONIONS            | xxxxxxx        |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| PARSLEY           | xxxxx          |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| PEAS              |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| RADISHES          |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| SPINACH           |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| SWISS CHARD       |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| TURNIP            |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| BROCCOLI          | XXXXXXXXXXXX   |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| BRUSSELS SPROUTS  | xxxxx          |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| CABBAGE           | XXXXXXXXXXXX   |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| CAULIFLOWER       | XXXXXXXXXXXX   |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| CELERY            | XXXXXX         |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| CHINESE CABBAGE   | XXXXXXXX       |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| DILL              |                | ••••• |        | • • • • • • |      |        | ••••      |  |  |  |
| KALE and COLLARDS | XXXXXX         |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| KOHLRABI          | XXXXXXXXXXXX   |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| LEEKS             |                |       | XXXX   | XXXX        |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| PARSNIP           |                | ••••• | •••    |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| POTATOES          |                | XXX   | (XXXXX | XX          |      |        |           |  |  |  |
| RUTABAGA          |                |       |        |             |      |        |           |  |  |  |

## **INTERMEDIATE CROPS**

The vegetables in this section should be planted <u>after</u> the cool weather crops and <u>before</u> the warm weather crops.

|               | March  | April | May | June | July | August | September |  |
|---------------|--------|-------|-----|------|------|--------|-----------|--|
| BASIL         | xxxxxx |       |     |      |      |        |           |  |
| BEANS         |        |       |     |      |      |        |           |  |
| CORN          |        |       |     |      |      |        |           |  |
| CUCUMBERS     | xxxx   |       |     |      |      |        |           |  |
| MELONS        | xxxx   |       |     |      |      |        |           |  |
| PUMPKINS      | XXXX   |       |     |      |      |        |           |  |
| SUMMER SQUASH | XXXXX  |       |     |      |      |        |           |  |
| WINTER SQUASH | XXXX   |       |     |      |      |        |           |  |
|               |        |       |     |      |      |        |           |  |

## WARM WEATHER CROPS

These vegetables are known as "warm weather crops". Transplant seedlings into the garden only after all danger of frost has passed.

|                                 | March | April | May | June         | July | August | September |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-----|--------------|------|--------|-----------|
| EGGPLANT<br>PEPPERS<br>TOMATOES |       |       | X   | XXXX<br>XXXX |      |        |           |

**Note:** Planting time may be earlier in eastern and southern Massachusetts and later in western and northern Massachusetts

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