



The Riviera Beach Community Park and Garden is located at 1010 10<sup>th</sup> St. in the beautiful city of Riviera Beach. The community garden currently has 67 raised beds of various heights and widths. It also has raised beds to accommodate those with physical limitations. In addition, there is an area in the garden that will be used for teaching our community programs for kids and adults, cooking demonstrations and for other social activities. We have programming for everyone which includes: Tastes of the Gardens, Strawberry Sprouts, Gardeners in Training, Healthy Lifestyles, in my backyard and many more!

The purpose of the Riviera Beach Heights Community Garden and Park is to broaden knowledge of our food system, to increase consumption of fresh fruits and vegetables, provide a platform for community engagement, and encourage organic gardening throughout our city and to promote healthy lifestyles.

Our first harvesting has just been completed and we are preparing to plant new crops! We have harvested corn, pear tomatoes, chocolate mint, collard greens, kale, turnip greens, basil, sage, rosemary, sunflowers, parsnips, watermelon and okra just to name a few. Jordia Spence, the Riviera Beach Heights Community Garden Committee chair, says that the RBHCG is truly amazing and Riviera Beach is privileged to have it in their backyard! The RBHCG is also proud to welcome aboard professional Gardner, Kimberly Egbulonu, a Riviera Beach resident who brings a wealth of knowledge to the RBHCG. Our residents look forward to having an inviting, and beautiful garden, in which to learn and socialize with their neighbors over a cup of chocolate mint tea made from our savory garden! Volunteers are always needed in the garden and our Community Garden Committee is always looking for eager members. For more information about these opportunities please contact Annetta Jenkins at: (561)844-3408 or Jordia Spence at: (561) 667-1203.

**Don't forget to check us out on our website: [rivierabeachcommunitygardens.com](http://rivierabeachcommunitygardens.com).**

Regards,  
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