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GROVER BEACH SEEKS GARDENS FOR 2013 SPRING GARDEN TOUR AND PLANT EXCHANGE

Date: Sunday, June 2, 2013

Time: 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Location: Grover Beach

Grover Beach - - The Grover Beach Parks, Recreation and Beautification Commission is pleased to announce the date of the Annual Spring Garden Tour and Plant Exchange. This year's event will be held on **Sunday, June 2, 2013, from 1:00 until 4:00 p.m.** During this event, five to six gardens within the City of Grover Beach are selected to be highlighted. This is a wonderful way to spend a Sunday afternoon and germinate some landscaping ideas for your own yard! The event will be held rain or shine.

If you live in the City of Grover Beach and would like your garden showcased as part of this year's tour, or, if you know of a beautiful garden within the City that should be shared, please contact the Grover Beach Parks and Recreation Department at 473-4580 by **Friday, May 10, 2013**. The Grover Beach Parks, Recreation and Beautification Commission will conduct a preview tour of all the nominated gardens and will select the ones to be included in this year's event. If your garden is selected, you can sit back and relax while a member of the Commission will show off your garden.

The self-guided tour is free to the public. Also as part of the tour, participants may choose to take part in the ever popular **Plant Exchange**. Tour participants are encouraged to bring a plant, or plant cutting, and trade it for a new plant to add to their garden. A Master Gardener will be present at the Plant Exchange to answer all of your gardening questions. When you're done touring the gardens and picking out your plant, drop by the Ramona Garden Park Center at 993 Ramona Avenue and enjoy the first concert of the **Sizzlin' Summer Concert Series and Farmers' Market**, featuring the band: **Critical Mass**. The series will continue every Sunday through September 29th!

For more information regarding volunteering for this event or any other Parks and Recreation programs or **to nominate a garden**, please call (805) 473-4580 or visit the Grover Beach Parks and Recreation office at 154 S. 8th Street, Grover Beach, CA 93433.

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