

Tools and tilling

Local tool libraries

- **Garden Project Resource Center:** The Resource Center offers a wide variety of gardening tools and equipment for registered gardeners to borrow. Check our website for the Resource Center's current seasonal hours at GLFoodBank.org/ResourceCenter.
- **Capital Area Housing Partnership (CAHS) Tool Library:** CAHS's Tool Library lends various tools to Lansing residents for gardening and more. To apply to use the library, visit their website at CapitalAreaHousing.org/Tool-Lending or call (517) 332-4663.
- **Allen Neighborhood Center Eastside Farmers Tool Library:** Free tool library for Lansing's urban farms. Email hpg@AllenNeighborhoodCenter.org or call (517) 999-3910.
- **Garage sales and neighbors:** Garage sales, estate sales, Craigslist, Facebook Marketplace and other resale avenues can be great places to find garden implements.

Tilling resources

- Consider options that do not require tilling, such as raised beds or layered "lasagna gardening." Read more about no-till gardening options at bit.ly/RuthStoutSystem.
- On a case-by-case basis, Garden Project may be able to provide community gardens with tractor or walk behind tilling. Ask us if you're looking for tilling help.
- Independent contractors are available to do tilling for a fee; including:
 - Charley: (517) 627-6215
 - Roger: (517) 281-1293
 - Others can be found at bit.ly/CraigslistTilling.
- Tillers can be rented from many businesses including:
 - Haslett True Value: (517) 339-2829
 - Home Depot: (517) 323-0229
 - AC&E Rental: (517) 349-2220