

Press Release
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Estate gardens – now is your time to shine in Hackney in Bloom 2011

Do you live on a Hackney estate? Are you part of a gardening club or community growing scheme? Why not enter Hackney in Bloom, a free gardening competition that gives local residents, businesses, schools and communities the opportunity to show off their gardening skills.

Now in its seventh year, the competition supports and encourages gardening, horticulture and environmental sustainability to make Hackney a greener, brighter and better place to live.

Hackney Homes is supporting the category for the Best Food Growing Project. We want to see as many green-fingered residents entering their gardening clubs or community gardens in for this years awards.

The judges will be looking for originality, design, impact, colour, quality and sustainability as well as specifics outlined on the entry form. Just pick up an entry form or apply online at www.hackney.gov.uk/hackney-in-bloom. All entries must be received by Monday 4 July 2011.

Hackney in Bloom is organised by Hackney Council and Hackney Homes.

For further information please phone 020 8356 8428 or visit the website www.hackney.gov.uk/hackney-in-bloom

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Notes to Editors

- Hackney Homes is an arms-length management organisation managing around 30,000 council properties in the borough of Hackney.