



Seed Donation Sign-Up Form



Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address (optional): _____

Background: How much seed saving knowledge and experience do you have? *

None 1-2 yrs 2-5 yrs 5-10 yrs 10+ yrs

How much gardening experience do you have?

None 1-2 yrs 2-5 yrs 5-10 yrs 10+ yrs

Safe Seed Pledge

Agriculture and seeds provide the basis upon which our lives depend. We must protect this foundation as a safe and genetically stable source for future generations.

I pledge to grow plants according to best practices and save the seeds of those plants according to best practices to ensure that I return vial seed that will produce seeds true to the variety I label them to be. If I do not know how to properly follow the Seed Library’s “best practices”, I will contact someone from the Master Gardeners or OSU Extension Service to help me. I understand I am dealing with a a living thing and the responsibility that comes with this. I pledge to participate in this project and acknowledge the bond between the seeds, community, and myself and will be honest and forthright in all my dealings with the seeds, the members of the Seed Library Project and other community members who benefit from my participation.

Signature: _____

Thank you for your interest in saving and donating seeds.

*Please note that at this time we are only accepting seeds from those with experience in seed saving. Newer gardeners will have the opportunity to contribute at a later date.

**The Safe Seed Pledge originated with The Council for Responsible Genetics founded in 1983, ... comprised of scientists, lawyers, public health advocates and citizens concerned about the social, ethical and environmental impact of new genetic technologies. The St. Helens Public Library and OSU Extension Office Master Gardeners did not create it. We have adapted it and adopted it as a standard for our seed library collection.