

## CSA Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to membership in the ReVision Urban Farm and Drumlin Farm CSA from June 16 through October 13, 2010. As a member, I commit myself to supporting the farm with timely payments. If I wish to discontinue my membership, I must do so by May 1, 2010. I understand that my deposit is non-refundable. I also commit to picking up my produce every week by 8pm and I do not expect to have my share saved if I cannot pick up on the designated day.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Harvest Guide

	June	July	August	Sept.	Oct.
Asian Greens					
Beans					
Beets					
Broccoli					
Cabbage					
Carrots					
Collards					
Corn					
Cucumbers					
Eggplant					
Garlic					
Herbs					
Kale					
Leeks					
Lettuce					
Onions					
Peas					
Peppers					
Potatoes					
Radishes					
Raspberries					
Shallots					
Spinach					
Strawberries					
Summer squash					
Tomato					
Turnips					
Watermelon					
Winter squash					

Contact the farm manager:  
 Matthew Kochka  
 617-822-FARM (3276)  
 mkochka@vpi.org

Please send form to:  
 Victory Programs, Inc.  
 965 Massachusetts Avenue  
 Boston, MA 02118-2613

**Regular share** Price  
**(Please send first payment by 4/13/2010)** \$550.00

- Full payment of \$550 is enclosed.  
 A deposit of \$175 is enclosed. Three payments of \$125 are due July 1, August 1, September 1.

**Franklin Field share** Price  
**(for low-income households. Please send first payment by 4/3/2010)** \$200.00  
 Full payment of \$200 is enclosed.  
 A deposit of \$50.00 is enclosed. Three payments of \$50.00 are due July 1, August 1, and September 1.

I want to collect my share at:

- Milton  Roxbury  
 Dorchester  Jamaica Plain  
 Porter Square  Davis Square  
 Central Square

CSA FUND

I would like to add a tax-deductible gift to help provide a share of vegetables to parents and children who cannot afford them.

Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL ENCLOSED

Your CSA Payment \_\_\_\_\_  
 CSA Fund donation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Method of Payment

- Check—payable to Victory Programs  Visa  
 MasterCard  American Express

CC number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_



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 Supported  
 Agriculture

in association with  
 Drumlin Farm

2010

## Victory Programs' ReVision Urban Farm in Dorchester and the Massachusetts Audubon Society's Drumlin Farm in Lincoln are partners in the ReVision Urban Farm Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) project.

This collaboration creates an urban-rural agricultural link, increasing our farm's capacity to distribute fresh, locally grown, organic produce to individuals living throughout the greater Boston area. We are committed to providing high quality, nutritious vegetables to all, regardless of one's ability to pay.

To this end, our market-rate CSA subsidizes shares for low-income families living in the Franklin Field community of Dorchester, combining our work with the generosity of those who support the ReVision Urban Farm CSA Fund.

### ReVision Urban Farm

ReVision Urban Farm and Shelter are part of the Boston-based Victory Programs, Inc. Located in Dorchester, ReVision was founded in 1989 as a shelter for homeless, pregnant and parenting young mothers and their children. With the conversion of three vacant lots into sustainable growing spaces, and the construction of three solar greenhouses, shelter residents and staff grow vegetables, herbs, fruits, and care for honey bees on one acre of land. The farm provides healthy organic produce for 22 families living in the shelter and for the local community. The farm also provides job-training skills to young, homeless mothers. In 2005, ReVision Urban Farm merged with Victory Programs, a Boston-based non-profit organization that provides housing and services to individuals and families facing homelessness, addiction, or other chronic illness. [www.vpi.org](http://www.vpi.org)

### Drumlin Farm

Drumlin Farm is a nonprofit, educational farm and wildlife sanctuary, owned and operated by the Massachusetts Audubon Society. In addition to providing a wide range of educational opportunities for children and adults, the farm raises 15 acres of fruit, vegetables, and cover crop, as well as a wide variety of livestock. Through the use of organic practices, the farm demonstrates sustainable land stewardship and conservation. [www.massaudubon.org](http://www.massaudubon.org)

### What's a CSA?

CSA stands for Community Supported Agriculture. The CSA operates by selling shares of our farm's harvest to families and organizations that commit to supporting us for the full length of the growing season. You, the CSA member, pay in advance for a season's worth of fresh, sustainably grown produce. We, the farmers, have a secure market before the season begins and can therefore focus on growing healthy crops. In other words, you buy a little piece of the farm for the growing season, and in return receive a weekly "share" of fresh, local, organic produce!

### Where do I pick up my produce?

Choose among pick-up sites in Cambridge, Somerville, Dorchester, Roxbury, Milton and Jamaica Plain. Distribution is each Wednesday afternoon beginning at 5 PM. Members commit to picking up their produce on a weekly basis from June through October. Please let us know if cannot pick up your share, it will be donated to ReVision Shelter.

### How much does it cost?

*Order from January to April 13th*

A regular share costs \$550.00 which includes a farm CSA and a fruit share. This breaks down to about \$30.55/week for fresh, local produce from your community!

*For residents of the Dorchester and Mattapan communities*

The price per share is \$200.00 which includes a CSA and a fruit share.

This breaks down to \$11/week for fresh, local produce from your community!

### What/how much do I get?

A share is a portion of the harvest from Drumlin Farm and ReVision Urban Farm. Each week's share consists of a variety of as many as ten types of vegetables and herbs, depending on what is in season. This is enough to feed two adults with a vegetarian diet or up to four people with a mixed diet for a week. CSA members also receive four weeks of locally grown fruit. Our Harvest Guide gives a rough estimate of what you can expect in your share each month.

Our fruit share is delivered for four weeks during late summer and usually consists of apples, pears, peaches, and/or plums (depending on availability). The fruit is grown at Autumn Hills Orchard in Groton, MA.

### How can I help low-income families enjoy the same organic produce I do?

ReVision Urban Farm subsidizes CSA shares for low-income families living in the Franklin Field community. Your additional contribution to the CSA Fund will directly improve access to healthy, organic, local produce for the families of Franklin Field, and support our work in making the ReVision Urban Farm's CSA even more effective and successful.

**JOIN NOW!  
OUR CAPACITY IS LIMITED !**