

Down To Earth CSA
(Community Supported Agriculture, Established 2006)
Stafford, Connecticut
MEMBER SIGN-UP & AGREEMENT FORM
2026 Season

I would like to join Down to Earth CSA by becoming a member and receiving a share of the harvest weekly from mid-June through the end of October, including “pick your own” selections as available. I understand that members will share the land's bounty and the risks associated with vegetable farming. The number of members and size of the harvest for each crop will determine the share size. Membership is for one growing season for the year shown above.

For more information, email down2ecsa@gmail.com

The share I would like is:

- | <u>Before 12/31/2025</u> | <u>After 12/31/2025</u> |
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| ● Large Share \$500.00 | Large Share \$550.00 |
| ● Small Share \$275.00 | Small Share \$300.00 |

*Please make check payable to **Down to Earth CSA** and mail to:*

Down to Earth CSA
P.O. Box 51
Stafford CT 06075

Please include payment with your application

WORK COMMITMENT FOR MEMBERS
PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

Each member agrees, as part of their share price, to provide at least 1 person to work at the farm 2 hours every other week and participate in 2 of our monthly “Crop Mobs”, which include a Pot Luck lunch. Parents are responsible for proper supervision of children while on the premises.

Your Contact Information: (Please write legibly, as we use this information to communicate with you!)

Name: _____

Street address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone number: _____

Cell Phone Number: _____

E-mail: _____

(Please print clearly)

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please circle your choice selections: *Times may change based on work crew agreement and weather conditions. For example, crews may agree to meet earlier to avoid the heat.*

Weekly harvest pick up: Tuesday or Saturday (shares available from 11:00 on)

Workday (every other week): Sat 9:00-11:00, Tues 9:00-11:00 or 4:00-6:00, Thurs 9:00-11:00

You can change your selections by sending an email to down2ecsa@gmail.com

Liability Release
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I, _____, have read this entire document. By signing below, I agree that I have been given reasonable notice of the potential hazards of working on and visiting a farm. I understand that working on uneven terrain with exposure to unpredictable climatic conditions, wildlife, and other unforeseeable variables poses some inherent risk.

I understand that bees are kept on the farm property to pollinate crops and that it is my responsibility to bring with me any medical requirements (such as EpiPens) for myself or anyone else I bring with me to the farm if they are known to be allergic to bee stings or to have any other serious allergies. I certify that I am healthy enough for farm work and that I have no medical condition or restriction on my activities that conflicts with this commitment. If I am disabled, accommodation can be made for my condition. I understand that farm tools and equipment may also pose an inherent danger if not used properly and for the intended purpose, as I have been instructed. I understand that parking is only allowed in certain areas. Staff can show you where to park.

GENERAL RELEASE. Understanding all the above, I hereby release forever and discharge Down to Earth CSA, including all of its members, workers, and any other persons or entities not named here who might be liable or claimed to be liable, from any and all demands, liability, claims, damages, attorney fees, actions and suits, pertaining to damages, claims or injuries of any kind whatsoever to person or property that I or anyone accompanying me to the farm may now have or hereafter have arising from or related to my presence or activity while at the farm (109 Bradway Road, Stafford, CT 06076). I understand that any and all work that I perform while on the site is done so willingly, and it is my responsibility to work and act safely and ask for guidance when needed. By signing this General Release, I knowingly accept responsibility for informing anyone in my family/member group of these same risks, and that my signature is therefore binding for all members of my family/member group.

Signed,

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please complete and sign two copies of the application. Send in one copy with your check, and keep the other for your records and information included about the CSA.