

Future Plans

- ☞ **Garden House** with capability for receptions or accommodating small groups.
- ☞ Continual development of the **Meadow Lark**.
- ☞ Continue developing the stream and a series of ponds with **Cascading Falls**. This is a portion of our conservation effort to recapture water for use in our irrigation system.
- ☞ Construction of the **Teahouse**.
- ☞ Planting and development of the **Butterfly Meadow**.
- ☞ Planting the **Southwoods**.
- ☞ Development of **Campus Viewpoint** and **Pioneer Hill Overlook**.
- ☞ Continue to develop more bench sites.

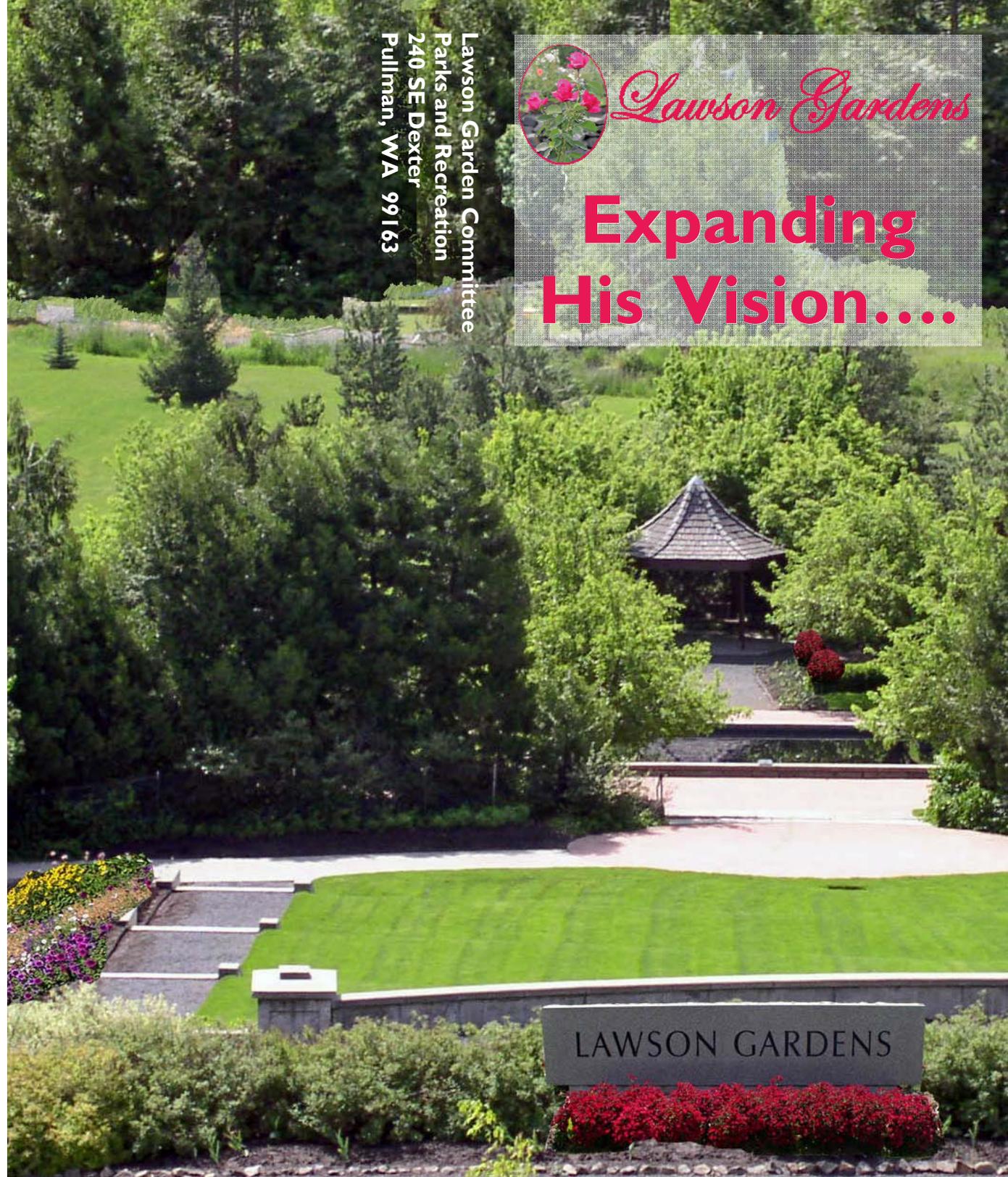
See our Master Plan on the our
Web Site: www.pullman-wa.gov/recreation

Lawson Garden Committee
Parks and Recreation
240 SE Dexter
Pullman, WA 99163



Lawson Gardens

**Expanding
His Vision....**





Situated in a cozy swale amidst quiet residential neighborhoods you will find Pullman's premier formal garden complex. Gerald Lawson, local farmer, donated 13 acres of land and development funds for this beautiful garden to the City of Pullman in 1985. The garden was dedicated in the memory of Mr. Lawson's first wife, Alice.

Oriented around a large reflecting pool and gazebo, seasonal plantings of colorful annuals accent the walkways and terraced lawns.

In 1990 the Pullman Rotary Club donated funds for development of a circular rose garden, which was planted with 600 assorted rose bushes in 1991-92.

The extensive perennial garden along the east side of the complex was designed and

constructed in a collaborative effort between horticulturist Varnel Williams and volunteers Irene Spencer and Dennis Simpson in 1991. The perennials provide unique and colorful displays year round.

In the spring of 1998 high school students from Pullman's sister city, Kasai City, Japan helped plant eight beautiful flowering cherry trees in Lawson Gardens.

Plans for future development of the gardens include a conservatory for tropical and indoor plants as well as theme gardens, such as woodland, Japanese, lilac and native plant gardens.

On the hillside north of the rose garden the city has planted a xeriscape demonstration garden where you can learn about drought tolerant plantings that thrive in the local soil and climate.



Helping Expand His Vision...

Your contribution to Lawson Gardens may be made in the following ways

General Giving

These monies will be used for general improvements at Lawson Gardens

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Visionary | \$5,000 and up |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Master Gardner | \$1,000-\$5,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gardner | \$500-\$999 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cultivator | \$300-\$499 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Planter | \$100-\$299 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Green Thumb | \$1-\$99 |

Rose Garden

You may donate for a Memorial Rose Bed, which consist of 9 roses of a particular color, or you may adopt a particular Rose color. Memorial plaques will be placed in the bed of your choice. Choices may be made by coming to the Pullman Parks and Recreation Office at 240 SE Dexter.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Memorial Rose Bed (9 roses) | \$1,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Memorial Rose (Single Rose Plant) | \$100 |

Annual Giving

Each year you may donate for plantings in the annual and/or perennial flower beds. Posted recognition will be made of donations \$500 or more.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Adopt a Flower Bed | \$100 and up |
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Bench

There are limited sites for benches available. More sites will be developed as we continue on the Master Plan for the Gardens.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bench | \$700 |
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Name _____

Address _____

City _____ St _____ Zip _____

Contributions are Tax deductible

Please make checks payable to:

City of Pullman, Lawson Garden Fund

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