Cultivating a greener community; inspiring appreciation and improvement of our environment through horticulture, education and conservation.
Dear friends,

Fiscal year 2013 was an energetic year! Our diverse volunteer base and TheDCH staff were amazing, investing huge amounts of energy in programs and future plans. We are so proud of how our volunteers support every program and governance area.

Trees, Public Landscapes, Urban Agriculture and Education program areas all achieved significant successes which helped strengthen our local communities and physical environment. We hope you will be inspired by reading about our accomplishments in these pages.

Tremendous energy also went into planning our building renovation and expansion and reactivating the capital campaign. We have very exciting plans and big dreams which we plan to roll out soon.

Many, many thanks to those who contributed to the TheDCH through a myriad of ways. On behalf of our Board and TheDCH staff, we thank you for your energy and significant and important financial support!

We look forward to a very productive year in 2014! Come join us.

Gratefully,

Andrew Bunting
Board President

Pam Sapko
Executive Director

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Financials*

- **Total Income**: $1,495,699
- **Total Expenses**: $1,495,699

*unaudited
URBAN AGRICULTURE

Community gardens make fresh food available and affordable where it is scarce, and promote neighborhood pride, safety and cooperation by transforming vacant lots into productive green spaces.

✓ Done this year

24 Community gardens supported
8 Production areas expanded
39 Raised beds built
1 Community Garden redesigned to fix issues with stormwater runoff

Procuring fresh, healthy food is the challenge of the “food insecure,” people who live in food deserts where highly processed and fast foods are readily available and healthy options are scarce.

It’s no wonder they have more than triple the obesity and diabetes rates of other Delawareans. There are a lot of factors contributing to diet-related disease, but one thing is sure: if people don’t have reasonable access to healthy food, they can’t eat it.

The DCH Urban Agriculture program exists to do something about the problem. We have helped scores of neighborhoods build and maintain dozens of community gardens. And at our flagship project, the 12th & Brandywine Urban Farm, staff produces, markets, and affordably sells 1,300 pounds of produce each growing season in a foodshed that badly needs it.
TREES PLANTED

The Tree Program aims to increase the tree canopy and educate people about the environmental, fiscal and community benefits of trees.

✔ Done this year

- **609 Trees Planted**
- **21 Tree Stewards trained to advocate for trees in their neighborhoods**
- **800 Trees cared for (inspected, watered, pruned, removed)**

Trees are great for the environment: 100 mature trees annually clean 5 tons of CO2, and 1,700 pounds of pollutants, ozone, and particulates that cause acid rain. They also cool urban heat islands by up to 20 degrees and provide wildlife habitat and beautify neighborhoods. At TheDCH we educate people about the benefits of trees, train citizen advocates, support initiatives and care for trees.

This year, we accomplished these goals in numerous ways. We held workshops for the public and held a semi-annual bare root tree sale. Through public, community and corporate partnerships, we orchestrated tree plantings in places like Graylyn Crest, Delcastle High School, New Destiny Fellowship, Elks on the Brandywine, The New Moyer Academy, and neighborhoods in Wilmington’s West Side. We also continued a great partnership with Delmarva Power for the third time to offer a Low Cost Trees for Energy Savings program, this time in Townsend.

We are always looking for new ways to connect people to trees, and this year, we partnered with the Delaware Grief Consortium to launch “Love Grows On,” a tribute program that helps those grieving to find a positive way to remember their loved one and benefit our communities.
Public Landscapes exists to beautify shared spaces, implement best practices for sustainability and stormwater management, and educate the public about the benefits of sustainable landscaping. We partner with communities, agencies and businesses, and bring our expertise to bear in challenging urban grow zones, like traffic islands and urban neighborhood sidewalk spaces.

This year, we facilitated the installation at the Brandywine Substation in Brandywine Village, supported beautification of Hill Road, Brandywine Zoo, Columbus Monument, McCaulley Court, and a major project at Rodney Square that utilized state-of-the-art infrastructure to support tree root growth in that high-traffic area. Outside Wilmington, we continued progress on the US 40/13 Corridor landscape project and coordinated design and volunteer installation of wildlife habitat at Ashland Research Station.

Education is an important part of communities adopting best practices in stormwater management, and to that end, we completed an installation of a model tree trench on Locust Street along Prices Run Park and are working on interpretive signage that describes what’s going on underground in that space to improve water quality and reduce runoff.

The DCH has enhanced more than 100 public green spaces in Delaware. These attractive municipal gateways and focal points use native plants, and sustainable practices to improve water and air quality and reduce stormwater runoff.

✓ Done this year

4 Stormwater mitigation projects completed
40 Public landscapes maintained
YOUTH & ADULT EDUCATION

Offering great events and trips for gardening enthusiasts, and inspiring appreciation for the environment among underserved populations.

✓ Done this year

62 Adult workshops, classes, lectures, tours & outings

24 Teens trained the Horticulture Leadership Education Program (HELP), a two-week intensive outdoor classroom experience

151 City kids educated in the Secret Garden preschool program, farm field trips, and other events

At TheDCH, we educate children, youth and adults – in arenas as close to home as TheDCH Demonstration Garden and as far afield as other states and countries.

In addition to our slate of adult workshops, Make & Take events, Winter Lecture Series, Lunch & Learn series, City Gardens Contest and numerous local garden tours, this year, we took guests on a memorable excursion to enjoy Buffalo Garden Walk, the nation’s largest city garden tour.

This year, thanks to private donors, we also renovated the Secret Garden – an outdoor classroom serving urban preschoolers. We continued to inspire youth and young adults with summer programs like Horticulture Education Leadership Program and Wilmington’s Green Jobs summer training. We took kids on field trips to a local farm and offered numerous Family Fun events.
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environmental & social justice education programs

return to work green jobs training

7 ex-offenders graduated from Return to Work Green Jobs training, a 200-hour horticultural skills and job readiness program, bringing the total to 39 since the program’s inception

Baylor Women’s Correctional Institution

30 Inmates trained at Baylor Women’s Correctional Institution community garden

Sussex Parole Violation Center

20 Inmates trained in horticulture, computer skills, financial literacy, and job preparedness topics
Members of The DCH get involved in unique ways. Here, one member opened her beautiful garden to host “Food and Flora,” a premier progressive dinner and garden tour in Wilmington.

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A fantastic event for collectors and gardeners staged throughout the majestic Longwood Gardens Conservatory, the Rare Plant Auction® features beautiful, hard to find, difficult to propagate and newly introduced species from around the country. Proceeds of this gala benefit The DCH greening and education programs.
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Volunteers

This year, 588 volunteers donated 6,306 hours to public events, community programs, fund raisers, and to fill important administrative, development and leadership roles, a $146,316 contribution. Our volunteer base includes a broad range of ages from youth to seniors, as well as diverse experience levels, socio-economic status and ethnicities.

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<th>Volunteers worked 250 hours at TheDCH events</th>
<th>Volunteers donated 533 hours building a new garden, teaching and gardening with under-served preschoolers in the Secret Garden</th>
<th>Volunteer spent 15 hours spackling and painting gallery walls between 12 art shows</th>
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<td>16 Plant Selection Committee members gave 207 hours to secure over 600 plant donations for the Rare Plant Auction®</td>
<td>26 Volunteers worked 181 hours, teaching, planting, weeding and mulching in community gardens</td>
<td>21 Certified Tree Stewards spent 151 hours advocating for trees in our communities</td>
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<td>123 Volunteers and staff planted 609 trees at dozens of locations</td>
<td>42 Board Members and Council of Advisors invested 1,263 hours, sharing their professional expertise to manage TheDCH</td>
<td>31 “Discover TheDCH” volunteers gave 117 hours to help increase membership by 10%</td>
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<td>18 Researchers gave 244 hours writing plant descriptions for the Rare Plant Auction®</td>
<td>19 photographers captured thousands of photographs of TheDCH events, programs and people</td>
<td>15 Volunteers gave 85 hours to distribute the Coming Events brochure to 155 locations</td>
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<td>7 Volunteers invested 214 hours at Baylor Women’s Correctional Institution teaching residents about bee keeping, flower design, gardening, and fresh food preparation</td>
<td>30 Administrative volunteers spent 165 hours preparing over 5,000 pieces of mail for delivery</td>
<td>7 Volunteers gave 115 hours to care for TheDCH’s onsite plant specimens</td>
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<td>34 Grounds Volunteers worked 430 hours weeding, planting, designing, deadheading and mulching our Demonstration Gardens</td>
<td>22 volunteers gave 200 hours planting, harvesting and selling produce at the 12th &amp; Brandywine Urban Farm</td>
<td>11 Steering Committee Members gave 56 hours planning the Rare Plant Auction®</td>
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<td>1 Volunteer spent 144 hours logging information into our database</td>
<td>31 Volunteers gave 85 hours planting, harvesting and selling produce at the 12th &amp; Brandywine Urban Farm</td>
<td><strong>Volunteers power TheDCH greening efforts in numerous ways. Here, volunteers from WSFS gathered to help spruce up Kosciuszko park in Wilmington. Many companies use TheDCH volunteer events as team building efforts, where top executives and employees informally mingle as they work together toward a project that gives back to the communities they serve.</strong></td>
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