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Land Sale Proposed for Community Garden in Grand Boulevard

A new community garden would be developed in Grand Boulevard through a City-owned land sale proposed to City Council today by Mayor Rahm Emanuel.

The 6,200-square-foot site at 4200 S. Vincennes Ave. would be sold for $1 to the NeighborSpace land trust, which would preserve the property for use by the 400 East Block Club and local residents.

Construction plans call for raised plant beds to accommodate a variety of shade-tolerant plants and herbs, as well as bird houses and bird feeders.

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