

# SEED DONATION PROTOCOL

PLEASE FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES SO THAT USERS  
HAVE PROPER PLANT NAMES/DIRECTIONS AND SO  
THAT WE GIVE ACCESS TO HEALTHY SEEDS.

- SAVE FROM HEALTHY PLANTS
- SAVE FROM A NUMBER OF PLANTS
  - THIS PROVIDES GENETIC DIVERSITY.
  - INCREASES VIGOR, GERMINATIONS, AND YIELD OVER GENERATIONS.
- PUT SPACE BETWEEN VARIETIES
  - PRODUCES TRUE-TO-TYPE SEEDS
  - PREVENTS CROSS POLLINATION
- PROVIDE AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE
  - SEED NAME AND VARIETY
  - OPEN-POLLINATED, HEIRLOOM, OR HYBRID
- PROPERLY PACKAGE SEEDS
  - CLEAN AND DRY
  - LABELED ENVELOPE, BAGGIE OR JAR THAT YOU ARE WILLING TO PART WITH

ADAPTED FROM SEED SAVERS EXCHANGE