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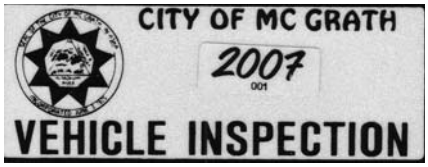


C. A safety inspection fee of fifteen dollars each vehicle shall be due and payable immediately upon passing the safety inspection and issuance of the safety inspection sticker. A safety inspection sticker shall be required and renewed annually during the month of June for cars, trucks, motorcycles and all terrain vehicles and during the month of December for snowmobiles, and the valid term of inspection shall extend one year or until such date as the vehicle fails to operate in accordance with the safety requirements, whichever comes first.

D. The VPSO will enforce the McGrath Municipal Code requiring safety inspections. A 15-day "fix it" ticket will be issued to owners of vehicles not displaying a current McGrath safety inspection sticker. After 15 days, if the person has not completed the registration and safety inspection requirements, a ticket will be issued requiring the owner to appear in court and be subject to a fine not to exceed three hundred dollars.

E. Non-McGrath residents will be exempt.
(Ord. 07-07, 2007, Ord. 01-1, 2000: Ord. 93-1 § 2, 1992: Ord. 91-8, 1991: Ord. 86-4, 1986; Ord. 85-2 § 9, 1984: prior code Ch. 7.1 § 9)

Stop by the VPSO/Public Safety building on E Street across from the side of the Post Office during normal business hours or call VPSO Parker at 524-3075 to make an appointment. The inspection only takes about 5 minutes.

Like to garden or want to learn?

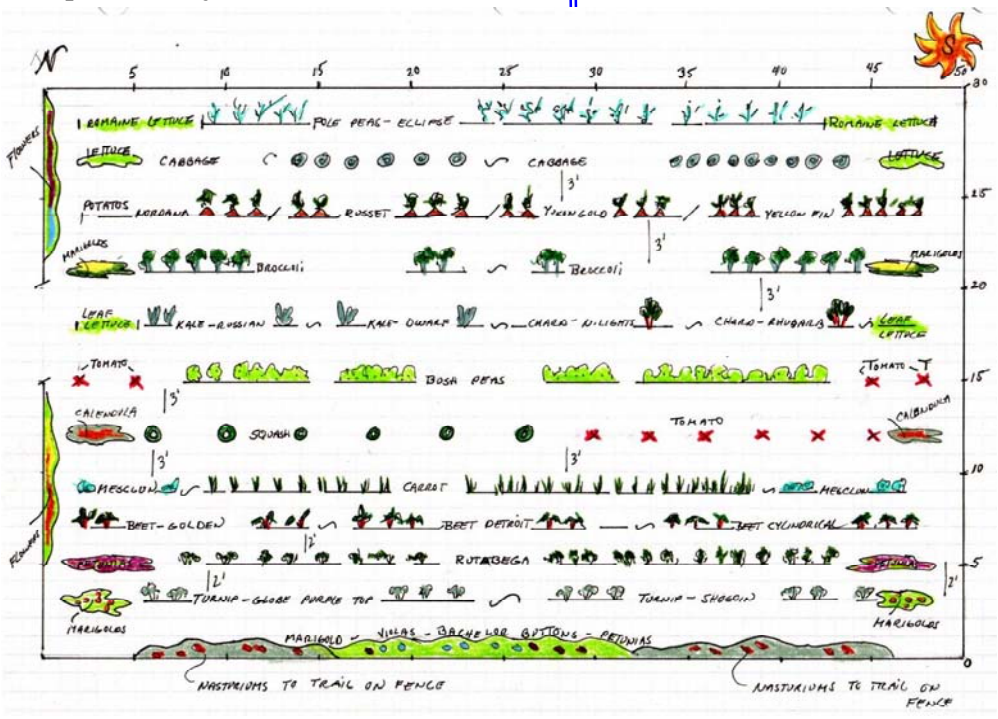
Get involved in the **"Sustainable Agriculture for Interior Alaska Villages"** project provided by UAF Cooperative Extension Service through a grant from USDA.

Be a **volunteer gardener in McGrath's sustainable agriculture project garden** located on the river side of the city's lot leased by GCI, and help plant, weed and water. Learn about good and bad bugs, help harvest and distribute produce, collect information on what grows well and tastes good.

This is a great opportunity for kids, teens and elders.

Two 30' X 50' plots will be planted. First, the vegetable plot will be planted during the first couple of weeks in June. The fruit plot will be planted in the fall and will include berries and rhubarb.

Over the course of the summer, McGrath will receive a tiller, greenhouse, fertilizer, watering/irrigation supplies and hand tools, along with the seeds and starts. An innovative drip irrigation system will be utilized by pumping river water into a large tank to warm and slowly water the rows.

We need a number of volunteers to join in the fun. If you'd like to be involved in seeing which hardy cold-weather plants grow and taste best in McGrath - we need you!

Contact Natalie Baumgartner at the city office, 524-3825 or by email at mcgrathcityadmin@gmail.com.