

I am very interested in the City Farms Coordinator. I have been awaiting the City posting of this position. Meanwhile, I have decided to send this letter to restate my interest. My three years of urban gardening has been a rewarding experience for me, and has enriched my life. I am thankful for the City Farms Program. I would like to take part in its continued success. I hope others might come to experience the same pleasures of gardening that I continue to enjoy.

My joy of gardening has given rise to my blog--www.haroldemccray.com/ArtistInTheKitchen. Its focus has grown from Clifton City Farms. Now, it include ideas, tips and suggestions from around the region. Gardening at Clifton City Farms has introduced me to the "true grit" of Baltimore. I share my bounty with neighbors and friends. My sense of community has grown.

I have participated in many community projects and programs. None have enriched me as much as the City Farms Program. Earlier this year I sent a letter to Baltimore's Mayor and City Council Members. I want to assure their continued support of this wonderful program. Urban gardening, not only "grows flowers and vegetables, but also communities as well."

Again, I await speaking with you more about the City Farm Coordinator position.

Sincerely yours,

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