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SLCC Starts A Community Garden

Salt Lake Community College will start a community garden this spring on its main campus in Taylorville, according to [this report](#) in The Globe, the student newspaper.

The garden will be located on the east side of the Construction Trades Building, where a small herb garden already is located. The space will be expanded and for a small fee, departments and clubs will be able to plant vegetables. Each group is in charge of weeding and watering their individual plots. Organizers hope most of the food that is grown on the land will be donated to the Utah Food Bank.

The idea for a community garden started with Adam Dastrup, Geoscience Department Coordinator and chair of the Sustainability Committee. Wasatch Community Gardens and Seeds of Hope, two non-profit gardening organizations, will come to campus toward the end of March to help get the gardens going.

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