

# Cultivating a Seed-Saving Community

In the summer of 2022, the Northeastern Wisconsin Master Gardeners Association was honored to join the initiative to establish a seed library for Brown County. Our dedicated involvement in the Steering Committee has been pivotal, as we have taken on responsibilities such as ordering seeds, crafting seed envelopes, and organizing engaging seed packaging events.

## Launch of the Brown County Seed Library

Our efforts came to fruition with the successful launch of the Brown County Seed Library in March 2023. The event provided a platform for numerous educational opportunities, where community members could learn and engage with the seed-saving process.

## Ongoing Education and Community Support

The Northeastern Wisconsin Master Gardeners are committed to continuous education, offering both online and in-person seed-saving training sessions. We also publish a monthly newsletter that keeps the community informed and inspired.

## One Seed, One Community

We have proudly introduced the One Seed, One Community National Program, a unique initiative that encourages community participation in the full cycle of seed planting and harvesting. Our association is thrilled to support Brown County residents as we collectively revive the historical and invaluable skill of seed saving.

Together, we aim to nurture a community that respects and preserves the art of seed saving, fostering both environmental sustainability and community growth.



