

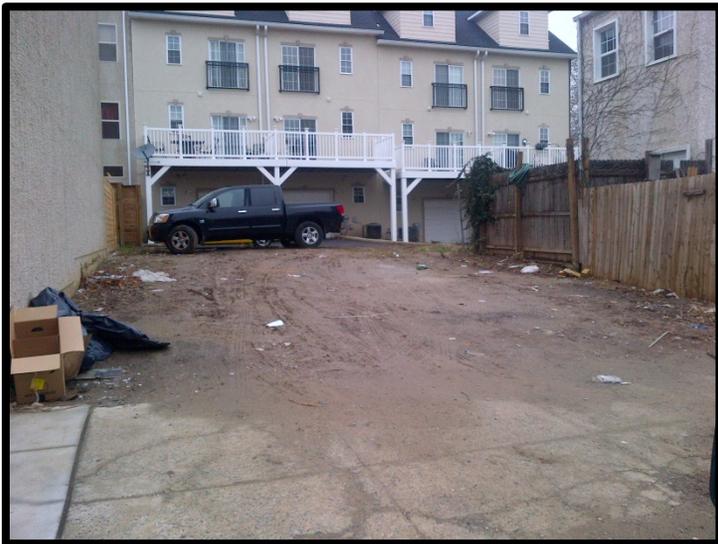


Manton Street Park Transformation

Growing the Neighborhood Regrant Program

After struggling for years to reclaim a neighborhood eyesore, the Friends of Manton Street Park were awarded a grant through the Growing the Neighborhood program in Fall 2012. With design oversight and additional funding from The Pennsylvania Horticultural Society, this once derelict lot was transformed into a unique pocket park. The Fairmount Park Conservancy and partners will be celebrating this inspiring achievement with the Friends of Manton Street Park for a grand opening and block party at our LOVE Your Park Fall Service Day on Saturday, November 16th.

Before



After



Special thanks to Philadelphia Parks and Recreation and Councilman Squilla who contributed additional capital funding and labor to complete this project in Fall 2013.



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