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****UPDATE****

Watson Park Community Garden Planting Ceremony This Friday

~~Community welcome at Dade City's Watson Park on January 26, 2018~~

DADE CITY, FL ---- The UF/IFAS [Pasco County Cooperative Extension Service](#) Horticulture Program is pleased to announce a new partnership with the City of Dade City to offer free gardening plots at Watson Park. To celebrate the new community garden, a public Planting Ceremony will be held on **January 26, 2018 starting at 10:00 a.m.** at Watson Park, located at the corner of North and Main Avenues, between 17th and 19th Streets, in Dade City.

The Watson Park Community Garden represents a first-of-its kind land use agreement between a municipality and the University of Florida, where Dade City neighbors can reserve a plot for gardening fresh fruits, vegetables and flowers. To reserve a gardening plot at Watson Park, e-mail: esantiagomez@pascocountyfl.net or call: 352.518.0156.

The UF/IFAS Pasco Extension Office will operate the community garden and offer free horticulture and gardening lessons.

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