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**Client Questionnaire**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ May I call you at work? \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Family Member's Names \_\_\_\_\_ Age of children \_\_\_\_\_ Hobbies \_\_\_\_\_

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Pets \_\_\_\_\_ Special Needs \_\_\_\_\_

EXISTING PROBLEMS \_\_\_\_\_

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POSITIVE ELEMENTS \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you plan to have a contractor do all or some of the work? \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you developed a working budget for the installation and maintenance of the garden? \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to have the design set up in stages so it can be installed over time as the budget allows? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what elements would you like included in the first stage? \_\_\_\_\_

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\*\*\*Please circle any items that you might like incorporated into your design\*\*\*

## DESIGN ELEMENTS

### DESIGN THEME

- ORIENTAL - strong symbolism, simplistic, use of sand and gravel aggregates, stone sculptural elements, water.
- COTTAGE - colorful, naturalistic, mixed perennials, garden rooms, garden structures
- EARLY AMERICAN - formal, practical, symmetrical, hedged in, mixed herbs and vegetables
- NORTHWEST NATURAL - soft curves, layered plants, hint of the orient, water
- NEW AMERICAN - asymmetrical, colorful, 12 month interest, mixed shrubs and perennials
- RESALE - curb appeal, value driven design

### OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

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### OVERALL SHAPE YOU PREFER AND STYLE OF INSTALLATION

- |              |            |            |
|--------------|------------|------------|
| • Curves     | • Natural  | • Raised   |
| • Rectangles | • Terraced | • Hidden   |
| • Squares    | • Mortared | • Formal   |
| • Polygons   | • Dry      | • Informal |
| • Crescents  | • Sunken   | • Rustic   |

### STYLE

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|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| • Informal (Natural) | • Curved rows or edges | • Inward orientation  |
| • Formal (Manicured) | • Linear rows or edges | • Outward orientation |
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### FAVORITE COLORS AND COMBINATIONS

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| • _____ | • _____ | • _____ |
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### FAVORITE SEASONS

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| • Spring | • Fall   |
| • Summer | • Winter |

### TIMES OF THE DAY THE GARDEN WILL BE USED

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|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| • Early morning | • Noon          | • Early Evening |
| • Mid morning   | • Mid Afternoon | • After Dark    |

How many people do you usually entertain in the garden. \_\_\_\_\_

What is the maximum number of people you might entertain?  
(Example Church or civic group) \_\_\_\_\_

## STRUCTURAL SPACE - HARDSCAPE

### UTILITY STRUCTURES

What you need and/or might want to include.

- Garden shed
- Clothsline
- Storage
- Parking
- Garage
- Dog run
- Firewood
- Compost
- Garbage cans
- Recycle area
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

### BUILDING MATERIALS

Check all those that appeal as possibilities

- Brick
- Flagstone/slate
- Rock
- Pavers
- Lumber
- Concrete
- Textured, colored & Patterned concrete
- Asphalt
- Gravel
- Mulched paths
- Interlocking blocks
- Bamboo
- Steel
- Rubber
- Reed or Fabric
- \_\_\_\_\_
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### LANDSCAPE STRUCTURES

Features you might like to include.

- Decks
- Patios
- Walks
- Paths
- Seating
- Play structure
- Athletic courts
- Swimming pool
- Hot tub
- Planters
- Arbor
- Pergola
- Gazebo
- Retaining Walls
- Picnic table
- Pond
- Fountains
- Steps
- Trellis
- Fence
- Barbecue
- Statuary
- Green house
- Bird bath
- Bird feeders
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NOTES \_\_\_\_\_  
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## THE PLANTED SPACE - SOFTSCAPE

### PLANTS

Circle all that you would like to include.

- Shade trees (40' – 100')
- Small flowering trees (under 40')
- Specimen trees (one of a kind)
- Evergreen trees (15' and over)
- Deciduous hedges
- Evergreen hedges
- Deciduous/flowering shrubs
- Evergreen/flowering shrubs
- Vines
- Perennials
- Annuals
- Vegetables
- Herbs
- Bulbs
- Fruit trees
- Fruiting shrubs
- Cane fruit
- Cutting flowers
- Ornamental grasses
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Favorite plants \_\_\_\_\_

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Unfavorable plants \_\_\_\_\_

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### PLANT USE

Intended goal to be achieved through plants used.

- Privacy
- Fragrance
- Attract birds
- Noise reduction
- Wind reduction
- Pollution reduction
- Site enhancement
- Shade
- Edibles
- Climbing for children
- Herbs or cooking
- Frame view
- Block view
- Divide yard into rooms
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- \_\_\_\_\_