Volunteer Position Description

Position Title: Ozone Garden Volunteer

Department: Science Content

Position Summary: Ozone Garden Volunteers are responsible for maintaining the garden in Science Park, located on the grounds of The Franklin Institute. This includes watering the plants, weeding the beds, and harvesting herbs and vegetables as needed. One hour volunteer blocks are available in the mornings, every day from May to November. Volunteers will be working outside, and need to be able to kneel, bend, and sit comfortably while weeding the beds. Training will be provided on garden maintenance by TFI’s Environmental Scientist. Additional opportunities for ozone leaf damage data collection once a week are available for interested volunteers.

Special Skills Required:
- Passion for gardening and urban farming
- Prior gardening experience is a plus, but not necessary

Schedule Requirements: Volunteers are needed from May through November and should be able to commit to volunteering at least once a week. Hours and days can be flexible but morning shifts are needed the most to ensure the garden is watered at the best time of day.