

# POTential commons

In a future marked by a projected 20% increase in urban population by 2050, challenges emerge from strained green spaces, contributing to economic fragility, social fragmentation, and food insecurity. Urgent innovation is paramount, shifting from professional to grassroots solutions, as the transformation of living systems requires simultaneous local actions. Nevertheless, comprehending how these complex issues can disrupt our daily lives and taking effective action can be overwhelming.

Potential commons extends an invitation to transcend fear by visualizing possibilities to generate change one step at a time. It showcases the commonality embodied in a clay pot. The repetitive display aims to inspire visitors to envision cultivating their own food without intimidation, encouraging them to weave through, explore, share recipes and dialogue about the multitude of edible species. The overall layout prompts reflection on our consumption paradigm contrasting monoculture (represented by a ring of thyme) with the polysensory richness within the pots in a smaller space.

Potential commons embodies our hope for future gardens to be sanctuaries where people can encounter, play, develop crowd-sourced knowledge, and actively engage in reimagining communal possibilities.

## SUGGESTED PLANTS

Arugula, Basil, Blueberries, Cactus Nopal, Cempasuchil (Aztec Marigold), Chamomile, Chard, Cherry tomatoes, False sunflower, Fuchsias, Jalapeño pepper, Kale, Lavender, Lettuce, Mint, Oregano, Red bell peppers, Royal jasmine, Rosemary, Scottish bluebell, Small evening primrose, Spinach, Strawberries, Sweet alyssum, Tatsoi, Thyme, White roses, Winterberries, Yarrow.

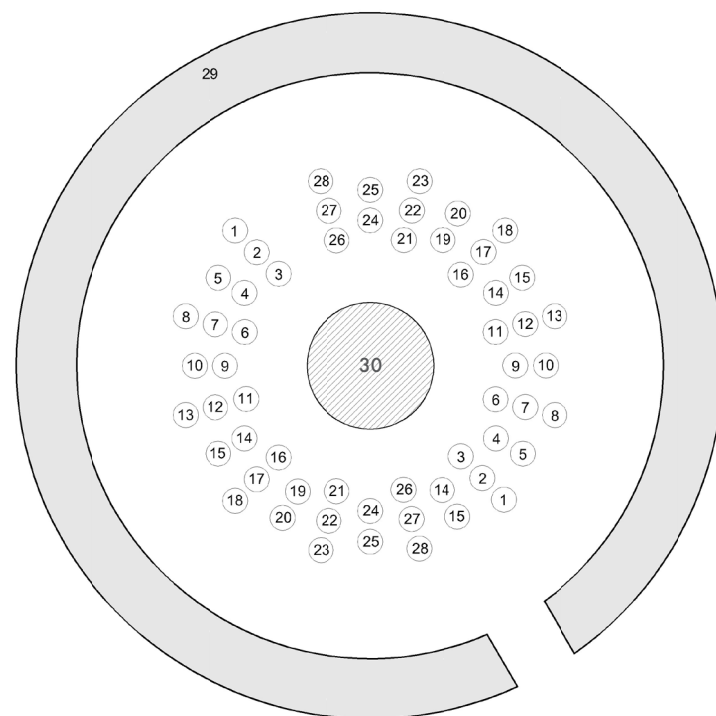






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17. Arugula
18. Scottish bluebell
19. Strawberries
20. Kale
21. Fuchsias
22. Mint
23. White roses
24. Red bell peppers
25. Lettuce
26. Tatsoi
27. Chamomille
28. Winterberries
29. Thyme
30. Cosmos

**DISPOSITION DIAGRAM**



**CONSTRUCTIVE DETAIL**

