

City Chicks

Keeping Micro-Flocks of Chickens as Garden Helpers, Compost Makers, Bio-Recyclers and Local Food Suppliers

Evening Talk with Author Patricia Foreman

Thursday, Feb 18 6-8:00 pm

St. Francis School Cafeteria 300 East Huntland Drive Austin, Texas 78752

"Chickens are the mascot of the local food movement" - Pat Foreman

Got Chickens? A desire for sustainable, clean, wholesome food, and superior soil quality, has led more and more suburban and city dwellers to keep laying hens in their backyards and gardens. Across America municipalities are allowing, and even encouraging, residents to keep laying hens within city limits.

City Chicks shows how you can:

- Have fresh, heart-healthy eggs, daily from your backyard home flock.
- Employ your chicken's "skill sets" as garden workers, organic pesticiders, herbiciders, fertilizers, compost creators and top soil enhancers.
- City Chicks also explores the civic side of chickens and how they can be employed as clucking city workers helping to divert food and yard waste from landfills, saving millions in tax dollars.
- The Poultry's Pharmacy shows you how to make and use effective, inexpensive home treatments.
- Draft and pass local laws allowing laying hens within your town or city.



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