

ABOUT THE EVENT

Growing Home will host its 23rd Annual Benefit on May 8, 2025 at Salvage One in Chicago. This is our biggest event of the year featuring farm fresh food, celebrations of Growing Home's alumni and successes and our closest donors and guests all together in one spot. Our goal is to raise \$275,000 as much-needed, unrestricted general operating dollars to support our mission and work. As an event sponsor, you will join some of our closest supporters to celebrate Growing Home's success and raise funds to sustain our programming moving forward. Sponsors of Growing Home's Annual Benefit play a crucial role in allowing us to continue our important work. In return, sponsors will receive a package of benefits and the opportunity to reach a diverse group of dedicated supporters, including community and industry leaders.

YOU'RE IN GREAT COMPANY! CHECK OUT PAST SPONSORS:





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ABOUT GROWING HOME

At Growing Home, we believe that everyone deserves a good job, to eat well, and to live in a vibrant, supported community. Our mission is to operate, promote, and demonstrate the use of organic urban agriculture as a vehicle for job training, employment, food access and community development in our Englewood community. Through our innovative workforce development program we've helped more than 500 individuals overcome the barriers created by criminal records, homelessness, or lack of job histories to become successful members of Chicago's workforce. We are also helping to redefine local, sustainable food systems and communities as we operate Chicago's first high-production, USDA-certified organic urban farms.



TO SPONSOR the Annual Benefit, make a silent auction donation, buy tickets and/ or ask questions, please contact Melinda Craigs-Ingram at mcraigsingram@growinghomeinc.org or call 773-549-1336

LEARN MORE about Growing Home and its programs, please visit <u>www.growinghomeinc.org</u>

Sponsorship Packages



HEIRLOOM TOMATO LEVEL - \$20,000 PRESENTING SPONSOR

Logo and name recognition

- Company name to be listed as the "presenting sponsor" on all materials with logo displayed prominently
- Company Name and logo recognition within the event title and on all print and electronic event materials including the website, print and electronic invitations, social media platforms, signage at the event, the event program, and the event slideshow
- Logos streamed on social media
- Recognition in Press Releases

Additional benefits

- A customized social media recognition plan reaching more than 16,495 followers
- An exclusive farm tour experience and coffee with the Executive Director for up to 8 people
- Display promotional materials in the Event Program
- Display banner and sign at event
- The opportunity to submit a prerecorded introduction as a graduate speaker at the Benefit
- A feature story in the post-event e-newsletter reaching 5,812 readers
- Early access to the virtual silent auction
- 16 Tickets



EGGPLANT LEVEL - \$15,000

Logo and name recognition

- Company Name and logo recognition on all print and electronic event materials including the
 website, print and electronic invitations, social media platforms, signage at the event, the event
 program
- · Logos streamed on social media
- Recognition in Press Releases

Additional benefits

- A customized social media recognition plan reaching more than 16,495 followers
- An exclusive farm tour experience and coffee with the Executive Director for up to 8 people
- Display promotional materials in the Event Program Book
- Display virtual banner or sign at event
- Recognition in post-event e-newsletter reaching 5,812 readers
- Early access to the virtual silent auction
- 10 Tickets





CUSTOM SPONSORSHIP

We can tailor a package & bundles to your interests and priorities. Please contact Melinda Craigs-Ingram at mcraigsingram@growinghomeinc.org or call 773-549-1336 to discuss options.

Sponsorship Packages ~

CAULIFLOWER LEVEL - \$10,000

Logo and name recognition

- Company Name and logo recognition on all print and electronic event materials including the
 website, print and electronic invitations, social media platforms, signage at the event, the event
 program
- Logos streamed on social media
- Recognition in Press Releases

Additional benefits

- Recognition on social media reaching more than 16,495 followers
- An exclusive farm tour experience and coffee with the Executive Director for up to 8 people
- Display promotional materials in the event program
- Recognition in post-event e-newsletter reaching 5,812 readers
- Early access to the virtual silent auction

8 Tickets

ASPARAGUS LEVEL - \$5,000

Logo and name recognition

- Company Name and logo recognition on all print and electronic event materials including the website, print and electronic invitations, social media platforms, signage at the event, the event program, and the event slideshow
- · Logos streamed on social media
- Recognition in Press Releases

Additional benefits

- Recognition on social media reaching more than 16,495 followers
- An exclusive farm tour experience and coffee with the Executive Director for up to 8 people
- Recognition in post-event e-newsletter reaching 5,812 readers

6 Tickets

SPINACH LEVEL - \$2,500

Logo and name recognition

- Company logo or listing in the event program and on event signage
- Company logo or listing on the event website
- Logos streamed on social media
- Recognition in Press Releases

Additional benefits

- Recognition on social media reaching more than 16,495 followers
- An exclusive farm tour experience and for up to 8 people
- Recognition in post-event e-newsletter reaching 5,812 readers

4 Tickets

CARROT LEVEL - \$1,000

Logo and name recognition

- Company logo or listing in the event program and on event signage
- Company logo or listing on the event website
- · Logos streamed on social media
- Recognition in Press Releases

Additional benefits

- Recognition on social media reaching more than 16,495 followers
- An exclusive farm tour experience for up to 8 people

2 Tickets





Sponsorship Registration ~

Growing Home's 23rd Annual Benefit - May 8, 2025

CONTACT INFORMATION

| Name | | | ······ |
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| Company | | | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |
| Address | | | |
| City | State | Zip | |
| Phone | Email | | |
| Website | | | |
| Notes | | | |

Please indicate your Sponsorship Level and Type below:

SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE

TOMATO \$20,000 _____

EGGPLANT \$15,000 _____

CAULIFLOWER \$10,000 _____

ASPARAGUS \$5,000 _____

SPINACH \$2,500 _____

CARROT \$1,000 _____

Please return this form to Melinda Craigs-Ingram at mcraigsingram@growinghomeinc.org. Payment by check is encouraged, made out to Growing Home, 6429 S. Honore Street, Chicago, IL 60636. Thank you for your support and feel free to call 773-549-1336 with any questions.

Growing Home, Inc. is a 501c3 nonprofit organization (EIN: 36-3989426), and a portion of all sponsorships may be tax-deductible. All sponsors will receive and acknowledgement letter for tax purposes listing the number and value of tickets used.



THANK YOU FOR JOINING US IN THE BELIEF THAT EVERYONE DESERVES A GOOD JOB AND GOOD FOOD.







