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6/7/19	Welcome to the Growing Our Future Together Program. We are excited to learn more about your container garden! Have you harvested any produce yet? Let us know by replying yes or no."			
texts 8.5%				
Emails 63.6%	2 x yes	1 x yes	1 x yes	No harvesting yet. I transplanted the basil and tomato plant to another container.
Walk-Ins 11.1%				The lettuce is now about ready to harvest.
Pre-Reg 46%		yes, the lettuce	1 x no	Thank you. (same response came via text)
<i>Response % rate not accurate, as many messages went to both text &amp; email while evaluating best communication method - did not include in averages</i>		Yes. I have gotten some lettuce and basil. Tomatoes are growing nicely. Thank you.		yes, I have picked some lettuce for a salad. Thank you.
				yes, onion and lettuce
				yes
6/13/19	Hopefully you have enjoyed some of the lettuce. You need to cut it down now before it gets too bitter. Also, it will make space for the other plants to grow better.			
Texts 25%	Don't pull it out, that could hurt the roots of the other vegetables. Please reply with an emoji of how your lettuce did. Here is more information about harvesting and cutting down lettuce:			
Emails 40%	<a href="https://tapit.us/">https://tapit.us/...</a>			
Walk-Ins 20%				
Pre-Reg 30.7%	2 x positive emoji	2 x Thank You	1 x positive emoji	1 x Thank you
	We have enjoyed the lettuce & the green onions very much. I must say that this little video would have served a better purpose if it had been sent out (or directions given) at the time we got the bucket. Can't wait for the green pepper! - I responded thanking her for her patience with us as this is the first time to do this, and she responded with "It's a great idea!"	Hi Staff of Hamilton County ok I cut the lettuce head and now wait instructions for the peppers and onions Thank you	Enjoyed the lettuce!	
			We cut back the lettuce and transplanted the other two plants in another bucket and they are doing great. (this was from the same person as the email response that was similar)	
	It was delicious for last night salad			
	Thank You, a positive emoji, and a request for more info on becoming a master gardener!			
06/19/2019	Time has flown by. Let us know how your plants are doing by replying to this message. Send us a picture if you can! Click on this link for more info on your (basil, for tomato recipients/onions, for pepper recipients). (linked to "community tab" webpage)			
Texts 7.1%				
Emails 20%	Doing great	As you can see my tomatoes are at a standstill. Basil keeps growing.	There doing good I need to collect the lettuce	Lettuce harvested and used in a salad and sandwiches. Basil growing
Walk-Ins 7.7%	Today's status (included a sad-looking picture of a tomato plant with just a stem, a few leaves, and one tomato, beside a spindly basil)	(included a pic that looks like the one in the previous column)		
Pre-Reg 15.4% (before Spicewood dist.)				
6/24/2019	How is the gardening process going for you? Do you have any questions for us? Let us know by replying to this message.			
Texts 4.3%				Lettuce all used; tomato plant producing small yellow cherry tomatoes; basil ready to harvest
Emails 27%	(sent a picture)	No questions		
Walk-Ins 4.4%			It's going pretty good.	
Pre-Reg 23%				tomatoes have blooms on them and 3 4 tomatoes green Onions were picked and very good lettuce was good

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				Thanks for the veggies :)
7/1/2019	July is a hot month, make sure to water your plants often. Have you gardened by using a container garden before? Let us know by replying to this message.			
Texts 14.9%	yes, I have	Hi Support yes i,m watering the garden,		
Emails 27.3%	no, my first time	and no this is my first time with the	no	no I have always put my plants in a garden
Walk-Ins 15.6%	No, I have not gardened w a container before. I am doubting	bucket garden	Have 2nd crop of lettuce growing, basil doing	
Pre-Reg 23.1%	that i will have any peppers on my plant as there still	Yes I have been watering it. No I have never	well, and now have some ripe tomatoes,	
	haven't been any flowers on it. We did enjoy the	used a containment garden before. I didn't	too, haven't container gardened before	
	lettuce & the green onion tops. I didn't get an email	know you could do this. I certainly am		
	about leaving 6" of the green on the onions until after	interested in other things I could grow in		
	I had already snipped off more than that.	one. I enjoy watching my plants grow. Thank		
	no	you.		
	gracias. no nunca (thank you, no never)			
7/8/2019	Has this project helped you learn more about gardening? Let us know by replying to this message.			
Texts 6.4%	No, it really didn't help me learn anything about gardening.	Hi, yes I'm learning more about gardening I've already		yes and thank you
Emails 18%	I enjoyed the produce though	eaten one onion and I threw in some seeds and they're		
Walk-Ins 9%	yes it has	starting to grow yellow squash. Trying to attach a		
Pre-Reg 7.7%	aprend mucho (I've learned a lot)	photo but the address is not letting me. Thank you.		
7/15/2019	We would love to see your container garden. Send us a photo! :)			
Texts 4.3%		This is what it looks like today. Those tomatoes are on	I was away for 5 days. The garden didn't	my tomato plant has burned up due to
Emails 11%	tomato ripening (attached pic of a lone stem of a	the cusp of readiness and the lettuce is growing back. I	fair very well in this heat :( (attached pic	lack of God's watering :(
Walk-Ins 4.4%	plant with one pink tomato)	wish I could grow some bacon in the for some BLT's.	of a brown tomato stem and brown basil)	
Pre-Reg 15.4%		(attached pic of one tomato stem with 2 pink tomatoes)		
7/22/2019	We love fresh produce! How have you been using your produce? In recipes? By themselves? Let us know by replying to this message.			
Texts 2%				
Emails 9%	They were fresh and we ate the onions and lettuce,	The lettuce and tomatoes by themselves on		
Walk-Ins 4.4%	Thank you. (message came as a Spanish reply)	sandwiches or in salads.		
Pre-Reg 0%				
7/29/2019	Has this program allowed you to have more access to fresh produce?			
Texts 15%	Lettuce, but the tomato wasn't good.	Yes I had 2 onions and I head of lettuce so far.	Yes. Although we had a rough patch, it has	The weather was against us so the plants
Emails 36.6%	Yes	I did have some produce from this bucket but I	provided produce that was enjoyed in our	didn't do so well.
Walk-Ins 17.8%	Si	enjoyed watching my own grow. I didn't know you	family. Thank you.	Yes to some degree. I've used lettuce
Pre-Reg 23%	Not really. It was nice to have the fresh leaf lettuce & the	could put a garden in a bucket but it's so easy to care for.		in salad, basil in spaghetti, and eaten
	green onion tops for the short time they lasted. The	I could move it, I didn't have to weed it, which is nice for		tomatoes right off the vine. Thank you
	pepper plant never flowered or produced anything.	older people who don't bend well and you kept in touch to .		for the garden.
	Si	see how it was going and if I had questions. So thank		
	Yes	you for giving me the opportunity to experience this.		

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8/5/2019	How are your plants doing? Send us a picture!				
Texts 4.3%	They're done, please don't send me more	2 onions I Used and the the lettuce made a good salad. i	My tomato plants aren't doing well. (I asked	(3 pictures received with no text--very nice	
Emails 18%	texts about it.	will try and send a photo again with my iphone (he did)	if she's been able to keep them watered	looking plants!) I replied that the plants	
Walk-Ins 4.4%			and she said "yes")	looked good and asked if she fertilized	
Pre-Reg 15.4%				at all: I have an aquarium so I use fish	
				water mixed with the water from boiled	
				vegetables and boiled eggs. I thank the	
				Lord first and I thank you for your	
				compliment.	
8/12/2019	Did you enjoy participating in this program?				
Texts 15%	Yes	Yes the program was great garden in a bucket I like it I'm	Yes	yes just wished we had better weather at first	
Emails 27%	Yes	still trying to grow something out of it right now I sent	Yes loved it!		
Walk-Ins 11%	Yes	you that photo (a pic never came through)	Yes		
Pre-Reg 38.5%		yes I did	Yes		
8/19/2019	Would you try this container garden again? Was this worth your time?				
Texts 25.5%	I would but I should have divided the plants they didn't	Yes it was worth the time. It didn't require much time. I	No (spicewood recipient)		
Emails 18%	grow much. But I truly enjoyed the opportunity and	enjoyed it and yes I would do it again.	Yes and Yes		
Walk-Ins 20%	enjoy participating again. Thank you.	yes I will try the bucket garden again no problem	I would do it again.		
Pre-Reg 31%	Not unless there is help with preventing tomato plant from		Yes I do, No it's not		
	being attacked with ?		Yes, me and my family absolutely		
	(Spanish response) If it was worth it, of course, I		LOVED our container		
	would try again.				