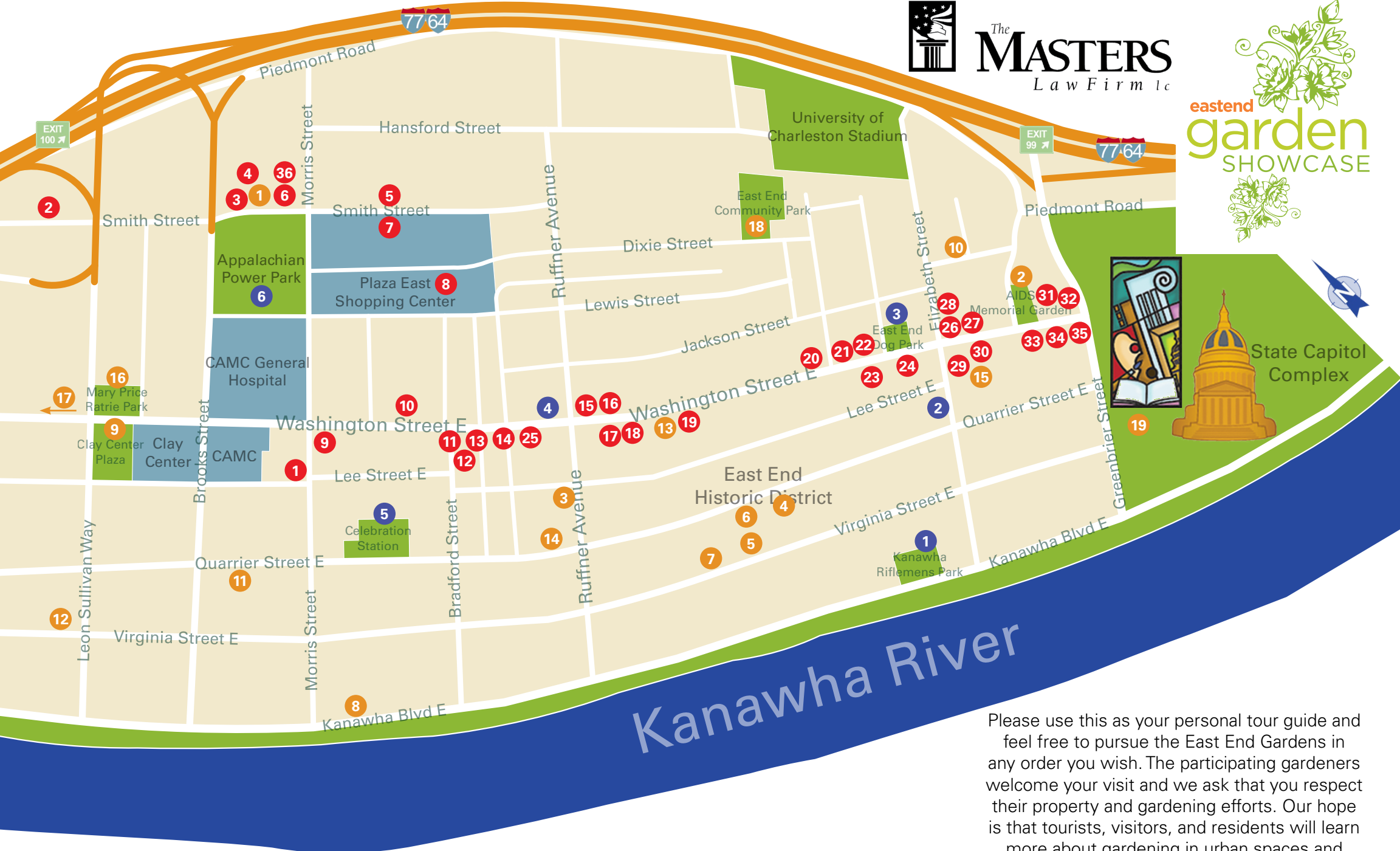




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Featured Neighborhood Gardens

1. 1210 Smith Street (Contemporary Galleries)

This year, we are going for a "wild flower" look in a very small space.

Visit any time Monday - Sunday

2. The Living AIDS Memorial Garden (Corner of Washington Street, East and Sydney Ave.)

This garden, a true treasure of the East End, is a volunteer effort to create a living memorial of hope. The mission is to maintain a garden in the memory of those who have died of AIDS and to provide a place of reflection for those who are living with AIDS, and survivors. Please dispose of your trash and cigarette butts in the provided receptacles in the Garden.

3. 1429 Lee Street, East (Rea of Hope)

The residents and volunteers of this transitional living facility work together to maintain the extensive landscaping and their gorgeous knock out rose garden. This garden is dedicated to the memory of Jean Crozier.

Please ring bell, office hours are 9-5 Monday - Friday

4. 1561 Quarrier Street

East End Garden Showcase – 2015 Frank & Genevieve Gourley 1561 Quarrier Street The front and back yards of this couple's home have been 'orientalized' using Feng Shui principles (handout available in back patio). You are invited to visit the back yard which can be accessed through gates on either side of the house. Features in the front yard include a wood sculpture 'fence', floating deck with pottery sculpture, mulched areas, dry stream, faux 'mountains', and a large rhododendron. The flagstone walk on the right side of the house leads by a mini sculpture garden to the back yard. The back yard is encircled by an oriental-style fence with potted plants, flowers, a patio, a raised bed garden with vegetables and herbs, and a potting bench. An art studio/woodshop building is at the rear of the property.

Look for handouts in the atrium about the Feng Shui landscape ideas used and info about the raised bed garden.

5. 1566 Virginia Street East

The west side garden (including the shade garden) has ferns (3 types), hostas (2 types), lily of the valley, jack-in-the-pulpit (2 types), hellebore, bleeding hearts, astilbe (2 types), clematis, salvia, and black-eyed susans. The front garden has roses, phlox, daisies, salvia, black-eyed susans, daylilies, lavender, lamb's ears, liriopie, obedient plants, yellow ice plant, and a butterfly bush.

6. 1539 Quarrier Street

Southwest meets East End
Front yard, please take caution with the Yucca plants. The leaves are very sharp. I also ask that visitors not walk through the rock areas of the yard.

7. 1532 Virginia St E

Eclectic collection of plants and sculpture, emphasis on color and texture, garden is divided into several areas of different character.

Please visit all areas including the vegetable garden. Be respectful if the plants and stay on paths or grass. Enjoy!

8. 1310 Kanawha Blvd. East

The gardens of the West Virginia Humanities Council showcase the landscape surrounding the historic 1836 property. Rhododendron, a variety of hostas, sweet william, roses, solomon's seal, and oakleaf and blushing bride hydrangeas are among the plants featured in the restored garden beds. Botanical labels are included in the landscape, and a flagstone pathway is located alongside the house's pergola.

Enter at the front of the property via Kanawha Blvd.

9. One Clay Square (The Clay Center for the Arts and Sciences of WV)

An educational garden for the senses, this garden was planted with help from Piedmont Elementary and the Center's After School Explorers Club. Garden features vegetables and a pollinator garden along with some new additions such as a sensory planter, turtle enclosure and music arbor. All vegetables are donated to Manna Meal to help those in need.

Enter through Clay Center main entrance on Leon Sullivan Way. No admission required to visit gardens.

10. 1608 McClung Street

The challenge of this sunshine garden is to make the most of every square inch. Though not strictly an English garden, the gardener's inspiration came from the cottages of Nantucket with their zero lot lines and the small gardens surrounding those cottages. The focus in its design has been garden color and blooming longevity with a quirky twist. The garden evolves and changes each year. The gardener's intent has been to create a little bright spot in the middle of a walking neighborhood.

Please do not enter the private space of the rear deck area. Thank you!

11. Arlington Court (1200 block between Lee & Quarrier Streets)

22 individual eclectic, historic, beautiful and interesting gardens by the members of Arlington Court make for an exploring adventure in the heart of Charleston. Please look for the "Arlington Court" street sign in the middle of the 1200 block of Lee or Quarrier Street in Charleston's East End. Walk through and plan to visit our Little Free Library or stop for a sit on one of our benches and enjoy.

12. 1032 Virginia Street (Sacred Heart Catholic Church)

On the north east corner of Virginia St. and Leon Sullivan Way, this serene garden includes the Stations Of The Cross and some grand sculpture. It is a beautiful example of urban gardening in an historic district and is an inspirational place to meditate or pray.

13. 1551 Washington Street, East (East End Community Garden)

Built and opened in Spring 2012, this project was made possible through a grant from the Keys 4 Healthy Kids program and partnership with the East End Community Association, East End Main Street and many other community members. It is made up of some 25 raised beds that are rented out to anyone in the community on a yearly basis. You'll find both edible and decorative plants flourishing in this garden.

14. 1426 Quarrier

Blooming perennial flowers, as well as bushes and trees that bloom at other times, are on all sides of the house, and you are most welcome to visit it all. The owner admits that further work is needed in the back, but nineteen ceramic rabbits are there for your amusement.

15. 308 Elizabeth Street (The Red Carpet)

This neighborhood bar has been a part of the East End experience for many years. The back patio is decorated with flower boxes, hanging plants, potted plants, whimsical art and a friendly cat or two. Don't leave without taking a few minutes to enjoy your favorite beverage.

Other beautiful places to visit on the tour

16. Mary Price Ratrie Greenspace

This greenspace park, a project ten years in the making, was dedicated in 2010. Stop by to view the beautiful, modern design of one of Charleston's newest urban greenspaces.

17. The Labyrinth at St. Mark's United Methodist Church

This intricate labyrinth, with its glass water fountain and lovely plantings is a soothing spot to meditate on life's greater mysteries.

18. East End Community Park (Dixie Street)

The new East End Community Park on Dixie Street is in the next phase of construction. This park will be a wonderful place for family picnics, games of touch football, hours of fetch for kids and dogs and evenings of music under the stars.

19. WV State Capitol Complex

The State Capitol grounds boast acres of lush green lawn, many native trees, fragrant flower beds, historic architecture and stunning statues and sculpture all brimming with the history of our great state.

Please use this as your personal tour guide and feel free to pursue the East End Gardens in any order you wish. The participating gardeners welcome your visit and we ask that you respect their property and gardening efforts. Our hope is that tourists, visitors, and residents will learn more about gardening in urban spaces and continue to visit and invest in the East End neighborhood and business district. Gardens are open from dawn to dusk everyday. Thank you!

Restaurants, Coffee Shops, Shopping, & Services

1. Moxxee Coffee
2. Capitol Market
3. ESC Carpets & More
4. Contemporary Galleries
5. Pugh Furniture
6. ParkView Lofts
7. Mountaineer Wholesale
8. Plaza East
9. Rite Aid
10. Moses Downtown
11. Umami Sushi Bar & Hibachi Grill
12. Main Kwong Chinese Takeout
13. Sweet Spoon Premium Frozen Yogurt
14. Subway
15. Gino's Pizza & Spaghetti
16. Tudor's Biscuit World
17. Duffy's Cleaners
18. Leonoro's Spaghetti House
19. Dollar General
20. Cosmo's Beauty Salon
21. Tray's Barber Shop
22. Sullivan's Records
23. Salon Indigo
24. Starlings Coffee and Provisions
25. Zegeer Hardware
26. Bluegrass Kitchen
27. Little India
28. The Empty Glass
29. The Red Carpet Lounge
30. Tricky Fish
31. McDonald's
32. 7-11
33. Wendy's
34. Domino's Pizza
35. One Stop
36. Bricks and Barrels

Public Parks, Markets, and Greenspaces

1. Kanawha Rifleman's Memorial Park
2. Board of Education lot playground
3. Open Dawn 'til Dusk
Great Vendors and Live Music!
4. Open Saturday's 10 AM - 3 PM
5. Celebration Station at Piedmont Elementary
6. Appalachian Power Park - West Virginia Power

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