

To do list for May

- **Keep your annuals watered and fed, feed every two weeks .**
- **Keep your garden beds weeded**
- **Try a new plant or cultivar, there are hundreds of new introductions.**
- **Direct-seed squash, beans, peas and corn.**
- **Plant containers of salad greens, any plant can be grown in hanging baskets, if you have no other space.**
- **Sow seeds of cosmos, sunflowers, marigolds, zinnias, and bachelor buttons for a bit of color here and there.**
- **Mulch all perennials roses and clematis with a 1-inch layer of compost. This is a natural food source.**
- **Water regularly, if no rain is predicted.**
- **Divide and transplant crowded perennials . Share the beauty of your garden.**