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FIELD TO TABLE 2020 TO BE HELD VIRTUALLY

Columbus, OH— Join the Franklin Park Conservatory's Women's Board on August 28 at 7pm for the 12th annual Field to Table – virtually! Each year, Field to Table raises vital funds to support Franklin Park Conservatory and Botanical Gardens' community outreach and access initiatives. Traditionally this event is thoughtfully planned and organized by the Conservatory's Women's Board and gathers 700+ guests for a dinner celebrating Ohio's harvest.

While this year's Field to Table cannot be held in person, the community can still come together, virtually, to raise awareness and critical funds to support Conservatory programs, such as community gardens that address food insecurity and support food banks, and accessibility initiatives that ensure everyone can enjoy the benefits of the Conservatory.

Anyone who wants to join this year's celebration is invited to enjoy outdoor cocktails and their own Field-to-Table-inspired dinners in their own backyards, gardens, patios and decks. Beginning on August 23, the Women's Board will offer suggestions for cocktails, food, décor, and music to help participants prepare. Engaging videos about the community outreach work of the Conservatory will also be shared via email, social media and at fpconservatory.org/fieldtotable in the days leading up to August 28, when the community is invited to connect in celebrations in their own backyards and gardens across Columbus.

Field to Table 2020 is generously supported by many corporate and foundation sponsors, including:

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Over the last 11 years, Field to Table has raised more than \$2.9 million to support the community outreach programs at Franklin Park Conservatory. For additional information about Field to Table 2020, please visit fpcconservatory.org/fieldtotable or follow Franklin Park Conservatory on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), or [Twitter](#).

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Franklin Park Conservatory and Botanical Gardens offers world-class horticulture, art and nature-based exhibitions, and educational programs for all ages. Situated on 40 acres on the eastern side of Franklin Park, the Conservatory features the historic 1895 John F. Wolfe Palm House; 83,000 square feet of glasshouses; botanical gardens including the Scotts Miracle-Gro Foundation Children's Garden; and meeting and event spaces. The Conservatory owns the largest collection of glass artwork by Dale Chihuly in a botanical garden and is home to internationally recognized light artist James Turrell's Light Raiment II, which illuminates the John F. Wolfe Palm House every evening from dusk until dawn.