

Thursday, September 8th 6:00pm-9:30pm Upper Larimer Event Space | RINO

# 2022 Sponsorship Opportunities

To learn more or to take advantage of any of the event sponsorship opportunities, connect with Elaine Duncan at <a href="Elaine@dug.org">Elaine@dug.org</a>

Denver Urban Gardens (DUG) is on a mission to provide access, skills, and resources for people to grow healthy food in community. We're dreaming of a sustainable urban future where people are deeply and directly connected to the earth, each other, and the food they eat.

Denver Urban Gardens (DUG)'s annual gala has been a community tradition for over a decade. Gather 'Round is a celebration of our gardens' bounty as we welcome the harvest season.

This year's event will be co-hosted by Denver food legends Pete Turner, Dana Rodriguez and Brad Reubendale and held at Upper Larimer Events in RiNo. Enjoy luxurious seasonal plant-based fare from supper club superstars, **The Easy Vegan** and

live music from Americana/Colorado roots band, **David Lawrence & the Spoonful**, as well as craft cocktails, exclusive silent auction packages, a wine wall, paddle raise, and community fun.



This year, we'll be recognizing and uplifting the work of local and national changemakers with our first-ever **DUG Impact Awards**.

We're celebrating the cross-sector work of individuals, government organizations, NGOs, and coalitions working alongside DUG as we pursue our vision of a sustainable urban future where people are deeply and directly connected to the earth, each other, and the food they eat.

#### **Impact Award Winners:**

Ancestral Foodways - **Spirit of the Sun**Climate Action - **HDR** 

Community Building - Denver Parks and Recreation

Food Access + Sovereignty - Denver Community Food Access Coalition

Health + Wellness - Zach Bush, MD

Skill Building + Education - Chris Woodburn, Denver Public Schools

# **Gather 'Round 2022 Sponsorship Opportunities**

# \$15,000 Visionary Sponsor

- Premier table for ten
- Eight tickets to our VIP cocktail hour before the event
- Option to speak at the event
- Opportunity to provide a branded gift to all guests
- Prominent logo placement on all DUG event marketing on social media, website, and ticketing platform
- Social media thank you and company mention before the event
- · Company recognition during the event
- Extended first right of refusal sponsorship for 2023 Gather 'Round event
- Permission to use the DUG name and logo for marketing and communication purposes

# \$10,000 Harvest Sponsor

- Premier table for ten
- Four tickets to our VIP cocktail hour before the event
- Opportunity to provide a branded gift to all guests
- Prominent logo placement on all DUG event marketing on social media, website, and ticketing platform
- Social media thank you and company mention before the event
- Company recognition during the event
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## \$5,000 Cultivator Sponsor

- Four tickets to the event
- Two tickets to our VIP cocktail hour before the party
- Company visibility on all DUG event marketing on social media, website, and ticketing platform
- Social media thank you and company mention before the event
- Company recognition during the event
- Permission to use the DUG name and logo for marketing and communication purposes

### \$2,500 Pollinator Sponsor

- Two tickets to the event
- Company visibility on all DUG event marketing on social media, website, and ticketing platform
- Social media thank you and company mention before the event
- Permission to use the DUG name and logo for marketing and communication purposes

### In-Kind and Silent Auction Items Sponsors

• Permission to use the DUG name and logo for marketing and communication purposes



# YOUR PARTNERSHIP WITH DENVER URBAN GARDENS ALLOWS US TO CREATE MAJOR IMPACT ACROSS METRO DENVER.

32 acres of urban land preserved for growing food

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190+ community and schoolbased gardens

3,500 volunteers in the DUG network

17,500 people growing in DUG community gardens

25,000 families served through our programs

**40,000+** Coloradans served annually

