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Boston Mayor Thomas M. Menino has announced t
city-wide Garden Contest and will soon bestow “Gol
other prizes at an upcoming ceremony.

Launched 17 years ago as part of a beautification ini
Contest, sponsored this year by Comcast, recognizes
helped beautify” city neighborhoods by landscaping
and shrubs, officials said.

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At a ceremony scheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 13, in the Public Garden, first place winners will receive a “Golden Trowel” award from Comcast, Mahoney’s Institute of Contemporary Art, and other contest partners, officials said. If the weather is inclement, the ceremony will be held at the location for the ceremony.

Winning for a JetBlue grand prize for roundtrip flights for four people to any of the destinations from Boston.

Garden Contest finalists will also be entered into a drawing for a JetBlue grand prize for roundtrip flights for four people to any of the destinations from Boston.

Contest winners were picked by a team of judges who viewed the finalists’ gardens over a two-day period. Judges included members of the Boston Department of Garden Contest; Hall of Fame, AARP Massachusetts State Director Mike Ventra, Boston Elderly Affairs Commissioner Emily Shea, Boston Parks and Recreation Department staff, and members of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society.

Small Yard Garden

First Place - Lyle, Kara, and Lily Bradley, East Boston

Second Place - Frank and Ann Garibakli, Hyde Park

Third Place - Elizabeth Mullane, Dorchester

Medium Yard Garden

First Place - Alex Galan, Dorchester

Second Place - David Connolly, East Boston

Third Place - William Ryan, Dorchester

Large Yard Garden

First Place (tie) - Marie Esposito, Roslindale; Myrna Balk, Jamaica Plain

Second Place - Theresa Pope, Jamaica Plain

Third Place - Sarah Salerno Thomas, Hyde Park

Porch, Balcony, Deck or Window Box Garden

First Place - Kimberly Roberts, East Boston

Second Place - Debbie Langos, Back Bay

Third Place - Dale Malone and Mark Landin, Dorchester

Shade Garden

First Place - Robert Fetting, Jamaica Plain

Second Place - Sheryl White, Roslindale

Third Place - Melissa, Todd, and Joey Cartwright, Allston

Vegetable or Herb Garden

First Place - Joseph DeLuca, Hyde Park

Second Place - Doris Burford, Jamaica Plain

Third Place - The Boston Home, Inc., Dorchester

Senior Garden

First Place - Dorothy Derfield, Roslindale

Second Place - Gerald Brown, Dorchester

Third Place - Adele Rothman, Hyde Park

Storefront, Business or Organization Garden

First Place - Allan Ramdial, D Coal Pot, Hyde Park

Second Place - Jeffrey Courral, Fisher College, Back Bay

Third Place - Evening Garden Club of West Roxbury

Community Garden

First Place - Marie Mikunda and Vera Goro, Newway Garden Society

Second Place - John Marino and Vera Haynes, South End

Third Place (tie) - Michael Reynolds, Berkeley Community Garden, South End;

Susan Praeger, Granada Park Garden, Jamaica Plain

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