

Tasun Community Gardens

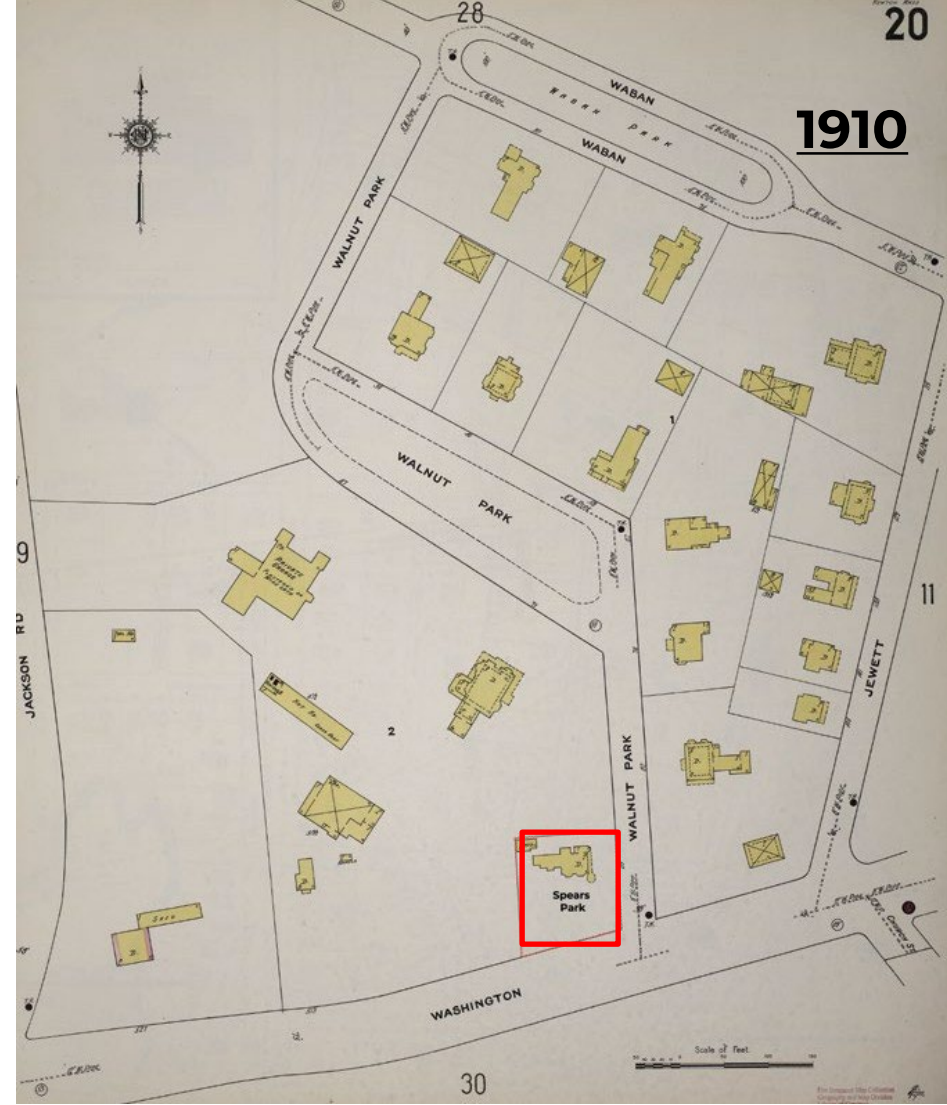
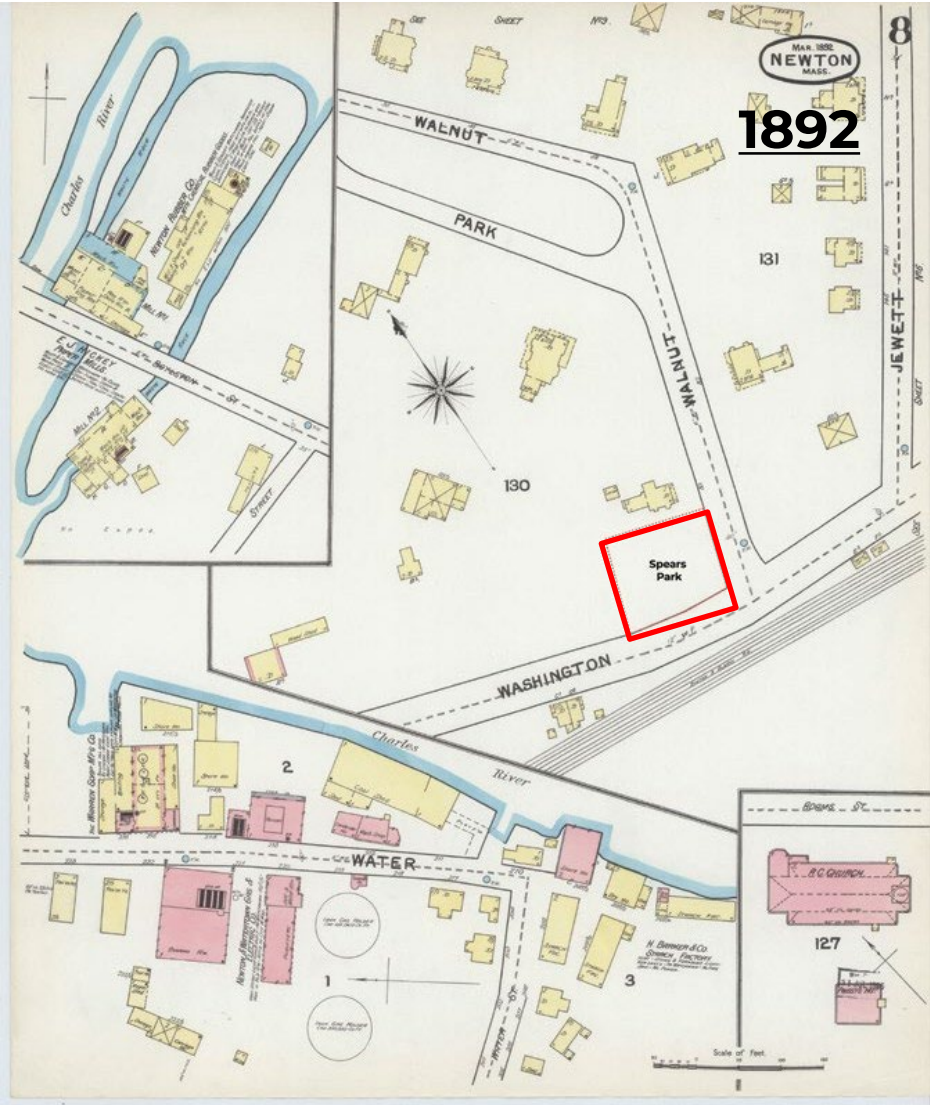
at Spears Park

Newton Parks, Recreation, and Culture Department





Spears Park would be the first community garden located north of the Mass Pike in Newton.



- Area: general commercial & industrial history—including railroad—late 1800s
- Site: Former private residence & carriage house, as early as 1848
- Property deeded to City of Newton in 1926-- no “permanent structures”
- Assumed typical "urban fill" soil

