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JP Library Event Prepares Gardeners for Spring

*Special gardening event hosted by the Boston Community Garden Council
and Boston Natural Areas Network*

BOSTON, MA, February 12, 2009 – If you are already thinking about what to plant in your garden this spring, then join fellow gardeners for a jump start through books, film and discussion at the Jamaica Plain Branch of the Boston Public Library on Thursday, March 12th. “Dreaming of Springtime: Garden Books and Film” is free and open to the public from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

This special evening, hosted by the Boston Community Garden Council and Boston Natural Areas Network, includes short films about gardening and a discussion about books to inspire gardeners over the remaining winter months. Guest speakers include Jeremy Dick, BNAN Horticulturist, and Marlo Pedrosa, BNAN’s Stewardship Manager. The Jamaica Plain Branch of the Boston Public Library is located at 12 Sedgwick Street, Jamaica Plain. For more information, contact BNAN at 617-542-7696 or visit www.bostonnatural.org.

The Boston Community Garden Council is a citywide organization composed of and representing community gardeners and gardens in Boston. The BCGC seeks to bring together the gardeners and gardens to be the unified voice of Community Gardens. The BCGC works to promote a permanent, sustainable community garden system in the city of Boston.

Boston Natural Areas Network is a non-profit organization dedicated to bringing together local residents, partner organizations, public officials and foundations to preserve, expand and enhance urban open space, including community gardens, greenways and urban wilds. For further information about the organization, becoming a member or the calendar of events, visit www.bostonnatural.org, or call 617-542-7696.