The Minnesota China Friendship Garden Society proposes to establish two China gardens in the Twin Cities that will:

- be a symbol of Minnesota’s longstanding friendship with China and a recognition of its sister-city relationships
- promote Minnesota’s understanding of China and of China’s rich cultural heritage
- serve as a recognition of the contributions of the Chinese American community to the Twin Cities
- serve to enhance peoples’ connection to and appreciation of nature
- build a cultural bridge that will boost international trade and tourism between China and Minnesota

The Chinese Garden will be a place for celebration, education, recreation, meditation and aesthetic enjoyment, and will further promote the friendship between the peoples of China and Minnesota.