

NATIVE GARDENS AUDITIONS
Williams Street Repertory | Raue Center For The Arts Crystal Lake, IL

DATE: Monday, September 25, 2023

10:00 am to 6:00 pm (BREAK: 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)

(If you cannot make the audition date, we will accept a self-tape. Please see appointments)

CONTRACT:

CAT \$343 weekly minimum (Tier 2)

LOCATION:

[**Raue Center for the Arts**](#)

[**26 N Williams Street**](#)

[**Crystal Lake, IL 60014-4404**](#)

[\(Union Pacific Northwest Metra](#) Line, Crystal Lake Stop)

Director: Michele Vazquez

Author: Karen Zacarias

Artistic Director: Richard Kuranda

OTHER DATES

Callbacks: October 2nd, 2023

First Rehearsal: January 22, 2024

Opening: February 23, 2024

Closing: March 17, 2024

SEEKING

Equity and Non-Equity actors for the following roles:

TANIA DEL VALLE - (LatinX) early thirties; American-born, smart, likable, positive, passionate, highly-energized, pregnant Ph.D. candidate and gardener. Cusses like a champ in Spanish but not fluent in the language. She has a foot in two worlds.

PABLO DEL VALLE (LatinX)- early thirties; Chilean, perhaps a slight accent. smart, likable, ambitious, savvy young attorney with gravitas.

VIRGINIA BUTLEY - fifties to seventies; smart; likable, assertive, direct, no-nonsense engineer.

FRANK BUTLEY - fifties to seventies, smart, likable, excitable, caring, detail-oriented federal employee and gardener.

4 EXTRAS: (will double as UNDERSTUDIES for all roles) surveyor, landscapers, and building examiner, including silent roles in vignettes between scenes that transform the garden. These workers should "exude personalities as they work...and are the witnesses and the energetic transformers of both the play and the situation."

PREPARATION

Please prepare 1 to 2 sides from the show for your character. (You may be asked to read a second side if time allows). You may view and download sides at

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/16JBEQ9gmfaCyR907sdhK2PJRWLaliod8>

APPOINTMENTS:

Email your headshot and resume to nativegardens@wsrep.org (preferred method) or call Justin at 815-356-9010 ext 113 to schedule an appointment.

If you cannot attend Sept 25th auditions in person and would like to submit a self-tape please upload to the following dropbox link no later than Sept 25, 2023, at 6pm.

<https://www.dropbox.com/request/eEDVatJSYbQaUJWbClip>

SELF-TAPE GUIDELINES

- Shoot HORIZONTALLY (wide screen), not vertically. The camera should be stationary. No selfie videos, please. You will need a reader.
- Please choose 2 sides for your character to submit.
- Include an opening FULL BODY SLATE with your
 - NAME,
 - HEIGHT,
 - LOCATION (local talent preferred) and
 - REPRESENTATION and UNION AFFILIATION (if applicable).
- Please upload your slate and scene(s) takes separately - labeled as follows; (FirstNameLastName_Slate, FirstLast_S1T1, FirstLast_S2T1... etc.)
- Union and Non-Union actors are both welcome to submit.
- Upload your videos to Dropbox link by Sept 25 @ 6pm
<https://www.dropbox.com/request/eEDVatJSYbQaUJWbClip>
- Upload .mp4 or .mov files only, please.

WSRep is committed to diversity and encourages performers of all ethnicities, gender identities, and ages, as well as performers with disabilities, to attend.

