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## ES YOUR GARDEN GROW?

*energy on transporting fruit and veggies from the  
when we can grow them in our yard in Newton?"*

Sam Fogel, front yard farmer



Road. Fogel, who serves on the board of Newton  
Community Education. Top, peaches – most enclosed in a  
found in the Fogels' front yard.

**Chrissie Long**  
HOUSE NEWS SERVICE

ON – Corn stalks sup-  
sunflowers in Sam  
Margaret Fogel's front  
In place of grass, there  
ws of sweet potatoes.  
an rose bushes, rhodo-

the front rather than hiding them in  
the back, they're hoping to inspire  
others to grow their own food, too.

"We do it partly to influence our  
neighbors. We want to make them  
curious," said Sam, who is a strong  
advocate of local food. "But (the  
front yard) is also where the sun is."

## Developer's sewer tie-in baffles city

### Mayor says Lexington subdivision connected to line without approval

**By Richard Conn**  
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WALTHAM – City officials are  
miffed that a developer of a Lex-  
ington subdivision may have  
gotten the jump on connecting  
to a city sewer line before per-  
mission to do so.

A contractor for Lexington  
August Realty Trust apparently  
tied into a Lexington manhole  
which ultimately discharges  
into a sewer trunk line that runs  
through both communities, said  
Mayor Jeannette McCarthy.

The line would serve 19 sin-  
gle-family homes on Walnut  
Street in Lexington.

The City Council this week  
blocked the developer's attempt  
to withdraw the application for  
the connection.

Ward 2 Councilor Ed Tarallo  
said yesterday that if the council  
had accepted the request to  
withdraw the application it may  
have appeared as though the  
council "tacitly" approved the  
work the developer had appar-  
ently already done.

Council President Thomas  
Curtin said Monday he believes  
the council also did the right  
thing by denying the request.

"I think it's important that we  
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## MILITARY ATTACKS

## Al Qaeda suspect studied at Brandeis

**By Tom Hays**  
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**Aafia Siddiqui**

and wounded last month during  
the confrontation, was expected  
to be released yesterday in