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We are a group of "church ladies" (called Wild Women of Plumsted) and are planning an organic garden. We had hoped to have raised beds to make them more accessible to the older members, but are hearing that if we use untreated lumber it will only last 1-2 years. Would like benefit of others' experience.

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