

## How to Make Rabbit Repellent

<http://premeditatedleftovers.com/gardening/inexpensive-organic-rabbit-repellent/>

### Items needed:

- empty milk jug, water
- 5 garlic cloves
- 1 teaspoon crushed red peppers
- 1 gallon water
- 1 tablespoon dish soap

### Directions:

To make the repellent fill an old milk jug with water, add 5 crushed garlic cloves, a teaspoon of crushed red peppers (you can save a packet from the pizza delivery for this) and 1 Tablespoon of dish soap. Shake well; then let it sit in the sun for a day or two to make sure the water is saturated with the flavors and smells. Shake well, then spray or pour on the plants that you don't want the rabbits to eat.

I had to reapply once a week for a couple of weeks to convince the rabbits that my tulips were never going to taste good again. With my other bulbs I sprayed them as soon as they started to poke through the ground and then reapplied the repellent once a week and after it rains.

Tulips that have been treated with rabbit repellent. I have even had to treat flowers like marigolds and sunflowers that rabbits are not supposed to like with my homemade rabbit repellent.