

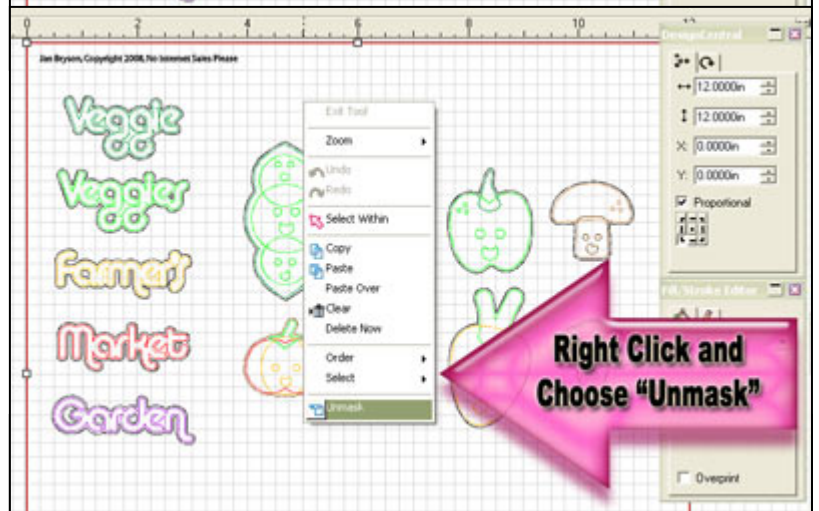
Importing an AI file into Create & Cut

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1. Open the AI file (it's better to open the file than to import the file).
2. Click anywhere in the screen and it will select the whole file because it will come in "masked":



3. Right click and choose Unmask:



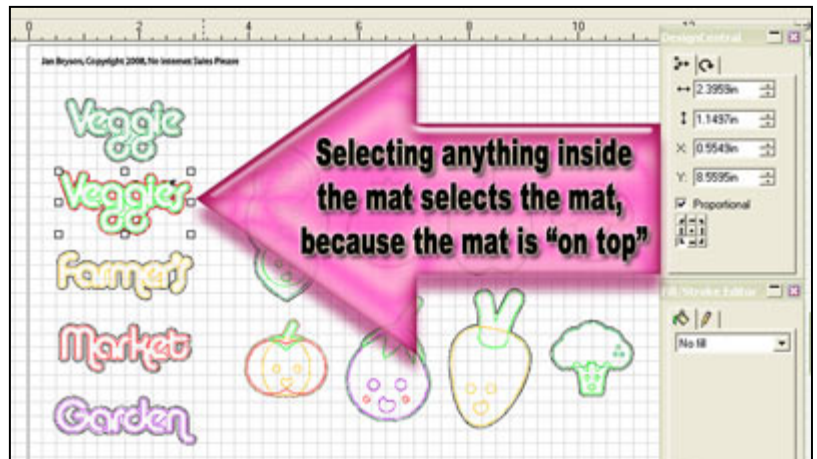
4. Click away from the image anywhere on the screen. The mask will appear as black on top of the image:



5. Click in the black and hit the delete key. Your cut lines will then appear:



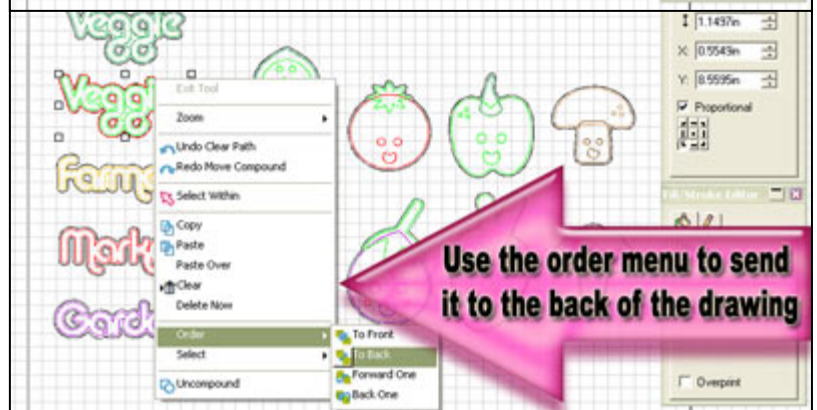
6. You may find that one or more object may be on top of each other and have a hard time selecting them:



7. You can either move that object away from the rest:



8. Or, you can right click on the object and send it to the back:



9. Now you can select items within the drawing:

