



Caring Projects

Urban Forest Grant
Stewardship in Austin Texas
2015-2017



Caring Project:

BURNET ROAD TREE WATERING PROJECT Tree Care

2015 AWARD

\$1,500

IMPACT

86 non-irrigated trees, planted along the right-of-way, were hand watered during the summer months. Tree were planted during a different phase of the project along Burnet Road from 2222 to Highway 183. Costs included landscape fabric, trunk guards, mulch. Watering was conducted by volunteers and paid staff.

FUNDING SOURCE

Urban Forest Replenishment Fund

LEAD APPLICANT

Sustainable Neighborhoods of North Central Austin



Caring Project:

BAILEY MIDDLE SCHOOL Tree Care

2016 AWARD
\$880

IMPACT

This project amended the soil of 20 trees at Bailey Middle School Campus. Costs included compost, mulch, and a 4 wheeled cart to move the material around the site.

FUNDING SOURCE

Urban Forest Replenishment Fund

LEAD APPLICANT

Bailey Middle School PTA



Caring Project:

PEASE PARK Tree Care

2015-2016 AWARD
\$72,945

IMPACT

This tree care project at Pease Park included tree planting, invasive species removals and structural pruning for both tree health and public safety.

peasepark.org/trees-for-pease

FUNDING SOURCE

Urban Forest Replenishment Fund

LEAD APPLICANT

Pease Park Conservancy



Caring Project:

LADY BIRD JOHNSON WILDFLOWER CENTER Tree Care

2016 AWARD

\$11,886

IMPACT

This project supported the hiring of an arborist intern at the Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center. The intern assisted staff arborists in the care and culture of trees at the Wildflower Center, including tree ID, propagation, planting, pruning, climbing techniques, and equipment operation.

FUNDING SOURCE

Urban Forest Replenishment Fund

LEAD APPLICANT

University of Texas at Austin Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center



Caring Project:

BUTLER TRAIL Tree Care

2016 AWARD
\$55,000

IMPACT

This project focused on seven areas around Lady Bird Lake that required pruning in live oak groves. Extensive root grown cleaning and structural pruning was required.

FUNDING SOURCE

Urban Forest Replenishment Fund

LEAD APPLICANT

The Trail Foundation



Caring Project:

SHIPE PARK_BALL MOSS REMOVAL Tree Care

2017 AWARD
\$5,500

FUNDING SOURCE
Urban Forest Replenishment Fund

IMPACT
This project removed 90% of the ball moss from 9 trees located at Shipe Park. Additionally, small and necessary pruning cuts were completed to bring the trees back to health.

LEAD APPLICANT
Friends of Shipe Park



Caring Project:

SHADE TREE PRUNING BETWEEN BRIDGES Tree Care

2017 AWARD
\$2,800

IMPACT
Four live oak trees and one pecan were pruned between the Pfluger Pedestrian Bridge and historic Union Pacific Railroad bridge. This project improved access to the trail and supported the health of the trees receiving care.

FUNDING SOURCE
Urban Forest Replenishment Fund

LEAD APPLICANT
The Trail Foundation

