

Bee City USA - Winston-Salem

Report on 2021

Pollinator Habitat Creation & Enhancement

The Vegetation Management Division included many varieties of native perennials in all city-owned flower beds.

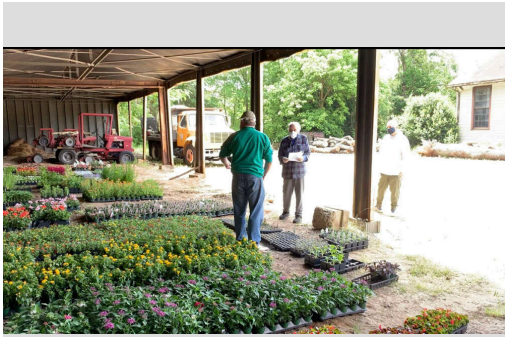


Education & Outreach

Every spring, Keep Winston-Salem Beautiful collaborates with the Garden Club Council of Winston-Salem and the Vegetation Management Division of the city to provide free annual plants to neighborhood associations and other groups to plant. KWSB increased the number of 4 native perennials provided to the groups. 2. Although canceled in 2020 and



2021, Keep Winston-Salem Beautiful partners with the Community Appearance Commission and the Vegetation Management Division for a tree-planting project, Community Roots Day, held at a different location in our city. Over 200 trees were supposed to be planted during the event, including native pollinator trees.



Flower distribution for city's flower bed program.



Polo Park campers enjoyed creating pollinator antenna and learning about pollinators.



Virtual Creek Week Presentation to the Forsyth County Public Library - Southside Branch.

Policies & Practices

Spring 2022 Project: The Vegetation Management Division of the City of Winston-Salem identified four fairly identical landscapes beds at Bethabara Park and Harambe Park. For each location, one bed will be treated with an inorganic herbicide and the other bed with an organic herbicide. Vegetation Management will keep up with the cost of treatment, equipment, materials, labor, and the overall efficiency of each treatment. The two beds on Bethabara Park consist of holly bushes, redbud trees and some liriopse. At Harambe Park, the beds consist of ornamental elm trees, crepe myrtles, and one cherry tree.

Integrated Pest Management Plan:

Recommended Native Plant List: [Suggested Native Plant List Oct 1 2019.pdf](#)

Recommended Native Plant Supplier List: [Bee City General Information 2021.pdf](#)

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<https://www.cityofws.org/921/Bee-City-USA>

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Virtual meeting of the Community Sustainability Program Committee.

