



City Forest Credits Carbon Planting Project Application

Notes to applicants: The project application will be posted on the Carbon Project Registry on the project or program page, so it should not include any confidential information. Submit a map of the proposed planting area with your application. We will follow-up with details to create a Carbon Project Registry Page after approval of your application. Within 12 months, you must complete planting and submit the following documents:

- *Project Design Document*
- *Declaration of Ownership of Land or, Agreement to Transfer Potential Credits*
- *Declaration of Planting*

1. Project Name

For example, Ballinger Open Space Planting Project

Treasure Valley Municipal Parks Project

2. Project Type

Planting

3. Project Location

Projects must be in or adjacent to one of the following. Describe which one of the criteria the project meets and provide name of city, town, or jurisdiction where project is located.

- *“Urban Area” per Census Bureau maps; see <https://www.census.gov/geographies/reference-maps/2010/geo/2010-census-urban-areas.html>*
- *An incorporated or unincorporated city or town*
- *A planning area for a metropolitan planning agency or entity, such as the Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning*
- *Land owned, designated, and used by a municipal or quasi-municipal entity such as a utility for source water or watershed protection*
- *A transportation or utility right of way through one of above*

Parks in Boise, ID:

Bernadine Quinn Riverside Park

Bowler Park

Franklin Park

Harrison Hollow

Hyatt Hidden Lakes

Magnolia Park

Mariposa Park

Pine Grove Park
Westside Downtown Park

4. Project Operator

Provide name of organization/entity, and contact information

Organization/Entity: Treasure Valley Canopy Network

Address: 1307 N 16t St

City: Boise

State: ID

Zip: 83702

Contact(s): Lance Davisson

Phone: 208-994-1135

Email: coordinator@tvcanopy.net

5. Project Description

Provide short narrative including location, number or acres of trees, and overall goals

The Treasure Valley Municipal Parks Planting Project is a partnership between the City of Boise and the Treasure Valley Canopy Network (Network). This project planted approximately 504 trees in 9 municipal parks throughout the Treasure Valley. The City of Boise is at the heart of Idaho's Treasure Valley, one of the fastest growing metropolitan areas in the United States. As our region grows, its cities are committed to building healthy and vibrant public spaces for all citizens to enjoy.

6. Project Impacts

Provide short narrative of the impacts this project will achieve. Examples include how the project addresses increased access to green spaces for under-resourced communities, flood control, watershed protection, human health benefits, recreation or bird and wildlife habitat.

The trees planted in these parks will provide residents of various socioeconomic categories with recreational opportunities resulting in healthier environments and people. In 25 years, these trees will provide approximately \$23,815 in ecosystem services (rainfall interception, energy savings, air quality improvements, etc.) each year that will benefit our region's environment and its citizens.

7. Number of trees to be planted and general planting-design

Provide number of trees and general planting design. Tree planting design options include:

- *single-tree dispersed (spaced 10' or more apart, i.e. street trees or linear plantings)*
- *single-tree canopy (spaced 10' apart but continuously so to generate canopy over time, i.e. natural areas)*
- *forest canopy (closely planted with spacing less than 10' apart so to generate canopy and forest ecosystem, high tree mortality expected, i.e. riparian areas)*

Single-tree

Plant Species - Common Names	Number of Trees Planted
american linden	3
Amur Maple	1
Austrian Pine	35
Autumn Purple Ash	3
black hawthorne	2
Black Hills Spruce	20
Blue Spruce	22
Canada Red Chokecherry	30
Centurion Crabapple	13
Colorado Blue Spruce	5
crabapple	4
Crimson King Maple	4
Crimson Sunset Maple	6
Dawn Redwood	11
Deborah Maple	6
douglas hawthorne	5
Eastern Redbud	6
English Oak	8
europaean hornbeam	6
hackberry	2
Honeylocust	47
Japanese Pagoda Tree	21
Kentucky Coffeetree	5
Littleleaf Linden	32
London Plane Tree 'Bloodgood'	3
London Planetree	7
Northern Red Oak	22
Norway Spruce	12
Pacific Sunset Maple	16
Redbud	2
River Birch	14
Scotch Pine	14
serviceberry	11
shademaster honeylocust	10
Spring Snow Crabapple	38
Sunburst Honeylocust	6
Sweet Gum	7
Tulip Tree	28
Vanderwolf Pine	3
Weeping Willow	3
western larch	3
white pine	4
willow	4
Grand Total	504

8. Additional Information

Provide additional information about your project. Examples include collaboration with other partners or how this project fits into a larger effort.

This project is the first pilot in the Treasure Valley City Forest Credits Program, administered by the Treasure Valley Canopy Network. As the Network continues to build collaborative partners and planting projects, we anticipate many more opportunities for financial support of our regional City Forest Credits Program.

Signed by Lance Davisson, President, for Treasure Valley Canopy Network.

Lance Davisson

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Signature

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Project Application

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