



Mayor Jim Gray

LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT

Commissioner's Office

Department of Environmental Quality
and Public Works

TO: Commissioner of Environmental Quality
Urban County Council
Mayor Jim Gray

FROM: Louise Caldwell-Edmonds
Administrative Officer

DATE: April 30, 2012

SUBJECT: Neighborhood and Community Sustainability Grant Program

The Department of Environmental Quality has budgeted funds to establish the Neighborhood and Community Sustainability Grant program to encourage residents to work collaboratively and creatively to find ways to improve the environmental health of our neighborhoods.

The following award recommendations are submitted to the Urban County Council for the approval to fund the proposed projects under the program.

- Beaumont Residential Association, \$2500 for Park Beautification Project.
- Central Christian Church, \$2500 for Erosion Control and Litter Cleanup Project.
- Chevy Chase Neighborhood Association, \$2500 for Beautifying Greenspace in neighborhood.
- Columbia Heights Neighborhood Association, \$2350 for Beautification and Litter Cleanup Project.
- Dove Creek Townhomes Owners Association, \$1655 for Beautification and Landscaping Project.
- Fairway Neighborhood Association, \$2500 for street tree planting.
- Faith Lutheran Church, \$1590 for a Rain Garden Project.
- First Alliance Church, \$1957 for creating an Amphitheater Project.
- Glendover Neighborhood Association, \$2497 for planting Street Trees.
- Golf Town Homes at Andover HOA, \$2400 for a tree removal and replacement project.
- Gratz Park Neighborhood Association, \$2500 for a Landscaping Project.
- Meadowthrope Neighborhood \$2000 for using recycled rock for wall extension project.
- New Beginning Church of God in Christ, \$2452 for a Community Garden.
- Pasadena Neighborhood Association, \$920 for Tree and Vegetation Restoration Project.
- Pathway Church, \$2500 for a Memorial Garden Walking Path Project.
- Southland Association, \$2297 for an Ash Tree Replacement Project.
- Southpoint Resident Association, \$1285 for Beautifying the Neighborhood Entrance.

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- St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, \$2500 for a Porous Brick Beautification Project.
- Tanbark Association of Neighbors, \$2500 for a Rain Barrel Project.
- Tates Creek Christian Church, \$1735 for Beautification Project.
- Twin Pines Christian Church, \$688 for a Community Garden Project.
- Vineyard Neighborhood Association, \$669 for beautifying main entrance into neighborhood.
- Walnut Creek Home Owner's Association, \$2500 for planting street trees.
- Wellington Elementary School, \$2500 for a Zen Garden for Reflection and Relaxation Project.

Total amount of funds to be disbursed is \$49,495 from account 1115 313101 3101 78112.

A 100% match is required and may come from donations, materials, services, documented use of vehicles or machinery, tipping fees, and volunteer hours.

Request approval to award funds and enter into a contract with each neighborhood.

cc: Grant Review Committee