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NNC-22-01	Northwest Neighborhoods Community Development Corporation	Lake Park Area Planting Project	Working with the City of Cleveland, local block club, and the ward 15 Tree Canopy Committee, we plan to plant 27 trees within the park and another 23 trees on west 85th and Detroit	86.86	1	50	\$22,290.20	\$0.00	\$19,550.00
MAP-22-01	City of Maple Heights	Northeast Quadrant Tree Planting Project	The Northeast Quadrant Tree Planting Project will include planting new trees on Hansen Road, Watson Rd and Raymond St between Warrensville Center Rd and Northfield Rd. Maple Heights has partnered with the Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District and the Ohio Public Works Commission to rehabilitate the sewers and roadways on these streets which requires many of the remaining trees to be removed with the sewer repair work. Please refer to Attachment 5a for a copy of the Location Map.	85.43	2	107	\$49,925.00	\$44,932.50	
WRC-22-01	Western Reserve Land Conservancy	Mt. Pleasant Groundwork Project	Western Reserve Land Conservancy proposes to plant 60 trees on vacant lots in the Mt. Pleasant neighborhood as part of our Groundwork program that re-greens vacant lots. This project will utilize data from a tree inventory funded through the HUTC grant in 2021. To date the Land Conservancy has planted 100 trees in the Mt. Pleasant neighborhood in conjunction with residents, partners and local businesses. The trees will support Safe Routes to School to Nathan Hale.	84.86	3	60	\$85,955.00	\$42,175.00	
EUC-22-01	City of Euclid	Tungsten Road Tree Planting and Tree Canopy Maintenance	The City of Euclid's LMI area tree canopy (<20%) is priority in rebuilding the city's urban tree canopy. The goal is to plant 65 trees on four acres adjacent to Tungsten Park.	84.71	4	65	\$50,000.00	\$45,000.00	
PMH-22-01	City of Parma Heights	Urban Canopy Enhancement Program	Parma Heights overall urban forestry plan is to target grant efforts on one area at a time while independently replacing individual trees citywide. We will use wpww to continue our Urban Canopy Enhancement Program to replace tree losses in SW area of the city from EAB, storm damage, aging & safety concerns. We will also address a barren park in our NE quadrant. Our ISA Board Certified Master Arborist will oversee the project, continuing efforts from our 2021 Healthy Urban Tree Grant.	84.33	5	182	\$90,809.27	\$50,000.00	
CLE-22-01	City of Cleveland	Clark Field Park Tree Planting	Clark Field Park underwent an environmental cleanup from 2017-2020 after contaminated soils were found in preparation of renovating the park in 2014, which required the removal of most existing trees. Park renovations will begin in earnest in 2022 and will provide numerous recreational amenities; however, many of the planned elements have been deferred due to price increases, including 138 of the 233 envisioned tree plantings.	83.71	6	138	\$63,000.00	\$50,000.00	
LKW-22-01	City of Lakewood	City of Lakewood Forestry Initiative	The City of Lakewood created its Tree Action Plan in February 2016, with an update in 2022, to increase our tree canopy, maintain the health of all trees in our urban forest, and promote the environmental, financial, and social benefits of urban trees through public outreach and education. Grant funding will complement the previous six phases of this program and allow the City to continue its planting and maintenance efforts. We are committed to increasing our tree canopy to 33.5 percent by 2035.	82.63	7	400	\$134,590.00	\$50,000.00	
BRL-22-01	City of Brooklyn	Planting and Tree Inventory/Management Plan	Plant 49 trees and focus on developing tree inventory and a 5-year management plan	82.43	8	49	\$32,701.00	\$29,430.90	
LYN-22-01	City of Lyndhurst	The City of Lyndhurst's Healthy Urban Tree Canopy Program Planting Project	Our urban forest's canopy (27.1%) has been devastated by the recent onslaught of the EAB with the resultant loss of nearly 1,000 ash trees (-9.8% canopy loss). Our fears have also been increased by the Oak Wilt Disease in our neighboring cities. Oaks represent nearly 9.58% of our current inventory. We also are at a declining stage with our Norway maples (1,985 at 11.22%) and our plans include removing those that are declining and replacing with new trees in the 2022-2023 planting seasons.	81.18	9	100	\$72,002.00	\$26,254.00	
SVD-21-01	Slavic Village Development	Reforest Slavic Village Part III	The existing tree canopy in the Broadway Slavic Village (BSV) is 18.4% and according to the 2015 City of Cleveland Tree Plan was a high priority location to increase tree canopy equity. This project focuses on planting trees on its around AB Hart school and taking inventory and maintaining trees planted on vacant lots around the school. In addition we are pursuing the construction of a new pocket park at the corner of Worley and Spofford Rd in collaboration with residents.	80.43	10	20	\$27,685.87	\$21,385.87	
MTC-22-01	MidTown Cleveland, Inc	MidTown Neighborhood Tree Planting and Plan Implementation	In 2021, MTC was awarded the Cuyahoga County Healthy Tree Canopy grant. We used funds to plant trees based upon our community tree management and planting plan completed by Davey Resource Group in 2021. The project is a part of a two-year planting schedule of 175 as an initial phase of a ten-year plan to plant 175 trees per year and address high priority tree maintenance identified through our plan. Since awarded the grant in 2021, we have planted 38/175 trees and will resume in the Spring	80.14	11	80	\$100,000.00	\$25,000.00	

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GLW-22-01	Village of Glenwillow	2022 Public Tree Planting	With a 2019 Cuyahoga County HUTC Grant, the Village of Glenwillow completed a Tree Inventory and Management Plan (Plan). The Plan concluded the Village is not benefiting from the full potential of its street tree population. The Plan identified 356 sites available for trees. This application is for funding to implement the first phase of the Plan - the installation of 120 street trees along Diamond and Victory Parkways.	78.29	12	62	\$42,850.00	\$38,565.00	
LVC-22-01	Lake View Cemetery Foundation	Back to Life: Restoring Lake View's Tree Canopy	Lake View Cemetery's 2016 tree inventory revealed that of the trees assessed, nearly 33% were either dead or in poor condition (attached). LVCF began to raise funds to restore and plant trees in Sections 11, 12 and 14 thanks to a grant of \$34,000 from the Cuyahoga County Planning Commission in 2021. LVCF continues to conserve its tree canopy and requests a grant of \$50,000 to plant 60 trees in Sections 1 and 59, and fertilize 100 newly planted trees in Lake View Cemetery. Map is attached.	78.14	13	60	\$122,000.00	\$37,500.00	
BED-22-01	City of Bedford	2022 Tree Replacement Program	The City of Bedford will continue to replant in residential areas where Emerald Ash Borer effected treelawn trees. In 2014, Davey Tree identified nearly 600 Ash trees and since then approximately 85% have been removed but less than 150 have been replaced. Of those, 100 were awarded in the first Healthy Urban Tree Canopy Program. Without grant funding, there is no City funding to replace the affected trees or add new trees that are much needed in numerous Bedford-owned parks and play areas.	78.07	14	139	\$55,620.00	\$50,000.00	
FVP-22-01	City of Fairview Park	2022 Fairview Park Tree Canopy Expansion Project	Planting 50 trees on Circlewood Dr, Glenbar Dr, W 210 St, W 212 St, W 213 St, & W 214 St. Significant canopy loss on streets due to EAB/weather events/end of life issues. ROWS of 3 specified streets contain only 0-20% canopy, and 1 street lost 1/4 of tree canopy from 2011-2017. Majority of parcels on streets have <20% existing canopy. Removal of 10 diseased/dead/dying trees. Project area bordered by impervious land/commercial uses to N & E. Adjacent to/impacted by severe Urban Heat Island.	77.79	15	50	\$45,561.04	\$41,004.94	
BAY-22-01	City of Bay Village	Bradley Road Park Tree Planting	Bay Village's goals are to create new tree canopy and maintain the existing canopy. This project will enable us to plant 120 trees in Bradley Road Park in public green spaces that currently have no tree canopy. The Bay Village tree canopy has many mature oaks and other species and that are reaching the end of their life cycle. This project will enable us to start building new canopy before more existing trees are lost.	77.14	16	120	\$40,582.40	\$36,522.40	
BRN-22-01	Village of Brooklyn Heights	2022 Public Tree Planting	The Village is initiating a public tree planting and replacement program. The intent of this project is to use the information from the 2020 Tree Inventory and Management Plan, funded by the 2019 Healthy Urban Tree Canopy Grant Program, to prioritize and manage a street tree planting program. This program will plant and maintain 75 new public trees. This includes 45 new sites and 30 replacement trees.	77.00	17	75	\$38,775.00	\$34,875.00	
OBC-22-01	Old Brooklyn Community Development Corporation	Old Brooklyn Reforestation Program	Old Brooklyn's tree canopy is distributed inequitably. Many areas in Old Brooklyn lack tree canopy leading to high heat indexes, negative health impacts, and poor environmental conditions. Phase 1 details the need for private front yard trees and informs our current work as we implement Phase 2. Phase 2 focuses on building connections with residents to educate, plant, maintain and grow trees in devoid yards in high need areas of Old Brooklyn. We are applying for Phase 3, which will formalize and expand this process and build a stronger community tree steward network.	76.86	18	100	\$55,700.00	\$29,000.00	\$21,000
BRK-22-01	City of Brook Park	Improving Brook Park's Tree Canopy	Brook Park is looking to increase tree canopy on the municipal campus, recreation center, and Brook Park library branch as well as increasing canopy at Sylvia Park and American Legion Park	76.79	19	100	\$56,085.29	\$46,085.29	
HTV-22-01	Village of Hunting Valley	Shaker Blvd./SOM Nature Preserve (Sorna Property)	The Village purchased a 5-acre lot to create a passive open space and re-establish a declining woodlot at SR91 & Shaker Blvd. County mapping indicated high tree canopy percentage, however site inspections reveal severe decline due to Emerald Ash Borer and other species decline. Invasive species have established and are outcompeting the native tree saplings, further reducing canopy development.	76.14	20	920	\$55,750.00	\$38,950.00	
STR-21-01	City of Strongsville	Strongsville's 2022 Cost-share Street Tree Planting Program	The Cost-share program will allow us to extend the funds and plant more street trees throughout the entire community. We anticipate planting 150 Trees total 75 trees in the fall and 74 trees in the spring. The Urban Site Index will be used to select the largest appropriate tree for the site.	76.12	21	150	\$55,260.00	\$49,905.00	

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PAR-22-01	City of Parma	Prioritized Parma Ward Plantings	We will have first 90 trees earmarked for City of Parma ROW (10 per each 9 wards) in accordance with endorsed 2019 Tree Plan priority planting zones, and progressing the efforts from the 2021 application. Final tree locations will be confirmed with landowners and Coty with "right tree, right place" locational strategy. We will then dedicate 100 trees to conservation planting over 10 acres with West Creek Conservancy. We will also continue to establish the Stearns Tree Nursery.	75.85	22	190	\$44,800.00	\$36,800.00	
WCC-22-01	West Creek Conservancy	Canal Rd Corridor Planting and Inventory	Extending efforts above and beyond our 2019 Mill Creek Watershed Partners Tree Plan, this project will create a full inventory (and risk assessment) of the ROW trees in member community, Valley View. In partnership with Valley View, our team has prioritized the Canal Road Corridor between Rockside and Granger as a high visibility, high impact stretch that is "shovel ready" for 2022-23 planting. This strategy will give both instant impact as well as long term planning.	74.86	23	36	\$45,000.00	\$40,000.00	
NOR-22-01	City of North Royalton	North Royalton Tree Canopy Program	The City of North Royalton wishes to embark on a comprehensive tree planting program starting first with Memorial park as its first phase. This request includes the routine maintenance of existing & replanting of trees to maintain the parks canopy integrity as there has been tree loss. A site analysis & replanting plan was completed during a recent master planning process. The City's future phases include establishing a tree nursery, which will then support a street tree replacement program.	74.29	24	60	\$34,875.00	\$26,000.00	
BFH-22-01	City of Bedford Heights	Cuyahoga Tree Grant III	During spring and fall the service department plants trees where road/sidewalk repairs or new construction occurred. Exclusively, HUTC grant funds will plant trees in the equity zone: Comstock, Miles, Aurora, and east side of Bartlett	73.57	25	35	\$7,928.00	\$7,106.00	
WOD-22-01	Village of Woodmere	Woodmere Healthy Tree Canopy Project	This grant would provide the funds to hire a consultant to create a health assessment of the Village's existing tree canopy, along with recommendations to let us know which trees need to be removed and which ones need what level of maintenance. Armed with this new inventory, the Village will implement a tree management plan that retains and grows its existing trees, fill gaps in its canopy with new trees and provides the greatest benefits to the community's health and environmental resilience.	73.29	26	25	\$31,632.00	\$25,900.00	
BRE-22-01	City of Brecksville	HUTCG Unhealthy Tree Replacement	This grant will support efforts to replace 164 unhealthy crabapple trees and add 14 street trees in two subdivisions. While the City makes an annual commitment to urban canopy upkeep, the number of replacements needed is nearly equal to our average number of new and replacement plantings across the city. Grant funding will allow us to proactively replace all of these trees and add shade trees to our urban canopy,	73.00	27	90	\$83,191.34	\$27,608.10	
CUY-22-01	Village of Cuyahoga Heights	Willowbrook Connector Tree Planting Project	Currently, the Village is undertaking a project to connect property near Willowbrook Drive to the existing trail that leads to Bacci Park. The Village proposes to plant 100 trees along the connector which would provide a meaningful increase to the tree canopy. This project is a priority for the Village as the connector project commences in the spring of 2022 with planting following completion.	72.57	28	100	\$52,925.00		
DBW-22-01	Doan Brook Watershed Partnership	Rockefeller Park Urban Tree Canopy Preservation Project	Rockefeller park protects Doan Brook's riparian buffer in all of the lower watershed, but has been losing canopy in recent years due primarily to storm damage, pests, diseases, and old age. This project will enact the highest priority items from a new urban forestry management plan informed by the full inventory of the park.	70.50	29	6	\$60,280.90		
SHK-22-01	City of Shaker heights	Shaker Boulevard Median Tree Removal and Replacement Project	For years hawthorn trees have lined the historic median of Shaker Boulevard rapid transit tracks between Warrensville Center Road and Coventry Road. On December 1, 2020, a wet heavy devastating snow toppled many of the hawthorn trees leaving 2.5 miles of road in disarray. The weight of the snow brought down many trees and left many other trees with very few branches to survive. We propose to remove tree stumps and trees damaged beyond repair and replant 97 new hawthorn trees.	69.47	30	97	\$55,117.15		
SOU-22-01	City of South Euclid	South Euclid Urban Tree Canopy Program	In 2018 the City of South Euclid completed the update of its Master Tree Canopy Plan. Pursuant to the plan, we are requesting funding to assist in the planting of trees on Oakmount Road and Princeton Blvd. Oakmount Road is currently midway through a major infrastructure and roadway resurfacing project that will be completed Fall 2022. We are also requesting funds for maintenance and pruning activities on Colony Road and Hinsdale Road in the City's Improvement Target Area zone.	69.25	31	60	\$41,130.00		

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DCA-22-02	Downtown Cleveland Alliance	Downtown Cleveland Tree Inventory and Planting Strategy	The County tree assessment shows that Downtown has a tree canopy of only 4.1% - the lowest area in the entire county. Yet, with low resources, the City has been challenged to maintain let alone install new trees when they die. This project is the beginning of working with partners to address the deficient tree canopy and soil infrastructure in Downtown.	69.20	32	20	\$55,000.00		
PEP-22-01	City of Pepper Pike	Pepper Pike Public Lands Restoration Project	Our City has been significantly impacted by the devastation caused by pests, construction damage, wind and tree diseases, reducing our tree canopy by an estimated 20% to 30%. In 2019, we developed a Tree Identification and High-Risk Tree Maintenance Program through the Cuyahoga County Healthy Urban Tree Grant Program and Knowles Municipal Forestry, and in 2020, we planted 202 trees under the program. For 2022, we would like to continue tree canopy expansion with an additional 120 tree plantings.	68.71	33	120	\$57,359.68		
MBH-21-01	City of Middleburg Heights	Sprague Road Tree Replacement Project	Cuyahoga County Department of Public Works in partnership with the City of Strongsville and Middleburg Heights widened Sprague Road between Webster Road and West 130th Street. As part of the widening project all mature maple trees located on the tree lawns needed to be removed. This project will plant 45 new trees along Sprague Road.	68.71	34	45	\$30,159.42		
UCI-22-01	University Circle Inc.	Wade Oval Canopy Preservation Project	The tree canopy at Wade Oval is one of the region's most historic, highly valued, and widely accessed urban forest resources. At 100 to 200 years old, the trees require critical maintenance to maximize their lifespan, including soil treatments and natural pruning. Its mature Oaks are also threatened by Oak Wilt disease found in nearby East Cleveland. New trees have also been planted that require proactive care to ensure that they thrive and support the the future canopy.	68.57	35	2	\$39,679.48		
CST-21-01	Congregation Shaarey Tikvah	Tree Inventory Survey and Native Tree Assessment/Planting	Our property line is shared with a beachwood neighborhood. It has been neglected and overgrown with non-native trees and plants, many of which are damaged, dead, or severely overgrown. Grant would provide for a land survey, tree identification and inventory, and a plan to remove and replace non natives with natives. The plan would also include recommendations for a 22,000 square foot parking area that could be depaved and planted next year.	68.29	36		\$48,600.00		
MFH-22-01	City of Mayfield Heights	Mayfield Heights 2022 Tree Canopy Expansion Project	Mayfield Hts has a canopy of 18.5%, 5th lowest in the County and one of 9 communities that lost over 10% canopy from 2011-17. This spring we will begin building a new pool & community center in City Park South. Construction will eliminate trees and will affect neighbors surrounding the park. The installation of a 40' slide tower near residents, and the new location of the Service yard make the need for the tall dense Norway Spruce and arborvitae, to provide year-round screening to these areas.	68.14	37	130	\$65,801.50		
ECL-22-01	City of East Cleveland	Census Block Group 1513003 City Tree Re-establishment	Replace lost oak trees and treat existing trees for Oak wilt in forest hill neighborhood.	63.00	38	30	\$22,000.00		
HIH-22-01	City of Highland Heights	Highland Heights Annual Tree Planting	For the fiscal year 2022 the City of Highland Heights has budgeted approximately \$16,000 for the purchase and planting of new trees on City property and on City right-of-way. Tree selection and planting is handled through the City's Service Department. With the additional funding through the Cuyahoga County Healthy Urban Tree Canopy Program the City will be able to expand its annual planting program into the City Park where tree population has declined due to dying or disease.	55.29	39		\$29,500.00		