



# Project Green Space

in the City of Daly City

## Adopt a tree!

We need you to make this program a success. Sign up to adopt a tree outside of your home (or anywhere else in the City), recommend planting locations, or simply volunteer to help plant trees.

Planting locations must be on street or street-facing, such as a front yard. Species must be chosen from recommended list of drought-tolerant trees. Planter must sign pledge to provide sufficient water (by filling a tree watering bag at the base of the tree) for one year post-planting. The City will provide a \$25 water bill credit to cover water cost.

## Did you know?

Daly City is the 6<sup>th</sup> most densely populated city in the entire country! And, the City experiences one of the highest pollution burdens within the County of San Mateo. We need trees now more than ever.

## Contact

Please email or call Daly City's Sustainability Coordinator, Stephen Stolte, at [ssolte@dalycity.org](mailto:ssolte@dalycity.org) or (650) 991-8126. Visit our website to learn more about the project and how you can help Daly City prepare for the future: [www.dalycity.org/ProjectGreenSpace](http://www.dalycity.org/ProjectGreenSpace)



## Help make Daly City cleaner, greener, and more resilient - for generations to come!

Daly City recently received a \$25,000 grant from Cities of Service for Project Green Space. This is an exciting tree planting and rain garden initiative that will help bolster community resiliency, enhance public health, and beautify Daly City.

### *Urban Trees and Rain Garden Benefits*

- ✦ Trees capture and store carbon dioxide.
- ✦ Trees and rain gardens absorb stormwater after heavy rainfall, reducing flood and erosion risks.
- ✦ Trees and rain gardens purify water of contaminants.
- ✦ Green spaces help alleviate many of the stressors present in a dense, urban environment.
- ✦ Trees help mitigate air pollution.