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Community Forestry Management Plan Implementation and Ash Tree Management in Disadvantaged Communities Grant Awards

This funding expands on the \$7.1 million awarded on July 25th, 2024, increasing expected project outcomes and reach, and bringing the total amount awarded to \$12.5 million.

The 17 awarded projects that are receiving additional funding are listed below by region:

CAPITAL REGION

Albany County

- City of Albany Department of General Services - \$356,705 additional, for a total of \$776,965; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

Greene County

- Village of Athens - \$237,335 additional, for a total of \$577,968; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

Rensselaer County

- City of Troy - \$64,800 additional, for a total of \$382,400; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

CENTRAL NY

Onondaga County

- City of Syracuse - \$420,317 additional, for a total of \$915,600; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

FINGER LAKES

Genesee County

- City of Batavia - \$306,218 additional, for a total of \$758,950; Ash Tree Management in Disadvantaged Communities

Monroe County

- City of Rochester - \$399,250 additional, for a total of \$598,875; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

MID-HUDSON VALLEY

Ulster County

- City of Kingston - \$240,824 additional, for a total of \$732,375; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

Westchester

- City of New Rochelle - \$6,600 additional, for a total of \$41,600; Ash Tree Management in Disadvantaged Communities

NEW YORK CITY

Bronx County

- Woodlawn Conservancy Inc - \$727,962 additional, for a total of \$1,201,354; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

Kings County

- Big Initiatives Incorporated - \$843,709 additional, for a total of \$1,251,166; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation – Stewardship of Street Trees
- The Evergreens Cemetery Preservation Foundation - \$415,000 additional, for a total of \$915,000; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

New York County

- Randall's Island Park Alliance Inc - \$353,520 additional, for a total of \$851,262; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

Brooklyn County

- The Green-Wood Cemetery - \$100,000 additional, for a total of \$598,035; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

City-Wide

- Natural Areas Conservancy Inc - \$467,510 additional, for a total of \$862,168; Ash Tree Management in Disadvantaged Communities

NORTH COUNTRY

Clinton County

- Clinton County Soil and Water Conservation District - \$231,325 additional, for a total of \$460,947; Ash Tree Management in Disadvantaged Communities

Jefferson County

- City of Watertown - \$150,000 additional, for a total of \$550,000; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation

WESTERN NY

Chautauqua County

- City of Dunkirk - \$35,867 additional, for a total of \$158,313; Community Forest Management Plan Implementation