


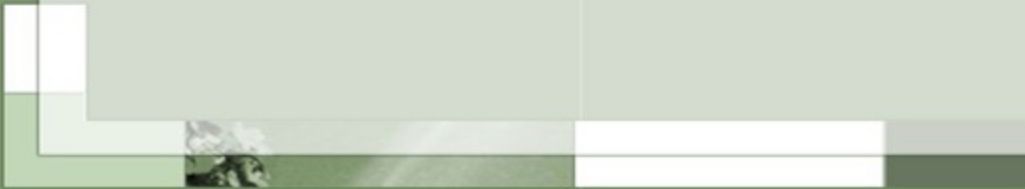


Comprehensive Plan Goals and Scope

- **Goals for a Comprehensive Urban Forest Plan –**
 - Establish a broad-scoped, long range vision for Austin's urban forest.
 - Provide an implementation roadmap.
 - Provide a framework for managing our public urban forest resources.
- **Scope of the Plan –**
 - All publicly managed trees and vegetation Parks
 - ROW, Preserves, Greenbelts and Natural Areas, Public facilities





Challenges & Community Prioritization

- Challenges -
 - Resource scarcity
 - Drought and heat impacts
 - Rapid growth
 - Prioritization –
 - Prioritizing challenges and resources
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Community Input

- How public input will be used
 - Why this Plan will make a difference
 - There are more ways than today to get involved
 - Speak Up Austin – Discussion Forum
 - 3 surveys to help with prioritization
 - Email your comments to urbanforestplan@austintexas.gov
 - Get more information at www.austinurbanforestry.org
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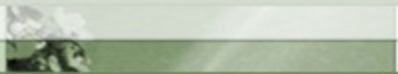
Meeting Goals

1. Discover what you **treasure** about the Austin urban forest, your most important **concerns** and **goals**.
 2. Brainstorm ideas for **increasing resources** to support Austin's urban forest.
 3. Learn more about your values and priorities for policy topics.
 4. Identify how you would distribute financial resources to urban forestry.
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Austin's Urban Forest Plan Workshop

Agenda

- 3:00 Welcome, overview
 - 3:15 Table group activities
 - 4:30 Individual activity
 - 5:00 Funding activity
 - 5:15 Open House begins
 - 7:00 Open House ends
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Discussion Guidelines

- Speak **one** at a time.
 - Be succinct. Help **everyone** participate.
 - Treat differences with **respect**.
 - Electronic devices on **silent**.
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