

Urban Forest Program

Updates for the Urban
Forestry Committee

October 2019



Project Highlights

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- Roots & Wings Festival
 - Climate Change Planning
 - Community Tree Report



Roots & Wings: October 26th | www.bit.ly/RootsWings19

WORKSHOP

Climate Change Adaptation in Austin's Community Forest and Natural Areas

NOVEMBER 6

PREPARING FOR CLIMATE CHANGE

As our climate shifts, urban foresters, natural areas managers, and others who care for Austin's green spaces are beginning to focus their experience and creativity on ways to successfully respond to those changes. This workshop is designed to help participants:

- Learn more about current and anticipated effects of climate change on Austin's developed and natural green spaces, with an emphasis on trees and forests.
- Understand concepts of climate change vulnerability and adaptation and how to apply these concepts to their work.
- Share tools and approaches for incorporating climate change into managing Austin's natural and developed green spaces.

NOVEMBER 7

ADAPTATION PLANNING AND PRACTICES

Adaptation Planning and Practices is an active, hands-on training for a limited number of participants. This training is designed to assist urban forest and natural areas managers in incorporating climate change considerations and identifying actions for adaptation into their own real-world forest management projects. Participants are asked to sign up individually or as a team with a specific project in mind.



SAVE THE DATE

DETAILS

November 6-7, 2019

8:30-4:30 pm

Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center

INTERESTED?

RSVP at

forestadaptation.org/learn/AustinAPP

- *No fee for attendance*
- *Attendance is capped at 60 for day 1 and 30 for day 2*
- *CEU credits are being requested*
- *Lunch and light refreshments provided*

Questions can be directed to
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This workshop is organized by the Northern Institute of Applied Climate Science, USDA Northern Forests Climate Hub and Southern Plains Climate Hubs, US Forest Service, and the City of Austin.



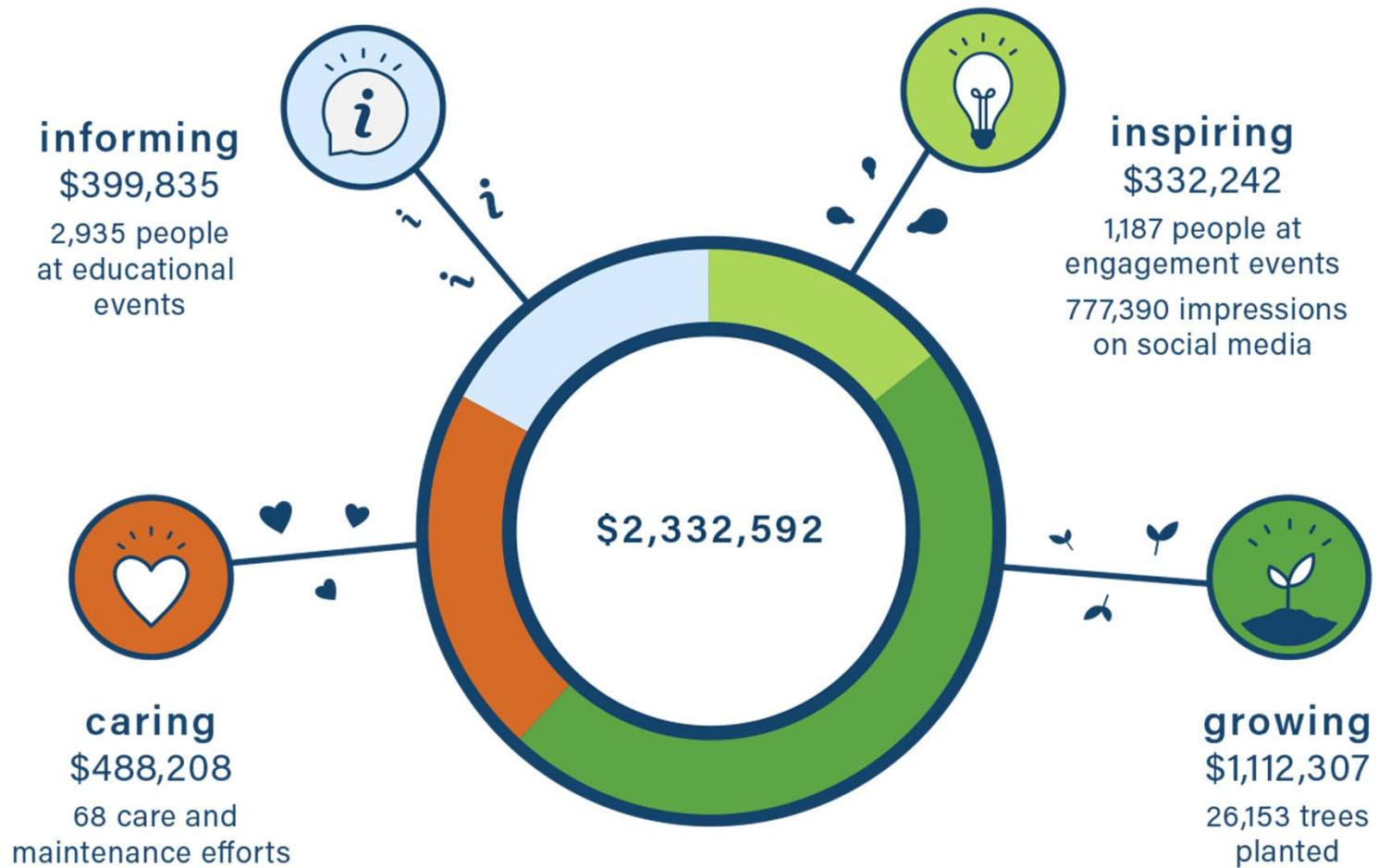
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Climate Change

Climate Change Adaptation in Austin's Community Forest and Natural Areas

- Workshop in November
- Vulnerability assessment and adaptation strategies
- <https://forestadaptation.org/Aus>

Community Tree Report



www.bitly.com/treerep

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