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Our Trees.
Our Communities.
Our Future.



PLANT TREES FOR COMMUNITIES: *A tree for every Chicago Region community in 2021*

The Chicago Region Trees Initiative has launched a Plant Trees for Communities initiative with the aim to plant at least one tree in each community in the seven-county Chicago Region, and each of the 50 Chicago wards (approx. 350 trees) in 2021. The Chicago Region Trees Initiative recognizes the current challenges that we all face and wants to help communities look to a brighter future with the planting of a tree — a tangible symbol of hope for a stronger, healthier, and more equitable future.

- **Planting Friends Level:** \$10 to \$299 - Contributors will be listed as Planting Friends on the CRTI website acknowledging their contribution.
- **Planting Neighbors Level:** \$300 - Contributors will be listed as Planting Neighbors on the CRTI planting webpage for the purchase of one tree
- **Planting Family Level:** \$3,000 - Contributors will be listed as part of the Planting Family on the CRTI planting webpage for the purchase of 10 trees
- **Planting Stewards Level:** \$12,000 - Contributors will be listed as Planting Stewards on the CRTI planting webpage and map for the purchase of 40 trees; their name and/or logo will appear on back of a commemorative tree tag (if received by August 1, 2021 for the Fall planting season).
- **Planting Partner Level:** \$24,000 - Contributors will be listed as Planting Partners on the CRTI planting webpage and map for the purchase of 80 trees; their name and/or logo will appear on the front of a commemorative tree tag (if received by August 1, 2021 for the Fall planting season); included in CRTI PR information; and provided with a sample press release for their use. Will also include one social media post acknowledging the contribution.
- **Planting Champion Level:** \$24,300 and up - The number of trees to be purchased and planted will be the amount of the gift divided by \$300. In addition to the acknowledgements listed above, funder will be recognized as Planting Champion on the planting webpage/map; included in CRTI PR info; and provided with a sample press release for their use. Recognition at this level will be collaboratively designed with the funder, and can include region-wide recognition on campaign tree tags (if received by August 1, 2021 for the Fall planting season), social media exposure, employee engagement opportunities, and more!

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