

SUMMIT SHADE TREE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

VOLUNTEER

OPPORTUNITIES

If you love working outside, care about Summit's beautiful tree canopy and have time to donate, consider volunteering with the Summit Shade Tree Advisory Committee. Hours are scalable based on your availability.

To learn more, or to sign up, contact John Kilby at johnwkilby@gmail.com.

OPENINGS

LANDMARK TREE INVENTORY

Help us update our inventory of Landmark trees around town. The Summit Landmark Tree Program aims to acknowledge, celebrate, and protect trees in our city that have environmental, cultural, historical, botanical, or other significance.

SUCKER PRUNING PROGRAM

Keep our city trees healthy by helping us prune suckers from trees selected by the City Forester. We will teach you how.

Suckers are clumps of young stems sprouting from the base or trunk of a tree. They are called suckers, because they zap water and nutrients from the main tree and need to be removed.

"HELLO NEIGHBOR" NEW-TREE TAGGING

The planting of 1,000 new city trees in Summit is underway, about 250 per year. Help us welcome these city trees and involve residents in their care in two easy steps.

- Tie "Hello Neighbor" gift cards to new trees, introducing them to the neighborhoods. Trees are usually planted in the easement in front of private homes.
- Hang door tags on residents' front door handles. Door tags feature simple tree care instructions so families can help care for the trees.

