



Tree Fact Sheet

Economic Values

- Trees around the home landscape can help lower cooling costs in the summer and help protect against the cold winter winds.
- Trees provide food products, lumber products and paper products for everyday living.
- Trees enhance property values.
- Trees provide jobs and economic benefit to SC in the fields of nursery production, landscaping, forestry, and arboriculture.
- Trees are a renewable resource.

Environmental Values

- Trees filter noise and screen unsightly views.
- Trees prevent soil erosion and slow storm water runoff.
- Trees make your neighborhood beautiful.
- Trees provide habitat for many different kinds of birds and animals.
- Trees filter harmful dust, gas and pollutants from the air.
- Trees contribute to the social well-being of a community.
- Trees absorb harmful carbon dioxide and in turn provide us with oxygen to breathe.

People can't produce oxygen, Trees can.

People can't filter noise, Trees can.

People can't cool the globe, Trees can.

Trees can't protect themselves, People can.

Trees can't move for better living conditions, People can.

Trees can't prevent pollution, People can.