

ECONOMICS OF URBAN FORESTRY IN NEBRASKA

Trees have a tremendous impact on local economies and our quality-of-life.

Here's a peek at how urban trees in your state are contributing.



2,099 people are employed as a result of urban forestry activities in Nebraska.



Communities in Nebraska enrolled in Tree City USA® invested an average of **\$5.39 per**

resident for tree planting and care compared to \$3.00 per

resident in non-participating communities nationally.



Urban trees in the state contribute **\$145 million** in community-wide environmental benefits each year, such as carbon sequestration, air pollution removal, and avoided stormwater runoff.

The urban forestry sector in Nebraska has an annual sales and employment footprint

worth \$253 million.



Tree cover at private homes adds
\$25 million annually to property
values across Nebraska.





