DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT





Tree Canopy for Environmental Justice



Prince George's County Greening Our Urban Communities

 Goal: Increase tree canopy to reduce stormwater pollution, increase wildlife habitat and improve air quality and community health with emphasis on underserved

communities

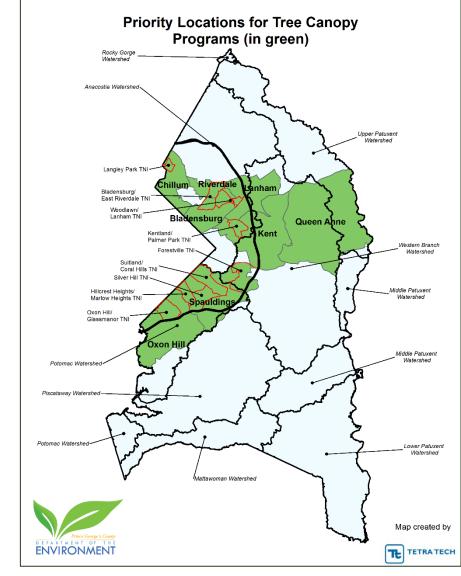






High Priority Locations

Highly impervious areas with high pollutant loads and low tree canopy coverage with emphasis on Transforming Neighborhood Initiative (TNI) areas and other underserved communities





Actions: Programs to Increase Canopy



The Prince George's County
Stormwater Stewardship grants
provide funds to increase tree
canopy on private property, in the
Transforming Neighborhood
Initiative (TNI) areas and other
underserved communities. Areas
with low tree canopy
are preferred.



Provides funds to increase the number of native trees planted on school property and education students on the importance of trees.



Actions: Programs to Increase Canopy



Offers incentives to homeowners, businesses and others to install approved stormwater practices that includes trees.



Provides funds to communities and local municipalities to plant native trees and shrubs in public and common areas to learn proper planting and care.





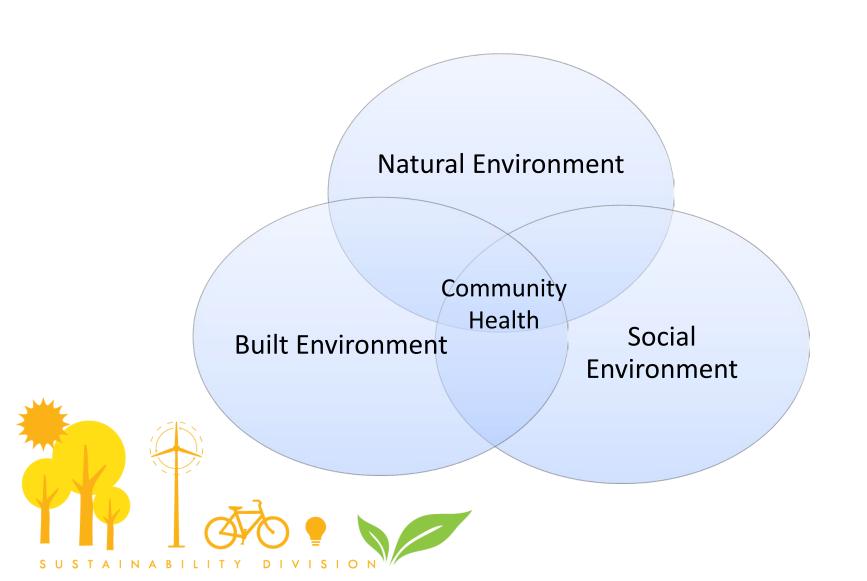
Environmental and Public Health

Data and Mapping





Community Health





Data and Mapping Tool

MD EJ Screen Tool

