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## It's been a busy summer!



## Check out a preview video of our teens' work

Our Teen Urban Tree Corps summer program has come to an end and we are very proud of everything that our teens have accomplished. EmVision captured some of their work. Watch <u>a preview</u> to learn about how teens supported Boston's urban forest through field trips, lessons, and, yes, even tree climbing!

Stay tuned for the full video in the coming weeks

City of Boston Tree Ordinance Hearing



We were thrilled to participate in Tuesday, August 24th City Council Committee to discuss protections for trees on Boston public and private land. The ordinance was introduced by Councilors Arroyo and Breadon. Lots of wonderful topics were discussed and we look forward to continued collaboration between advocates, the Council, and the Department of Parks and Recreation to shape an ordinance that will ensure a health urban forest for decades to come. You can watch the <u>testimony</u> here.



#### Tabling at Boston GreenFest

We had a great time tabling at this year's GreenFest. Special thanks to two of our teens from our TUTC program who came and tabled with us, they did a great job speaking for the trees with us!

#### Upcoming: Tabling at Patagonia Saturday 8/28 from 12-3PM

Haven't had a chance to meet us or our TUTC teens? Come meet us this Saturday from noon to 3pm at Patagonia's Boston location on Newbury Street. We would love to speak with you about the importance of Boston's urban forest and connect you to local resources to plant and care for trees.





# Service Days with First-Year Student Outreach Project

This week we're out in the field with First Year students from Boston University's First-Year Student Outreach Project. We got off to a great start on Wednesday, August 25. 14 students volunteered their time in Dorchester to clean tree pits, and to document, geotag, and place Adopt-A-Tree tags to recently planted, trees so local residents can sign up to care for them. Find your local tree in need of care at our <u>Adopt-A-Tree site</u>.

### Join us in growing Boston's urban forest



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