



Lions District 14-N Tree Planting Project



Introduction

The Lions Clubs International President, Wing-Kun Tam, has set one of his goals for the Lions year of 2011-2012 to plant one million trees.

In accordance with this goal, each Lions District has set their goal to plant a certain number of trees. Our District Governor, Dr. Don Gibala, has set our district's tree planting goal at fifteen hundred trees, or three hundred trees for each county (Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Clarion and Lawrence) in our District.

District Governor's Contest

Each club that takes part in the **tree planting project** will be eligible in the District Governor's Contest for 1500 points IF their county has planted a total of three hundred trees. A special recognition for those A, B and C clubs who plant the most trees will also be awarded for each county.

Suggestions On Where To Plant

Trees are to be planted on public land. Another possible place is land that a Lions Club either owns, leases or in some other

way has use of.

Public parks (either city, town, borough, county or state)

Replace trees along the street that have been planted by a borough, town or city along the street.

Plant a tree in a public place to honor a long time Lions club member.

Don't forget to get permission to plant the trees.

Other Considerations

Tree species that are native to our area actually do better and grow more reliably. Please do not plant invasive species, because they will take over and smother out our native trees. A list of both native and invasive species is included.

If you need more information or would like to have us come to your club to speak about this project, please contact us at 724-287-6899 or email us at deepfreeze109@gmail.com.

Environmental Committee

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