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Native Planting Ordinance Report

Fiscal Year 2022 (July 1st, 2021 – June 30th, 2022)

The following report is provided in accordance with Section 12-180 of the City of Somerville Native Planting Ordinance.

List of Property Areas in Which Plantings Occurred

Tree and other plantings were completed as part of DPW Grounds and OSPCD PSUF projects during FY2022.

Property Type	% Native Requirement	Property (-ies)	Types of New Plantings	Count	%Native	%Non- Native	Reasons for non-native
City Parks	75%	Central Hill*, Conway Park*, Nathan Tufts Park, Lincoln Park, Seven Hills Park, Perkins Park	Trees, shrubs, groundcover	1454	98.9%	1.1%	Memorialization, aesthetic, form, survivability





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Street Trees	50%	Citywide	Trees	407	50.6%	49.4%	Survivability
Streetscapes	50%	4 tree wells on Broadway	Perennials, grasses	773	100%	0%	N/A
Other City Property	50%	DPW Grounds, Healy School Yard*	Trees, shrubs, groundcover, grasses	188	88.8%	11.2%	Aesthetic, survivability

^{*}Included in report, but not technically subject to Native Planting Ordinance as project design was complete and/or the contract was bid and/or awarded prior to the Native Planting Ordinance Effective Date

