

GREENSPACE EQUITY PROGRAM



The Maryland Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is now accepting applications for the Greenspace Equity Program, which provides grant funding to land trusts, nongovernmental organizations, and local governments to acquire and develop public greenspaces in overburdened and underserved communities.

The goal of the program is to enhance the public health and livability of overburdened and underserved communities by implementing projects to preserve, create, and improve public greenspace in those communities.



More information is available on DNR's [Greenspace Equity Program](#) webpage, which includes the grant proposal guide, application and project agreement, and a link to the [MDEnviroScreen](#) tool, which maps the qualifying areas throughout the state.

Applications are due by 3 p.m. on Tuesday, September 1, 2026.

