



SHADE OUR STREET!

Arbor Day 2020 Contest

In honor of Texas Arbor Day, Simmons Oak Farms wants to help one lucky group of Harlingen neighbors shade your street! Nominate your street to receive a free oak tree for each participating home. #ShadeOurStreet #EmbraceYourSpace

How do I apply?

- Complete and return the application form by 5 pm on Friday, November 20, 2020.
- *The winning street will be announced on Wednesday, November 25th.*

What do we win?

- A 30 minute tree planting / tree care demo and info session.
- Each home on the winning street is eligible to receive a live oak tree that the homeowner will plant. The trees will have a 2" caliper and will be at least 10' tall.

If my street wins, how do I get my tree?

- At least one adult from the home needs to attend the 30 minute tree planting / tree care demonstration on your street at 9 a.m. on Saturday, December 5, 2020.
- Be prepared to plant and water your tree that weekend.

Why we started the Shade Our Street program:

- Increased shade on a street increases physical activity and health of the residents.
- Trees improve your property value.
- Trees attract birds and wildlife.
- Properly placed trees shade your house and reduce your electric bills.
- Shaded pavement makes asphalt last longer . . . no potholes!
- Trees increase a person's sense of well-being and happiness.
- Planting trees together will help you get to know your neighbors and build community.



SHADE OUR STREET 2020 APPLICATION

NAME _____ EMAIL _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

_____ Harlingen, Texas _____ HOW MANY HOUSES ARE ON YOUR STREET? _____

BELOW OR ON A SEPARATE PAGE, TELL US WHY YOUR STREET WANTS TO PLANT SHADE TREES:

If my application is chosen, I agree to host the tree planting demonstration in my yard on Saturday, December 5th, 2020 at 9 am. Simmons Oak Farms will plan and give the demo, which includes planting one tree in my yard. Every street resident who attends the demo, will be given a tree to plant in their yard. All in attendance are required to wear a mask.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE _____

SIGNATURES OF SUPPORTING NEIGHBORS:

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Application Deadline is 5 pm Friday, November 20, 2020.
Application should be emailed to Audrey@SimmonsOakFarms.com