

Why I Plant Trees

*"I plant trees
because it's
rewarding to have
an immediate
impact on our
environment.
It's not abstract.
It's meaningful,
direct action!"*

Liz Tilbury-Marquard

*Friends of Trees
Board Member,
Businesswoman
& Mother*

Each year Portland's trees keep half a billion gallons of rain water from making combined sewer overflows into our rivers and remove millions of pounds of pollutants from our air. Our volunteers plant thousands of trees every year to make this possible.

Since Friends of Trees was founded in 1989, Portland's tree cover has grown while a dozen other major U.S. cities lost one-fourth of their tree cover.

We need your help. Friends of Trees is only successful because of our volunteers and supporters.

Join us!

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*Growing Healthy
Communities*