



# GREEN NEIGHBORHOODS GRANT

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## Grant Program Goals

Educate and empower neighborhoods to address climate change

Build neighborhood capacity to engage in climate action

Develop and enhance community and Town partnerships

Leverage Town and neighborhood involvement and resources

Distribute resources to low-income and communities of color who are disproportionately affected by climate change



# Comprehensive Plan

## Climate Action & Environment

Expand equitable and inclusive community participation in the decision-making and implementation of climate change goals and policies.

## Public Services & Communications

Develop a ... Green Neighborhoods participatory budgeting program, especially in underserved neighborhoods



# Community Climate Action Plan

## Community Integration

- Create Grassroots Partnerships to Engage Community
- Expand Capacity to Pursue Community Sustainability Initiatives
- Create participatory green neighborhood budgeting program to reduce carbon emissions, build community, save money and reallocate savings to new green project initiatives



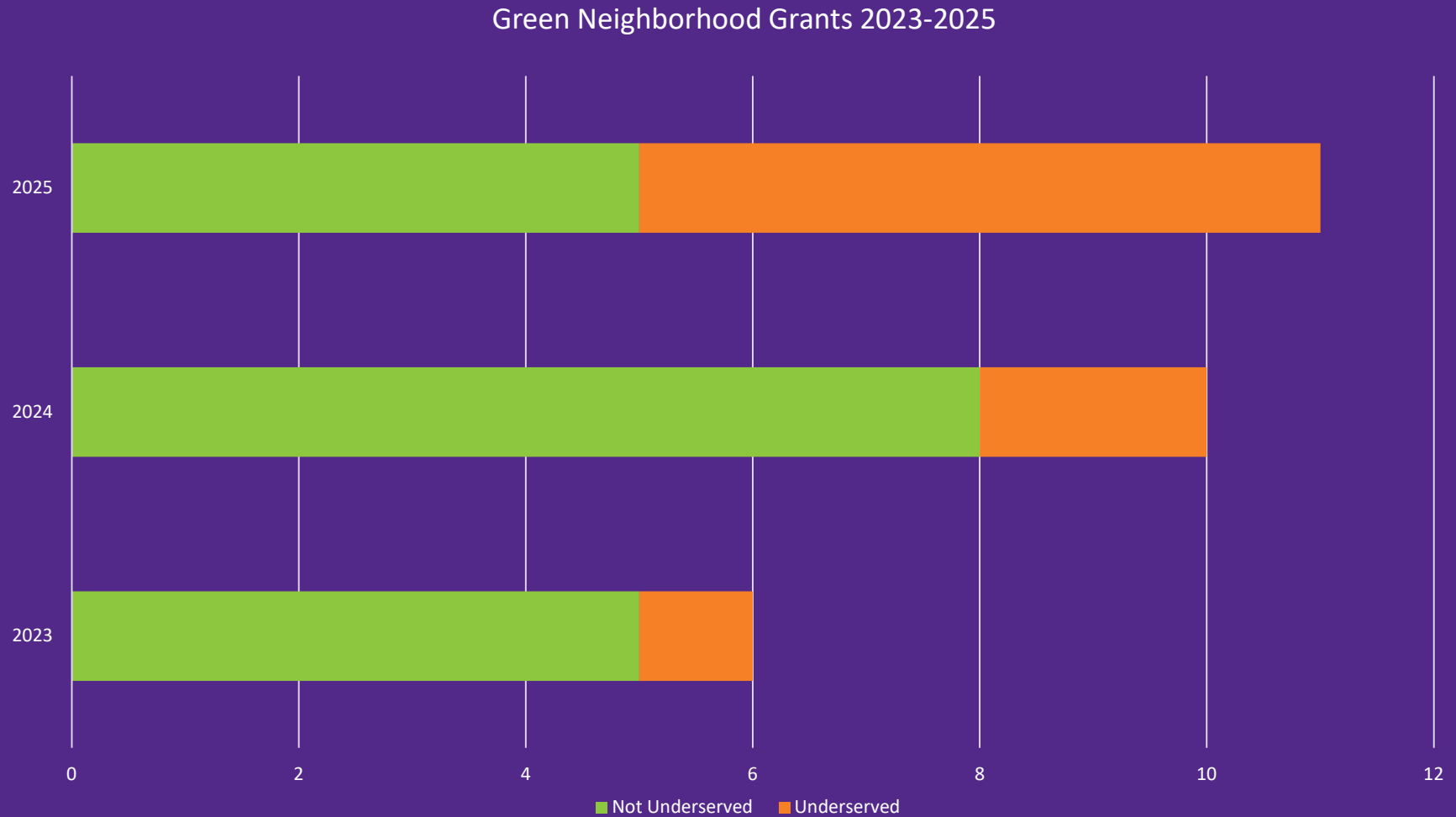




## Embracing Equity

- Racial Equity and Environmental Justice
- Project Impact
- Project Planning and Design
- Neighborhood Participation and Support
- Project Engagement
- Finances
- First-time Applicant

# Keeping it REAL





# Environmental Justice



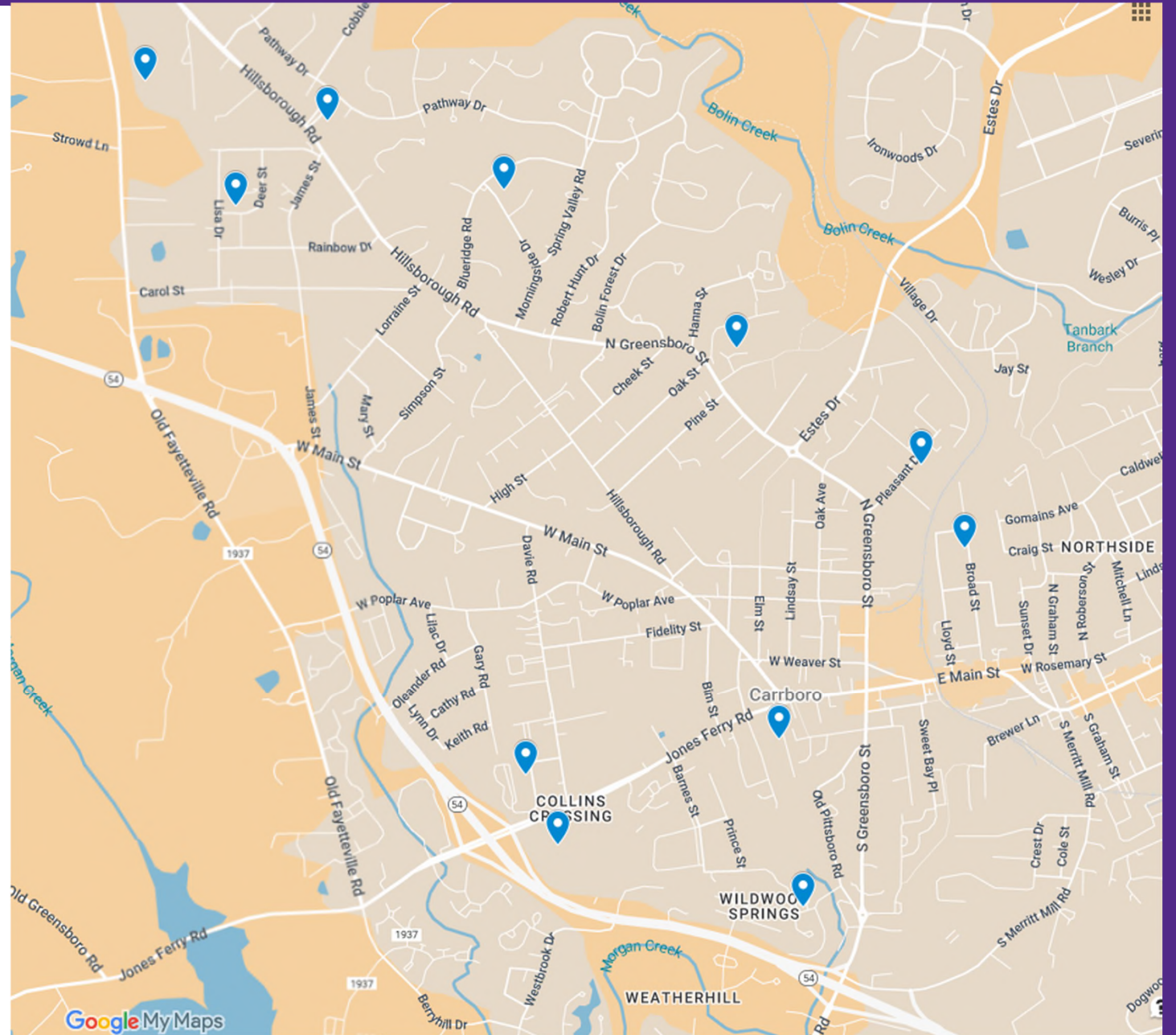


# FY 25 Projects

### 3 Tree Planting Areas

### 3 Community Gardens

## 5 Compost Drop-off Stations





# Impact Snapshot





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# Questions?

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