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Vienna to Mark Arbor Day with Tree Plantings

This year's Arbor Day festivities span two days in the Town of Vienna. On Friday, April 25 at 5 p.m., join local dignitaries, scouts and parks and recreation staff for the commemorative ceremony at Moorefield Park (also known as Vienna's dog park), located at 700 Courthouse Rd., Vienna. Attendees will help plant multiple trees.

Then, the public is invited to volunteer to help plant lots of native trees and shrubs at the park the following day, Saturday, April 26 at 9 a.m. The new plant installation will be the next generation of forest and will support efforts to maintain the Town's tree canopy within Moorefield Park. To volunteer at this community tree planting, contact Jeremy Edwards at Jeremy.Edwards@viennava.gov. Public parking for this event will be available at Nottoway Park, adjacent to Moorefield Park.

The Town of Vienna has been designated a "Tree City USA" by the Arbor Day Foundation since 2001. The honor is bestowed on communities that meet the Foundations criteria including maintaining a tree board or department, having a community tree care ordinance, spending at least \$2 per capita on urban forestry, and celebrating Arbor Day.

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