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# Keep Virginia Beautiful Announces the 2019 "30 in 30 Green Grants" Awards

*Richmond, Virginia* - To honor our commitment to the Commonwealth, Keep Virginia Beautiful (KVB) funded thirty grant recipients, one each day in the month of June, for its "30 in 30 Green Grants" program. These grants were given to schools, parks, counties and towns, environmental groups, associations, and Keep America Beautiful affiliates in four different categories: Community Beautification, Cigarette Litter Prevention, Litter Prevention, and Recycling. Since 2011, Keep Virginia Beautiful has provided \$230,000 for 290 different projects throughout the state. We are grateful for the generosity this year of our partner Altria, as well as additional support from Keep America Beautiful and Coca-Cola.

The mission at Keep Virginia Beautiful is to engage and unite Virginians to improve our natural and scenic environment through five impact areas: Litter Prevention, Waste Reduction, Recycling, Beautification, and Environmental Education.

Please see each of the winners below with links to their project description. For more information on KVB and how you can help make a difference, please visit [KVB's website](#).





The 2019 30 in 30 Green Grants Awards go to:

Organization Name	Category	Amount	City
<a href="#">Keep Manassas Beautiful</a>	Cigarette Litter Prevention	\$1,000	Manassas
<a href="#">Harmony Hall Farm HOA</a>	Litter Prevention	\$ 750	Wicomico Church
<a href="#">Deep Creek Middle School</a>	Litter Prevention	\$1,000	Chesapeake
<a href="#">Real Chances, Inc.</a>	Community Beautification	\$1,000	Richmond
<a href="#">Rappahannock Group Sierra Club</a>	Litter Prevention	\$1,000	Fredericksburg
<a href="#">Friends of Norfolk's Environment</a>	Community Beautification	\$1,000	Norfolk
<a href="#">Frederick County Recycling</a>	Recycling	\$ 750	Winchester
<a href="#">Virginia State University</a>	Cigarette Litter Prevention	\$1,000	Petersburg
<a href="#">Sacred Heart Center</a>	Community Beautification	\$1,000	Richmond
<a href="#">Virginia Capital Trail Foundation</a>	Litter Prevention	\$ 750	Richmond
<a href="#">Pennington Partners</a>	Cigarette Litter Prevention	\$1,000	Pennington Gap
<a href="#">Friends of Twin Lakes State Park</a>	Recycling	\$1,000	Green Bay
<a href="#">Belvedere Elementary School</a>	Community Beautification	\$ 750	Falls Church
<a href="#">City of Waynesboro Stormwater Program</a>	Cigarette Litter Prevention	\$ 500	Waynesboro
<a href="#">Cove Ridge Foundation</a>	Recycling	\$1,000	Duffield
<a href="#">Rappahannock County Recreational Facilities</a>	Community Beautification	\$1,000	Washington
<a href="#">Hanover Arts and Activities Center</a>	Community Beautification	\$1,000	Ashland
<a href="#">Friends of Peak Creek, Inc.</a>	Cigarette Litter Prevention	\$ 500	Pulaski
<a href="#">Albemarle County Public Schools</a>	Recycling	\$1,000	Charlottesville
<a href="#">Virginia Beach Volunteer Rescue Squad</a>	Community Beautification	\$1,000	Virginia Beach
<a href="#">Town of Hillsville, Virginia</a>	Recycling	\$1,000	Hillsville
<a href="#">Clean Valley Council</a>	Cigarette Litter Prevention	\$1,000	Roanoke
<a href="#">Virginia Zoological Society</a>	Recycling	\$1,000	Norfolk
<a href="#">Va. Dept. of Environmental Quality - NOVA</a>	Cigarette Litter Prevention	\$ 500	Woodbridge
<a href="#">Seeds of Change Organization</a>	Litter Prevention	\$ 500	Richmond
<a href="#">Dickenson County Chamber/Visitor Center</a>	Community Beautification	\$1,000	Clintwood
<a href="#">Isle of Wight County</a>	Litter Prevention	\$1,000	Isle of Wight
<a href="#">Keep Virginia Cozy, Inc.</a>	Recycling	\$ 750	Richmond
<a href="#">Clean Fairfax</a>	Recycling	\$1,000	Fairfax
<a href="#">Soil Cycles HVA</a>	Recycling	\$1,000	Harrisonburg