## CITY OF HYATTSVILLE

## PROCLAMATION

DECLARING APRIL 25, 2025, TO BE ARBOR DAY IN THE CITY OF HYATTSVILLE

Arbor Day is an opportunity to recognize and celebrate the important roles that trees play in enhancing community health and keeping the City of Hyattsville beautiful and environmentally sustainable.

**WHEREAS**, Arbor Day is dedicated to the planting of trees in our community, in order to support our environment and strengthen our community's quality of life; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hyattsville has a long-standing commitment to preserving and enhancing our urban forest and has been recognized as a Tree City USA by the Arbor Day Foundation for more than 30 years; and

**WHEREAS,** the City takes pride in being environmentally sustainable, in numerous practices and processes with the support of the City Arborist, Department of Public Works and the Hyattsville Shade Tree board; and

**WHEREAS,** this year the City will celebrate Arbor Day by planting trees with volunteers on April 19, 2025, beginning at 8:30 am at University Hills Duck Pond; and

**WHEREAS,** all residents, businesses, and community groups are encouraged to participate in Arbor Day celebrations and events, including tree plantings, educational programs, and volunteer opportunities, to help promote a healthy and sustainable urban tree canopy in our city;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Mayor and Council of the City of Hyattsville proclaim Friday, April 25, 2025, to be Arbor Day, a day dedicated to celebrating the trees that make our city both beautiful and sustainable.



**Robert Croslin** *Mayor, City of Hyattsville* 

April 07, 2025