March 2020

THORPE ST. ANDREWS TOWN COUNCIL, NORFOLK

Thorpe St. Andrews Town Council, throughout 2019, has planted roughly 900 trees.

In March 2019, Thorpe St. Andrews Town Council planted 420 trees alongside their Parks and Estates Team and Broads National Park. Councillors worked alongside the Lime Tree Day Nursery to plant trees with nursery children.

Additionally, in November 2019, Thorpe St. Andrews Town Council ordered 400 trees to plant in Fitzmaurice Park.

The Town Council Parks and Estates team also maintains Sir George Morse Park, Fitzmaurice Park, Tree Plantation and River Green open spaces and River Green hanging baskets.

New trees can enhance streets, private gardens, hospitals and schools, in both rural and urban settings. Councils are perfectly placed to set up community orchards and work with local schools to get children involved in planting activities. This comes under the principle for ‘planting for the future’.

Has you council done something similar? If so please get in contact with NALC by emailing Claire Goldfinch. Claire.goldfinch@nalc.gov.uk

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