

# Birmingham TreePeople

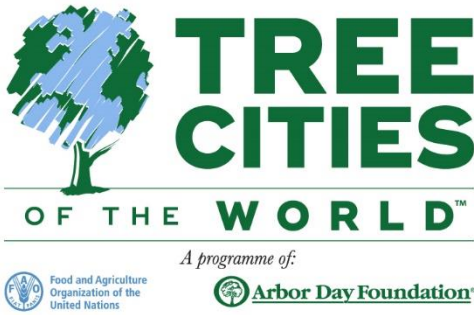
## The Droplet

### Tree Cities of the World

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Did you know we were a Tree City?

We will be hosting the Tree Cities Conference 2024 with Trees for Cities!



Birmingham TreePeople approached the City of Birmingham to [apply](#) to become a part of the [Tree Cities](#) in 2019. The Trustees were aware that our city exceeded the 5 separate criteria standards to successfully achieve it. We were incredibly proud, and still are, to receive this honour.

Mantova Green Cities Challenge, issued by world leaders during the [2018 World Forum on Urban Forests](#), included the Tree Cities of the World programme. This will connect cities worldwide, sharing our hard work, using other successful approaches to managing urban forests. This will continue to improve through the global network of arboriculture and forestry professionals.

The [Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations](#) and the [Arbor Day Foundation](#) have developed this programme to celebrate greener cities and towns worldwide. To spread

Tree Cities across the globe, they collaborate with similar organisations to provide support to community leaders.

“Urban forests help define a sense of place and well-being where people live, work, play, and learn. The Tree Cities of the World programme is an international effort to recognize cities and towns committed to ensuring that their urban forests and trees are properly maintained, sustainably managed, and duly celebrated.” - Arbor Day Foundation.

The City of Birmingham with Birmingham TreePeople will be hosting the next [Tree Cities](#) conference of 2024, alongside [Trees for Cities](#) (after our successful planting collaboration), and will be taking place Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2024.

This is a great opportunity for the TreePeople to show, not only the rest of the city, but the other Tree Cities of the world, that what we are doing in Birmingham is leading urban forestry with one of the best volunteer networks in the country. We are looking forward to it already!

12/07/19 | Trees for Cities, Birmingham Trees for Life and Arbor Day Foundation President Dan Lambe met with BTP, to discuss Tree Cities of the World. Thank you to Cabinet Members Waseem Zaffar and John O'Shea for their support.



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