

Join Us Today!



Student Interns prepare tree seedlings for giveaway.

Member & Sponsor Benefits

Council members receive invitations and discounts for Council events and restoration projects, and receive our newsletter and other important environmental updates.

We invite your organization to become an affiliate member. Your organization will be featured on our website and you'll receive discounts on events and other great benefits.

We also offer business partners great promotional opportunities through sponsorship of our annual Summit for a Sustainable TN, Green Tie Affair and other events.

Volunteer

Contribute your time and your talents to the Council. You'll find opportunities every day and for every interest, from legislative work to monthly stream restoration projects to helping out at our many workshops and events.

Contact us at tec@tectn.org for details

Tennessee Environmental Council is a 501(c) 3 organization and a proud member of Community Shares of Middle Tennessee



Join today at www.tectn.org or complete the following form to start receiving your benefits!

I pledge my support to the important work of Tennessee Environmental Council by making this tax-deductible contribution.

- \$25 student
 - \$50 individual
 - \$75 family
 - \$100 organization
 - \$250 protector
 - \$500 steward
 - \$1,000 guardian
 - Other \$ _____
- Please add a \$3 per tree contribution to TN Tree Project totaling: \$ _____

Payment Type: Check VISA MasterCard Discover Card # _____ Expiration: _____

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Member Name (print): _____ Organization: _____

(Include organization name if this is an AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP for your organization)

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TENNESSEE ENVIRONMENTAL COUNCIL

Educating and advocating for the conservation and improvement of Tennessee's environment, communities and public health.

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What we do...

Since 1970 the Tennessee Environmental Council has been working to protect public health, Tennessee communities, and the environment. The Council serves as a statewide focal point for the environmental efforts of numerous organizations and individuals. The Council is actively restoring stream banks, planting trees, conducting community education and outreach, advocating for statewide policy changes to promote a sustainable Tennessee, and supporting many other activities through our five-Core programs.



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Watershed Support

Working with local communities to educate, conserve and restore watersheds, including healthy urban forests for people, plants and animals.

- Provided communities with watershed tools necessary to conserve and restore local watershed health.
- Trained teachers and students on watershed assessments and engagement in civic action for watershed protection.
- Worked with multiple communities on watershed assessments and restoration activities.

Wildlife Habitat Conservation and Restoration

Conserving and restoring green Infrastructure, including healthy forests, wetlands, riparian habitats, and other biologically diverse ecosystems for wildlife, human recreation and contributions to clean air and water.

- Planted over 5,000 tree seedlings in streamside zones.
- Advocated for community and urban forestry practices to conserve wildlife habitat.

Environmental Legacy

Advocating for an economically and environmentally viable Tennessee by promoting an economy based on energy conservation, efficiency and renewable resources.

- Worked to stop dumping of low level nuclear waste in municipal landfills.
- Fought the use of older, polluting diesel busses for our schoolchildren.
- Discouraged the use of open burning to clear land for development.

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Healthy Communities

Promoting communities that recognize and integrate the inherent spiritual, emotional, mental, and physical human values in the conservation of natural resources.

- Planted over 6,000 trees as part of our Tennessee Tree Project.
- Worked on the Solid Waste Task Force to promote waste reduction, reuse and recycling.
- Worked to eliminate recycling credit for construction and demolition landfills.

Sustainable Tennessee

A conservation community that works collaboratively to create a Sustainable Tennessee by advocating for viable conservation policy and practice.

- Developed Statewide Sustainability Agenda with over 200 individuals and 130 different organizations and businesses.
- Hosted annual Summit for a Sustainable Tennessee.
- Hosted annual Conservation Education Day at Tennessee Legislature.