

GreenGrace Chattanooga Environmental Action Grounds Resources

Environmental Groups & Organizations. Join the team: pick, support, fund!

- **Audubon Acres, Chattanooga Audubon.** Three local preserves, classes, open space. <http://www.chattanoogaaudubon.org/audubon-acres.html>
- **Chattanooga Area Pollinator Partnership**, a project of the Tennessee Valley Chapter of Wild Ones to implement pollinator gardens throughout Chattanooga, offering grants to schools and community centers. <https://chapollinator.org>
- **Chattanooga Zoo**, has various, species- specific conservation programs for local fauna and habitat. <https://chattzoo.org/>
- **Cherokee Chapter, Tennessee Sierra Club.** State website at <https://www.sierra-club.org/tennessee>. Local chapter outings events updated on Facebook Page, and local chapter website at <https://www.sierraclub.org/tennessee/cherokee>. Meets monthly.
- **Cumberland Trail Conference.** <https://www.cumberlandtrail.org/>
- **The H2O Life**, Hiking Healing (H2) and Outdoors (O) provides guidance and resources to facilitate natural and spiritual healing in the outdoors. In addition, we offer a safe space for black women to grow personally as they seek to find a sense of self. Facebook page, <https://m.facebook.com/TheH2OLifeLLC/>
- **HomeGrown National Park**, a grassroots call to action to regenerate biodiversity, <https://homegrownnationalpark.org>
- **Interfaith Power & Light, Tennessee** and Local chapters. <https://www.tenni-pl.org/>
- **Lookout Mountain Conservancy.** ...protect Lookout Mountain's scenic, historic and ecological resources through conservation, advocacy, recreation and education, for current and future generations. https://lookoutmountainconservancy.org/about/
- **Lula Lake Land Conservancy**....Dedicated to the preservation of lands located within the Rock Creek watershed on Lookout Mountain... to preserve the natural and historic landscapes surrounding Rock Creek and its tributaries through conservation, education, and low-impact recreation. <https://www.lulalake.org/>
- **North Chickamauga Creek Conservancy.** Focused on preserving this local stream corridor. <https://www.northchick.org/>
- **South Chickamauga Greenway Alliance.** Umbrella group for concerned citizens, meets/zooms monthly at noon, 4th Wednesday. Facebook community page at

<https://www.facebook.com/South-Chickamauga-Creek-Greenway-Alliance-199583046728764>

- **Southeast Grasslands Initiative.** “Dedicated to rebuilding the lost grasslands of the South. <https://www.segrasslands.org/>
- **TrailblazUs Outdoors,** Dedicated to creating an inclusive community for the people and the outdoors. <https://www.trailblazusoutdoors.com>
- **Tennessee River Gorge Trust.** Protecting the Tennessee River Gorge since 1981. <https://www.trgt.org/>
- **Tennessee Aquarium** has various, species- specific conservation programs for local fauna and habitat. <https://tnaqua.org/>
- **Tennessee Ornithological Society.** There is a Chattanooga Chapter. <http://chattanoogaos.org/>
- **Tri-State Bluebird Society,** a chapter of the Tennessee Bluebird Society. Build and monitor cavity nesting bird nest systems; document for citizen science. FB only at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/142403114502463>.
- **Reflection Riding,** Chattanooga. Land preserve, native plant nursery, Species Survival Plan participant for the endangered red wolf. <https://reflectionriding.org/>
- **Wild Trails.** Promotes, builds, cleans local trails for all types of users. This includes local streams and blueways. <https://wildtrails.org>
- **Waterways.** Advocates for major local watersheds feeding the Tennessee River. Operates a like mission in the Caribbean. <https://mywaterways.org/>
- **Wild Ones, Tennessee Valley Chapter,** Native Plants, Natural Landscapes. Saving the Earth one yard at a time. Free public programs all year long. <https://tnvalley-wildones.org/>

Other trail and park support organizations are generally listed by name of the park, usually Friends of [park name]

General gardening: Hamilton County Master Gardeners. Hands- on, many classes. <https://mghc.org/>

There are so many organizations that care for our small place on the planet in different ways! We do our best to list them here, if you would like to add an organization, please email greenpacechattanooga@gmail.com.

State:

- **Land Trust for Tennessee.** State wide land trust. <https://www.landtrusttn.org/>
- **Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Tennessee,** <https://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/site/tn/home/>
- **Tennessee Citizens for Wilderness Planning,** Taking care of wild places. <https://tcwp.org/>
- **Tennessee Environmental Council** (Nashville HQ). <https://www.tectn.org/>
- **Tennessee Scenic Rivers Association,** <https://paddletsra.org>
- **Tennessee Wildlife Federation** (Nashville). <https://tnwf.org/>
- **Trust for Public Land** (we have a regional office working from our immediate area). <https://www.tpl.org/our-work/tennessee>
- **Tennessee Chapter of the Nature Conservancy,** state land trust. <https://www.nature.org/en-us/about-us/where-we-work/united-states/tennessee/>
- **TennGreen,** State wide land trust. <https://tenngreen.org/>
- **Tennessee Urban Forestry Council,** promoting healthy urban trees and forests. <https://tufc.com/>