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## West Kessler Neighborhood Association is Giving Away Free Trees for Earth Day

Neighborhood Association Creates: West Kessler Native Arbor Initiative

**Oak Cliff, TX**: West Kessler Neighborhood Association, in cooperation with UNT and the Lewisville Aquatic Ecosystem Research Facility (LAER), has created the West Kessler Native Arbor Initiative (WKNAI) to make neighborhoods, surrounding West Kessler, more attractive, healthy places to live; particularly in areas where there is little greenery. As part of the Earth Day celebrations, WKNAI would like to give away free native trees to surrounding Oak Cliff neighbors.

Grown from seeds collected from the Great Trinity Forest, the trees have been nurtured the last 3 years by research biologist at the LAER facility as part of a comprehensive restorative propagation strategy for the Great Trinity Forest.

These Bur Oaks, Black Hickory, Shumard Red Oaks, and Red Mulberry are all native species that can thrive in our local soils and climate.

Supplies are limited but if you would like a free tree and help to plant it, or for more information contact the West Kessler Native Arbor Initiative.

**About West Kessler Neighborhood Association:** WKNA is a non-profit charitable organization dedicated to improving and enhancing the quality of life within the community by promoting neighborhood goodwill, safety, beautification, pride, and volunteerism, as well as advocating on behalf of our community on government-related services and issues. The neighborhood of West Kessler is made up of 163 homes bounded by Hampton Rd to the west, Davis to the south, N. Oak Cliff Blvd to the east and Stevens Park Golf Course to the North.