

## PRCS Horticulture Department



# Springs in Bloom! Annual Flower Program



- 40+ Volunteer Groups City wide!
- Program engages: Businesses, Non profits, Neighborhoods, Gardening Clubs, Families and Service Organizations.
- 65,000 annual flowers grown by seed every year.
- Pesticide free!

# NEW! Native and Perennial Propagation



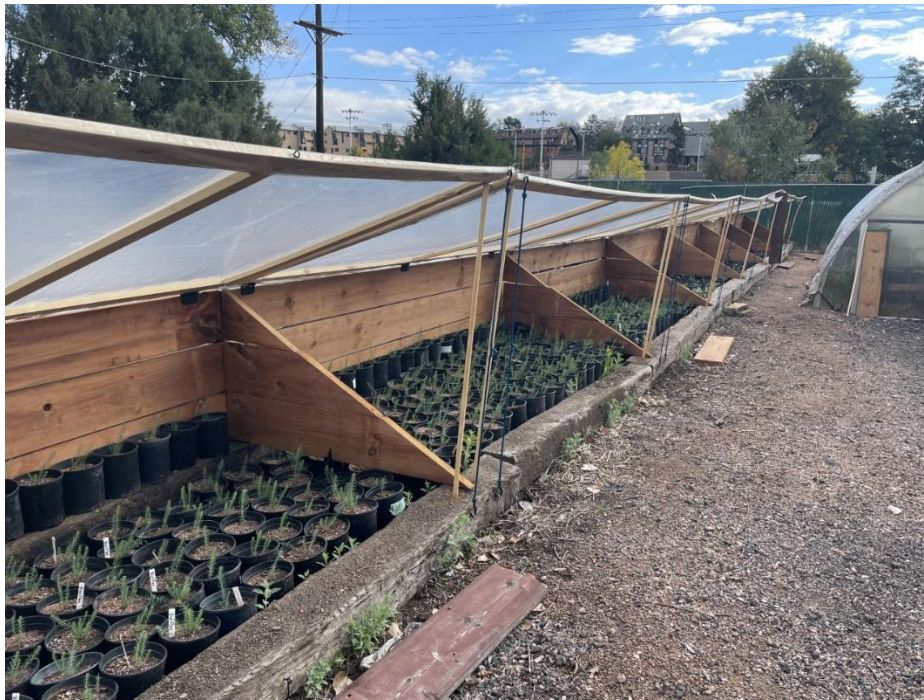
- 4,440 Trees, Shrubs, Grasses and Flowers grown by seed or cutting, estimated value of \$61,000!
- Growing in Road base.
- Plant material will be planted in SIB beds, City buildings, medians, parks, trails and open spaces.
- Water conscious effort that creates habitat for pollinators and resilient landscapes Citywide.
- Gaining Statewide Attention from Denver to Durango.
- Revegetation of Shadow lake in MVP.

# Vast Collaboration Efforts



- Internal Collaboration with: Anna Cordova, Public Works, PPAM, Forestry, TOPS, Admin Staff, Garden of the Gods, TOPS rangers, North and South Parks, Downtown Partnership, SIMD, Design and Development, Office of Sustainability and Community Centers.
- External Collaboration with: CoNPS, RMFI, UCCS, CC, PPSC, Ute Mountain Ute, Southern Ute, Intertribal Council, HAS, Denver Hort, City of Crested Butte, City of Durango, CNGA, CSU, CDOT, Front Range Wild Ones, Cheyenne Mountain Zoo, COSA, KCSB, Aiken Audubon, D11, Kangaroo Coffee and more!





- Making use of all available space while we recover from historic greenhouse fire with cold frame boxes.
- Composting all waste and using the compost instead of bagged, peat based soils. Free deliveries of Kangaroo Coffee's grounds as Nitrogen source.

