Justice in the Trees

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QUEENS

Wanda World















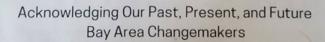




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LOCAL HEROES

BLACK HISTORY MONTH 2023



Wanda Stewart

Wanda Stewart, affectionately known as Mama Wanda, is a community organizer and activist who founded Common Vision, a non-profit organization that focuses on environmental justice and sustainable food systems.

Mama Wanda was born and raised in a low-income, African American



community and saw first-hand the negative effects of environmental pollution and lack of access to healthy food. She became an advocate for her community, working to improve living conditions and create a more just and equitable society. Mama Wanda's work with Common Vision includes organizing community gardens, educating youth on sustainable agriculture, and fighting against toxic waste disposal in neighborhoods. She is a powerful and inspiring leader who works tirelessly to create a better future for her community and future generations. Check out her series of videos on YouTube called MamaWanda's Garden School. And look for her around our school helping us plant trees!



"Our thoughts are the roots"





JOSEPHINE SUNSHINE **OVERAKER**

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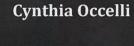


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Radical Ideas... in action

For a seed to achieve its greatest expression, it must come completely undone. The shell cracks, its insides come out and everything changes. To someone who doesn't understand growth, it would look like complete destruction.















CV: The way forward...together



Leaders







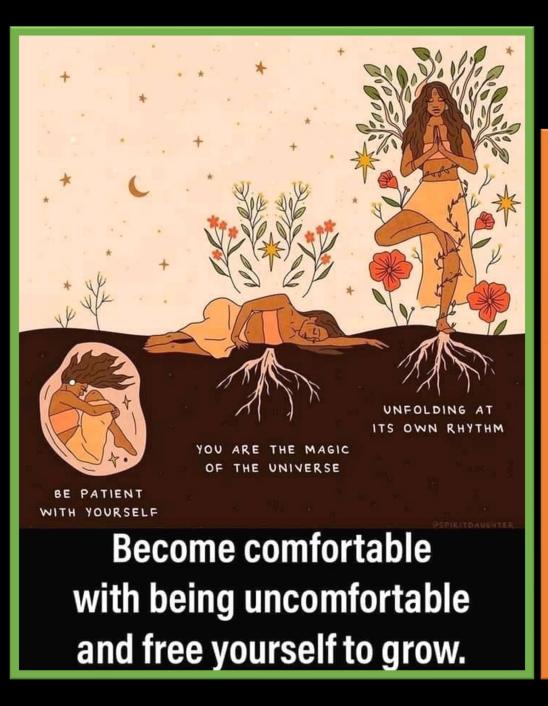








Getting it done on the ground



Heroes

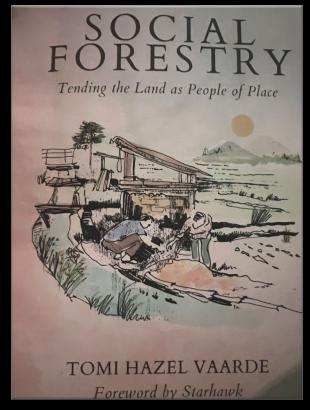








#1 – "Working together brings good fortune."



#18 – "We are surrounded by dynamic natural dramas. The clown is following you. Learn to follow suggestions. Avoid temptation and know the difference between sympathy, empathy, and compassion."

#6 – "There is honor for everyone: All sorts of Humans have skills and propensities that are useful to the common effort. Every gift from the land is appreciated and celebrated."



Tree Corps: A Youth Movement







"Planting trees is the new hustle!"



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Manure helps a garden grow. Think of yourself as a garden, ever changing. All the shit in your life serves your growth and helps transform you into something strong, and resilient, and beautiful. Even delicious.

Scott Stabile