



American Forests

GROW WITH QTS



1 tree donated



for every **100 kW** that is contracted, not used



each month



per customer

We believe that how we deliver our services is just as important as what is delivered. This means caring for and improving the lives of current and future employees, customers, investors and community members, and taking equal care of the environment and natural resources we all share. This helps us realize our vision of enhancing the care and improvement of human life and minimizing our carbon footprint through technology and manpower. This commitment to the future and prosperity of our communities and the environment has led QTS to partner with American Forests, a world leader in restoring forests for over 140 years. On an annual basis through at least 2022, QTS has committed to **donate a minimum of 14,400 trees** to help restore threatened forest ecosystems and inspire others to value and protect urban and wildland forests.

Why did we choose American Forests?

American Forests is unique in the recognition that its programs are thoughtfully developed so as not to be confused with greenwashing or simple offsets. American Forests' planting programs take the long view ensuring the care required for seedlings and strategic site selections that ensure the greatest ecological benefits. Today, American Forests' primary campaigns are Tree-Planting for Environmental Restoration and Reversing the National Urban Tree Deficit, which encourage improvement of rural, suburban, and urban ecosystems by planting and caring for trees that provide important environmental and economic benefits including pure water, clean air, and wildlife habitat. For more information on American Forests, their conservation efforts and how to get involved further, visit www.americanforests.org.

GROW WITH QTS

¼ Ton of CO₂ saved per tree

14,400 min trees/year

Covers all current and new QTS Customers

ACROSS AMERICA:

- Founded 1875
- 60 Million trees planted in forest restoration projects (since 1990)
- Projects located in 50 states