

Marshall County Courthouse Hosta Garden

Master Gardener volunteers come together each spring and the fall at the Marshall County Courthouse to assist with maintenance of the gardens and hosta beds located on the grounds. In November of 2019, volunteers implemented Phase I of an additional landscaping project. Hosta beds at the courthouse had become overgrown and needed a “facelift”. Volunteers removed weeds, thinned overgrown areas, tilled the soil and spread grass seed. The remaining areas were cleaned up for the fall. In the spring of 2020, volunteers will return in order to freshen up the beds with additional flowering perennials and through the division and removal of some of the larger hostas. These volunteers are dedicated to assisting with the bed upkeep at the courthouse each year.



Above left: Master Gardener Volunteers work on cleaning overgrown areas of the Courthouse beds in the Fall of 2019.

Above Right: Master Gardeners and community members assist with cleanup in the Fall of 2018.

Bottom left: The work crew of volunteers and Extension staff pose together following the Fall 2019 cleanup.