WHY CREATE A LOVE PROJECT?

Vacant, blighted land in neighborhoods is linked to a variety of issues. These issues include a decreased tax-base for the surrounding neighborhood, crime, public health issues, and environmental disconnect.

For the City of San Antonio, vacant parcels come with an abundance of challenges. These challenges include economics, organization, and location. These properties vary in size, differ in ownership status, and are spread all over the region.

Because of this, the challenge facing the City of San Antonio and its residents often lies in finding doable interim uses, preserving future opportunities, and crafting long-term solutions. Our project aims to simplify all these processes for interested individuals and groups. All in all, we’re a resource for people who are invested in bettering their community.

As a result, Code for America San Antonio along with Keep San Antonio Beautiful and the Center City Development Office – have developed this resource.

A lot to love will act as a centralized resource for anyone seeking information about the process for community driven greening projects, with a special focus on vacant parcels throughout the city.