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## The Community Forestry Assistance Act What Does It Mean for Your Town?

The Community Forestry Assistance Act allows your community to eliminate tree-related liability if all four requirements of the Act are satisfied. Requirements include:

1. Having an approved Community Forestry Management Plan.
2. Maintaining at least two CORE trained individuals.
3. Obtaining at least eight continuing education credits per year, which can be split between two people.
4. Submitting an annual Accomplishment Report.

## How Can Remington & Vernick Help You?

Municipalities need grant funding support especially during these difficult economic times. Remington & Vernick Engineers and Affiliates can help prepare your Green Communities Grant Application to begin the process.

We are also available to help assist in writing your Community Forestry Management Plan. Having a good management plan can help reduce not only hazardous tree situations, tree maintenance and removal costs, but it can also decrease the time to respond to citizen complaints. An approved Community Forestry Management Plan is the first step towards obtaining additional grant money through the NJDEP Community Stewardship Incentive Program (CSIP). This competitive program can help your municipality reach its tree-focused goals through maintenance, tree removal, training and other avenues of support. Remington & Vernick can help prepare your plan in a timely fashion.

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