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Making a Stronger Community Forest by Analyzing the Current Trees

*This team of tree experts assessed damaged trees in Ottawa and Naplate, Illinois, after a tornado struck the area in 2017. Their work is an important step in the Trees Forever **Recover, Replant, Restore!** program. They will help determine what trees to prune or remove, and where new trees can be planted. Known as the **Illinois Strike Team**, the group is a collaborative effort of the U.S. Forest Service, the Illinois Department of Natural Resources and Trees Forever.*

Your Yard Can
Make a Difference

The Ripple Effect of
Planting a Tree

Helping the
Earth Heal

Speak for our
Forests and Trees