

# City of Shoreview

## 2026 Licensed Tree Contractors



Trees are an investment, which is important to keep in mind when hiring an arborist to trim and/or remove trees. Strategically planted trees can save on heating and cooling costs, reduce storm water runoff, attract birds, and add value to your home. We suggest that you get 2-3 written estimates with guaranteed details in writing before signing a contract. **\*\*\*To protect the home owner, the city requires all companies conducting tree trimming and removal to obtain a tree trimmers license, which includes providing general liability insurance.**

### TIPS FOR HIRING A TREE CARE PROFESSIONAL

- Be wary of individuals going door-to-door and offering services. Most reputable companies are too busy to solicit work in this manner. The City of Shoreview requires anyone soliciting door-to-door to have a peddlers permit. If a company comes to your door, ask to see their permit. If they do not have one, call 651-490-4650.
- **Never pay in advance.** Never let yourself be pressured or rushed into accepting work by apparent bargains.
- Beware of a company that is eager to remove a healthy, living tree. Removal should be the last resort.
- A good arborist will offer a wide range of services (pruning, removal, fertilizing, cabling/bracing, pest control, etc.).
- Ask for local references – other jobs the company or individual has done.
- Get more than one estimate. Require that it include details of the work and itemized costs. It is worth your time and effort to obtain two or more opinions and estimates. Estimates are usually free, but always ask before setting the appointment.
- Good work is not inexpensive. A reputable professional must carry several kinds of insurance as well as pay for specialized equipment. You are also paying for experience and understanding in tree care and the ability to provide long term value to your property.

### TREE PESTS AND DISEASE INFORMATION

- Search for an Arborist near you: <http://www.isa-arbor.com/findanarborist/arboristsearch.aspx>
- What's wrong with my tree? - University of Minnesota Extension's Plant Diagnosis Guide: <http://www.extension.umn.edu/garden/diagnose/>
- Learn more about the emerald ash borer (EAB)\*\*: <https://www.mda.state.mn.us/eab>
- Learn more about oak wilt (OW): <https://extension.umn.edu/plant-diseases/oak-wilt-minnesota>
- Pruning, wounding, or felling oaks should be avoided between March to November.

The City does not endorse any of the licensed contractors listed below. **Updated: 01/2/2026**  
*Companies are listed in order of license authorized.*

Company Name	City	Phone Number	Website	ISA Certified Arborist on staff	Preventative Injections	
					OW	EAB
SavAtree LLC 2026	Afton	651-770-3744	<a href="http://savatree.com">savatree.com</a>	Yes	Yes	Yes
Northern Arborists LLC 2026	Lake Elmo	651-324-2718	<a href="mailto:northernarborists@comcast.net">northernarborists@comcast.net</a>	Yes	No	No
Bratt Tree Co Inc	Crystal	612-721-4153	<a href="http://www.bratttree.com">www.bratttree.com</a>	Yes	Yes	Yes
Langer's Tree LLC	Vadnais Heights	651-426-1330	<a href="http://langertree.com">langertree.com</a>	Yes	No	No
Xtreme Tree Team Inc	West St Paul	651-336-9153	Xtremetreeteam.com	Yes	Yes	Yes
North Woods Industries LLC DBA NWI Tree Service & Landscaping	New Richmond, WI	651-300-8334	NWItreeservice.com	Yes	No	No
Arbor Tree Service	Brooklyn Park	763-560-0666	Arbortreeservicemn.com	Yes	No	No
Rivard Companies Inc	East Bethel	763-753-7888	<a href="http://rivardcompanies.com">rivardcompanies.com</a>	Yes	No	No
Upper Cut Tree Service DBA Messina Enterprises	Forest Lake	651-779-3729	<a href="http://uppercuttrees.com">uppercuttrees.com</a>	Yes	No	No
Precision Landscape & Tree	Little Canada	651-484-2726	<a href="http://www.precisiontreemn.com">www.precisiontreemn.com</a>	Yes	Yes	Yes
Birch Tree Care	Vadnais Heights	651-317-4080	<a href="http://birchtreecare.com">birchtreecare.com</a>	Yes	Yes	Yes
Canopy Tree Health	St Paul	651-235-5090	<a href="http://canopytreehealth.com">canopytreehealth.com</a>	Yes	Yes	Yes
Metro Tree and Crane	Wyoming	651-260-2676	<a href="http://metrotreeandcrane.com">metrotreeandcrane.com</a>	Yes	No	No
Mark's Aerial Services LLC	Inver Grove Heights	651-247-8591	None	Yes	No	No
Neighborhood Tree Care LLC	Fridley	763-614-0635	<a href="http://ntreecare.com">ntreecare.com</a>	Yes	No	No
Vineland Tree Care	Minneapolis	612-872-0205	<a href="http://vinelandtree.com">vinelandtree.com</a>	Yes	Yes	Yes
Pro Star Tree Care	Pierz	320-360-0425	None	No	No	No
Budget Tree Service	Hugo	651-426-8660	<a href="http://budgettreeservicemn.com">budgettreeservicemn.com</a>	Yes	No	No
Fran's Tree Service LLC	Mounds View	651-631-8746	<a href="http://franstreetservice.com">franstreetservice.com</a>	Yes	No	No
Minnesota Tree Experts	Brooklyn Park	763-242-5429	None	Yes	No	No
A To Z Tree Care LLC	Pierz	612-229-4478	<a href="http://atoztreecaremn.com">atoztreecaremn.com</a>	Yes	No	No
The F.A. Bartlett Tree Experts DBA Bartlett Tree Experts	Minnetonka	763-253-8733	<a href="http://bartlett.com">bartlett.com</a>	Yes	Yes	Yes

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