

TREES

Mission Statement: To use the best available knowledge and scientific principles to establish and maintain a balanced and safe urban forest for the residents of Bay Village.

The City has over 7,000 trees in its current inventory. These trees are located only on tree lawns, and do not include private property or city-owned trees, such as in parks and other City properties.

Even though Bay is only 7.1 square miles, we have 58.7 street miles of tree lawns to maintain.

The City has been a Tree City USA for 14 years running since 1998, and we hope to be for many more years to come. Since 1998, Bay Village has planted over 1,700 tree-lawn trees alone.

City of Bay Village has two, full-time ISA Certified Arborists. The day-to-day tasks range from removing dead or diseased trees, planting trees, pruning trees, doing hazardous evaluations, to simply consulting residents.

In case of a tree emergency, (i.e., if a tree falls into the road) between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., please call the Service Department at 440-871-1221. After that time and on the weekends please call the Police Department at 440-871-1234.

***Please note: If a tree is tangled in any wires, (cable, electric, phone, etc.) do not come in contact with them, treat them all as energized wires and contact the Fire Department immediately at 440- 871-1214.**

For information on the Street Tree Planting or the Cahoon Park Memorial Tree Planting Program, please go to the Bay Village Website under Service Department Services. Tree-related ordinances, Chapter 547, can be found in "I NEED TO KNOW" menu, View Documents - City Ordinances. If you have any other tree related questions, please feel free to contact one of the arborists below and they will be able to assist you. Please note that they work out of the Service Department during the hours of 7:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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