

Dear Kari Follman,

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The North Dakota Forest Service community forestry spring grants are right around the corner! Grant applications will be available to all interested communities from March 1st through April 28th. Projects must be completed on publicly-owned land, most commonly on City or Park properties. Leeds last applied for a forestry grant in 2007.

City trees provide many benefits to a community such as shade, shelter from the wind, noise reduction, reduced risk of flooding, and wildlife habitat. NDFS is here to help you achieve your town's forestry goals. Please give us a call if you are interested in learning more about our grant program and how trees can help improve your community.

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