

## Treemendous Tree Care Urges Homeowners to Schedule Pre-Winter Tree Health Inspections to Prevent Storm Damage

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Treemendous Tree Care is urging Wilmington-area homeowners and property managers to schedule pre-winter tree health inspections with certified arborists to identify and address potential hazards before severe weather strikes. The recommendation comes amid increasing concerns about winter storm damage and the mounting costs associated with tree failures.

Winter storms continue to pose a significant threat to residential and commercial properties. According to recent research from the Insurance Information Institute, winter storms caused nearly \$6 billion in insured losses in 2022 alone. A comprehensive analysis by LendingTree documented that billion-dollar winter disasters have increased 135.5% over the past 20 years, with damage from billion-dollar severe storms jumping 716.8% from \$10.0 billion to \$81.7 billion between 1985-2004 and 2005-2024. Ice storms alone account for more than 60 percent of winter storm losses within the United States, with a mean total annual cost of \$226 million.?

Trees in the Delaware region remain particularly vulnerable during the winter months. Ice accumulation on branches can increase load stress on tree structures, while high winds and heavy snow further compromise weakened limbs and root systems. Research conducted by Morton Arboretum has documented how ice storms cause significant damage to trees in natural and urban settings through ice build-up patterns on branches that predispose trees to failure.?

"Early detection of structural issues is critical," according to guidance from professional arboricultural standards. A winter tree inspection provides an opportunity to identify hazards when trees are in dormancy and foliage has fallen away, making structural defects far more visible. According to the International Society of Arboriculture (ISA), the professional standard for tree risk assessment is the ISA Tree Risk Assessment Qualification (ISA TRAQ), which employs a standardized, systematic process for assessing tree risk and providing information to property owners.?

Treemendous Tree Care offers comprehensive tree health inspections utilizing these industry standards. The inspection process examines multiple factors, including structural integrity, root stability, disease presence, pest activity, and overall tree condition. Research indicates that professional tree risk assessments can identify potential hazards, such as dead limbs, structural weaknesses, and decay, before they become critical safety concerns. Learn more at https://markets.financialcontent.com/bpas/article/pressadvantage-2025-10-10-treemendous-tree-care-launch es-specialized-drought-recovery-program-following-historic-2024-drought-crisis.

The benefits of preventive winter inspections extend beyond safety. According to Treemendous Tree Care, comprehensive tree health assessments enable property owners to prioritize maintenance efforts and create customized treatment plans that address immediate concerns while preventing future problems. Winter is considered an optimal time for this preventive work, as trees in dormancy can allocate energy toward healing and recovery rather than growth.?

John Gagnon, a Treemendous Tree Care customer, shared his experience as professional and executed quickly for a 60-foot oak tree removal and stump grinding project. John also described Treemendous as doing well to clean the property thoroughly after the project was completed, in his recommendation.

Treemendous Tree Care employs certified arborists trained in specialized tree care practices. Certification through the ISA ensures professionals have comprehensive knowledge of tree biology, pruning techniques, disease management, and safety procedures. When arborists earn credentials such as the ISA TRAQ, they are recognized by peers and the public as tree care professionals with specialized knowledge in tree risk assessment.?

"Winter preparation is essential for property safety," explained a representative from Treemendous Tree

Care. Early winter inspections can detect diseased trees that are less equipped to handle winter stress and

are more likely to sustain damage. The assessment process examines the root zone for stability issues, the

canopy for structural concerns, and branches for signs of weakness or disease that could lead to failure

under snow and ice loads.?

Treemendous Tree Care is accepting inspection requests for residential and commercial properties in

Wilmington and the surrounding areas through the winter season. Property owners interested in scheduling a

tree health assessment are encouraged to contact the company directly. The company offers emergency tree

services available for properties that experience storm damage or tree-related emergencies. Learn more at

https://treemendousinc.com.

For more information about pre-winter tree inspections and tree care services available in Wilmington,

Delaware, homeowners should reach out to local certified arborists who can provide detailed risk

assessments and customized maintenance plans.

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