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NEW JERSEY TREE RECOVERY CAMPAIGN

In 2012 superstorm Sandy left many communities with dead and damaged trees. The New Jersey Tree Recovery campaign is a partnership between the Arbor Day Foundation and the NJ State Forestry Service. The campaign focuses on "providing trees to homeowners and communities who lost their urban canopy in the wake of Hurricane Sandy."



As reported by the Arbor Day Foundation, more than 332,982 trees have been distributed to date and many more are still needed. Hillsborough Township has partnered with these organizations to provide our residents with seedlings to replant missing trees.

On April 28th between 7am and 3pm, Hillsborough Township Department of Public Works will distribute 6" - 24" high bare root tree seedlings to residents at our Auten Road Facility. Each resident can receive up to 5 seedlings. Quantities are limited and distributed on a first come, first served basis. You do not need to be registered for the annual clean up program in order to obtain the seedlings. Hillsborough residents will be required to show proof of residency upon entering the site.

More information on the program and [planting instructions](#) can be found on the [New Jersey Recovery](#) page on the Arbor Day Foundation's website or the [New Jersey Forest Service](#) website.

RESOURCES

Campaign Information

- [NJ Tree Recovery Pickup Locations](#)
- [Tree Owner's Manual for NE US](#)

Tree Planting and Care

- [Tree Planting Instructions](#)
- [How To Plant Bare Root Trees](#)
- [Tree Species](#)