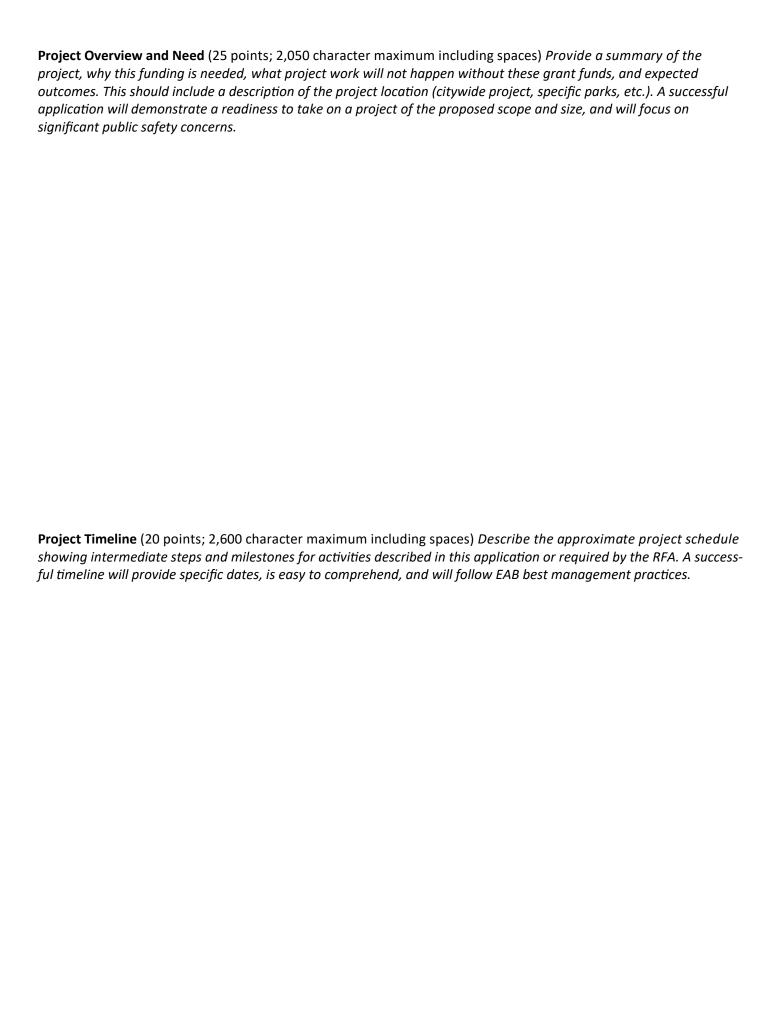
Protect Community Forests by Managing Ash for EAB Grants

2021 Application



Please refer to the <u>Request for Applications</u> (RFA) when completing this application.

Submit this form, along with required attachments, to ucf.dnr@state.mn.us by January 24, 2022. Checklist: ☐ Application Form (filled out, guided by the RFA) ☐ Budget Form (Attachment A) ☐ 3-Year Tree Maintenance Plan, if planting trees (Attachment B) ☐ Species Selection and Stock List, if planting trees (follow guidelines in RFA) ☐ EAB Management Plan, if already completed ☐ Letter of Support, if collaborating with an outside organization (any format acceptable)		
Local Unit of Government (LUG)		
Project Coordinator		
Coordinator Title		
Address		
City, State, Zip		
County		
Coordinator Email		
Coordinator Phone Number		
Grant Amount Requested		
Cash Match (refer to RFA for match guidance)		
In-Kind Match		
Proposed Project Components (checked items should be described in the narrative and budget): □ Public Tree Inventory □ Management Plan with an EAB Component □ Ash Tree and Stump Removal and Tree Replanting □ Tree Planting for Diversity □ Treatment with an injectable non-neonicotinoid insecticide (such as emamectin benzoate) if up to 10 miles outside of generally infested areas across Minnesota—see online for guidance		
Additional Technical Assistance (please describe in the narrative; see RFA for more details)		
☐ Operational Volunteer Planting Assistance Through Tree Trust☐ Educational Assistance through the University of Minnesota's Tree Steward program		
Briefly explain how technical assistance, if selected, will be utilized within your community:		



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Communication (10 points; 2,200 character maximum including spaces) Describe the methods you will use to conduct outreach to citizens about this grant project. A successful communication strategy will use multiple format that have the potential to reach the public, and will incorporate EAB-related messaging.
Key Personnel (10 points; 2,200 character maximum including spaces) <i>List all certifications and degrees for staff or contractors involved in the project. Describe the duties internal staff will conduct, and any work that will be contracted out, or the partnerships you will leverage to complete tasks. Include key personnel and their past experience with similar tasks. If you expect to contract work out, describe requirements you will have for contractors.</i>