

APPENDIX FIVE MORE INFORMATION

For All Citizens and Policy Makers

- *A Citizen's Guide to DNR Forestry*, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Available as a PDF on www.mndnr.gov/forestry/education
- *Big Tree Registry*, Minnesota DNR. PDF and nomination forms www.mndnr.gov/trees_shrubs/bigtree
- *Big Woods, Big Rivers Curriculum* (Draft II), Master Naturalist Program, University of Minnesota Extension, and Minnesota DNR, 2005. www.minnesotamasternaturalist.org
- *Conserving Wooded Areas in Developing Communities*, Minnesota DNR. Available as a PDF on www.mndnr.gov/forestry/urban
- Free maps, including topographic maps, aerial photos, forest inventory maps, and other natural resources-related Minnesota maps. www.mndnr.gov
- *Minnesota Conservation Volunteer*, bimonthly magazine from the Minnesota DNR. www.mndnr.gov/volunteer
- *MNTrees.org*, Web site developed by the Minnesota DNR. www.mntrees.org
- *My Minnesota Woods*, Web site developed by the University of Minnesota Extension as a source of advice for woodland stewards. www.myminnesotawoods.umn.edu
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Minnesota Tree Identification Guides

- Rathke, David M. *A Beginners' Guide to Minnesota Trees*, University of Minnesota Extension, BU-6593, 1995.
- *Minnesota Invasive Nonnative Terrestrial Plants: An Identification Guide for Resource Managers*, Division of Trails and Waterways, Minnesota DNR, 2002.
- Rathke, David M. *Minnesota Trees*, University of Minnesota Extension, BU-0486, 2001.

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- Symonds, George W.D., *The Shrub Identification Book*, William Morrow and Company, Inc., New York, 1963.
- Tekila, Stan, *Trees of Minnesota Field Guide*, Adventure Publishing, 2001.
- *Trees and Shrubs of Minnesota*, online identification guide, Minnesota DNR www.mndnr.gov/trees_shrubs
- *Trees of Minnesota*, Minnesota DNR, 1997. Available through Minnesota's Bookstore www.comm.media.state.mn.us/bookstore

For Homeowners

- *Backyard Conservation: Bringing Conservation From the Countryside to Your Backyard*, Natural Resources Conservation Service. Available as a PDF on www.nrcs.usda.gov/feature/backyard
- Information on tree care, planting windbreaks, and forest health on the Forest Resources Extension, University of Minnesota Extension, <http://fr.cfans.umn.edu/extension>
- *Keeping Your Home Firewise*, Minnesota DNR www.mndnr.gov/firewise
- Pellet, Harold; Rose, Nancy; and Eisel, Mervin, *The Right Tree Handbook*, University of Minnesota Extension, St. Paul, Minnesota, 1991.
- *Minnesota SWCD Forestry Association Tree Handbook*, Minnesota Soil Water Conservation District www.maswcd.org/Partner_links/tree_care_handbook.pdf
- *Minnesota Tree Planting Handbook*, University of Minnesota <http://cfc.cfans.umn.edu/links/handbook.pdf>
- *The Right Tree for the Right Place*, National Arbor Day Foundation www.arborday.org

For Forest Landowners

- Allman, Laurie, *Land Protection Options: A Handbook for Minnesota Landowners*. The Trust for Public Land, The Nature Conservancy, the Minnesota DNR, and the Minnesota Land Trust (revised, 2000).

- Baughman, Melvin J.; Alm, Alvin A.; Reed, A. Scott; Eiber, Thomas G.; and Blinn, Charles R.; *Woodland Stewardship: A Practical Guide for Midwestern Landowners*, University of Minnesota Extension, Minnesota DNR, and the Forest Stewardship Program, 1993.
- Haygreen, John G. and Bowyer, Jim L., *Forest Products and Wood Science: An Introduction*, 3rd edition, Iowa University Press 1996.
- The Minnesota Woodland Advisor Program trains volunteers about forest stewardship and how to teach others to care for forests. The program is offered as a partnership among the University of Minnesota Extension, the Minnesota Forestry Association, the Minnesota DNR, local woodland committees, and other groups. Visit <http://cfc.cfans.umn.edu/wa>
- *Sustaining Minnesota Forest Resources: Voluntary Site-Level Forest Management Guidelines*, 2005, Minnesota Forest Resource Council. Available as a PDF on www.frc.state.mn.us/FMgdline/Guidebook.html

For Resource Managers

- *Field Guide to the Native Plant Communities of Minnesota: The Eastern Broadleaf Province*, State of Minnesota, Minnesota DNR, 2005. www.mndnr.gov/nr
- *Field Guide to the Native Plant Communities of Minnesota: The Prairie Parkland and Tallgrass Aspen Parkland Provinces*, State of Minnesota, Minnesota DNR, 2005. www.mndnr.gov/nr
- Map: “*Presettlement Vegetation of Minnesota*,” based on Francis J. Marschner’s 1930 original analysis of 1847–1907 Public Land Survey notes and landscape patterns. Marschner compiled his results in map format, which was subsequently captured in digital format.
- Web site on Minnesota’s forest types, health, fires, tree identification, and more www.mndnr.gov/forestry

For Teachers

- Project Learning Tree is an award-winning, teacher-written interdisciplinary curriculum consisting of a suite of activity guides designed to teach students forestry and environmental education. Teachers must attend a workshop to receive the activity guides. In Minnesota, a workshop calendar is maintained at www.mndnr.gov/plt.
- The School Forest Program is an option for schools that want to establish an outdoor forest classroom. For more information, see www.mndnr.gov/schoolforests.
- *Teachers’ Guide to Arbor Month: Activities on Trees and the Natural World for Grades K-8*, 2002, Minnesota Arbor Month Partnership. Available as a PDF on www.mndnr.gov/arbor-month
- Tester, John R., *Minnesota’s Natural Heritage: An Ecological Perspective*. 1995. University of Minnesota, St. Paul, Minnesota.
- The Web site, www.mndnr.gov/forestry/education, contains links to posters, activity guides, and tree identification profiles available from the Minnesota DNR, including:
 - *A Place for Every Tree* poster and text, Division of Forestry, Minnesota DNR, 2007.
 - *Biomes of Minnesota* poster and text, Division of Forestry, Minnesota DNR, 2008.
 - *Minnesota Forest Treasures* Poster, Division of Forestry, Minnesota DNR, 1999, 2005.
 - *Trees for All Seasons* poster and text, Division of Forestry, Minnesota DNR, 2006.
- *The Story of Minnesota’s Forests* poster and text, Minnesota Forest Industries, 2006. www.minnesotaforests.com

