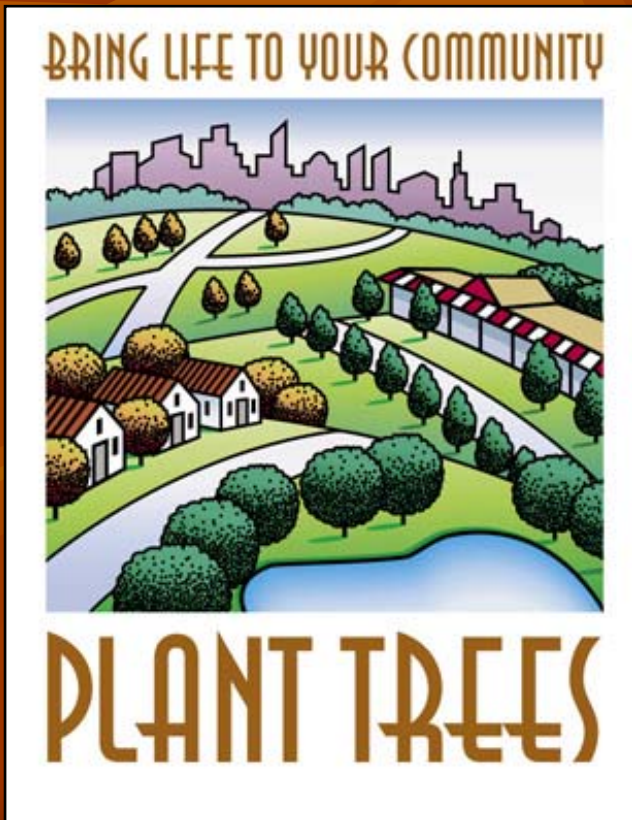


# No Net Loss Inspection Training

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- History
- Timekeeping
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# History

or what goes around comes around.....

- NJFS and Districts were co-located in offices and enjoyed a close relationship until 1985 when state law was amended to remove state foresters from private land management.
  - NJFS and Districts shared many of the same farmers as clients for Natural Resource Management.
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- NJFS has a substantial NNL responsibility requiring field inspection and are subject to a hiring freeze.
  - SCD's have technically trained personnel located in the field that can assist the NJFS and provide NNL inspection services.
  - We share many of the same "clients" today only now they are in the public sector. I.E. NJ Turnpike, Parkway, Rutgers University, State Colleges, etc.
  - We share a culture, a desire for natural resource management, and a work ethic. It just seemed like a natural fit of needs and expertise.



# CHAIN OF COMMAND

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# Expectations

## NJFS

### Timely inspections (seasonal)

- Early Spring to make Recommendations for late Spring.
- Early Fall to plant in late Fall.
- Readily communicate concerns, questions.
- District's should Act as "agent for the state agency"
- Professional conduct
- Efficient as possible with hours of inspection
- Provide photo/narrative documentation of issues

# Expectations

## SCD's

- NJFS be responsive to questions that arise in the field
  - Communication open and available
  - Policy and expectations be clear and decisive.
  - Response to questions/issues be timely