

Urban Forest Strike Team

In the event of declared disaster, Texas A&M Forest Service (TFS) can mobilize and deploy an Urban Forest Strike Team to assess storm damaged trees on public property and rights-of-way to identify risk, recommend removal or pruning mitigation, and qualification for FEMA debris reimbursement.

Storm Response

The Urban Forest Strike Team (UFST) is a program supported by the U.S. Forest Service and the Southern Group of State Foresters. Once a disaster is declared and initial response is complete, municipalities may request UFST assistance through the TFS Urban & Community Forest Program Coordinator.

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Storm Recovery

Following post-disaster assessments, TFS can connect communities with potential partners and other stakeholders to help replant the community forest.

Some financial assistance may also be available through the TreeCovey Fund. See <http://treecovey.tamu.edu>.



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