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Become a Certified TreeKeeper: Summer 2018

Arlington Heights
Public Works
222 N. Ridge Ave.
Arlington Heights, IL
60005

Tuesday, July 10
6 - 9pm

Thursday, July 12
6 - 9pm

Tuesday, July 17
6 - 9pm

Thursday, July 19
6 - 9pm

Tuesday, July 24
6 - 9pm

Thursday, July 26
6 - 9pm

Tuesday, July 31
6 - 9pm

Thursday, August 2
6 - 9pm



About TreeKeepers

TreeKeepers learn how to help keep trees green and growing, volunteering in a variety of situations from street tree care and tree planting to woodland stewardship and advocacy.

Becoming a TreeKeeper can be an entry way to:

- Understand the environmental community in the region and specifically in Chicago
- Meet and connect to many of the organizations doing “green” work
- Join a well-respected, recognized, and frequently requested group of educated volunteers
- A new career

Program Requirements

The TreeKeepers Program is an eight day course with classroom and field components. Lessons are taught by nationally and world-renowned experts. Some of the topics covered include tree biology, soils, tree identification, pruning, tree selection, planting and mulching, and pests and diseases.

The certification course costs \$128 (limited scholarships available). Included in the tuition are a TreeKeepers Program Manual, safety glasses, and upon graduation, a TreeKeepers certificate, badge, and a t-shirt.

For more information, please contact treekeepers@openlands.org or visit www.openlands.org/treekeepers.