KEY SERVICES PROVIDED:

- training in tree pest diagnosis and control for arborists and green industry professionals
- technical assistance to landowners, agencies and businesses
- tree and forest pest diagnoses and monitoring
- statewide pest surveys and research
- pest management and control recommendations

2009 Program Impacts

- 950 professionals and volunteers trained in tree pest identification and control
- 380 tree/forest pest diagnoses
- 7 publications written or revised on tree pests and their management
- Conducted detection and evaluation surveys for emerald ash borer and mountain pine beetle
- Completed a test of a new, more effective treatment for pine wilt

How Nebraskans Benefit:

- healthier, more productive and better-maintained tree and forest resources
- knowledgeable professionals who can better manage pest problems
- improved management of tree and forest pests

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