The top left corner of the slide features a series of overlapping, thin black lines that form various geometric shapes, including triangles and polygons, creating a complex, abstract pattern.

USING YOUR MUNICIPAL TREE INVENTORY DATA

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February 7, 2024

AGENDA

1. Website addresses & data sources
2. Clear your cache
3. Viewing your data
4. Exporting spreadsheets
5. Using filters
6. Printing maps
7. Creating tree reports
8. The meaning of 3/30/2022
9. Advanced filters
10. Troubleshooting

1. WEBSITES ADDRESSES AND DATA SOURCES

WEBSITES

**Municipal Tree Inventory: Web
Map Viewer**
[anrmaps.vermont.gov/websites/
/MuniTrees/](https://anrmaps.vermont.gov/websites/MuniTrees/)

**Municipal Tree Inventory
webpage:**
vtcommunityforestry.org/
search “Municipal Tree
Inventory”

DATA DOWNLOADS

RESOURCES



Select a Town

This web application recognizes the hard work that communities put into their inventories. To focus on those communities inventories and to prevent accidental edits to adjoining communities, please select your community to filter your inventory.

Choose Town
Town... [dropdown arrow]

Next Cancel



Municipal Assistance

HOME

MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE

INVENTORIES AND MANAGEMENT PLANS

MUNICIPAL TREE INVENTORIES

Municipal Tree Inventories

Vermonters are engaged in the care and management of trees and forests in public places and public right-of-ways. VT UCF's municipal tree inventory tools help these staff and volunteers to identify, prioritize, and take action on the management needs found through "boots on the ground" surveys. Our [Vermont Tree Inventory Guide](#) highlights the benefits of trees and types of tree inventories appropriate for communities throughout Vermont.

Our program-supported municipal tree inventory tools utilize the ArcGIS Field Maps and ArcGIS Survey 123 applications. They are conducted on mobile devices (smartphones or cell-enabled tablets) and are supported by the GIS team at the Vermont Agency of Digital Resources. Over 24,000 data points have now been entered by 34 Vermont cities and towns and two non-profit organizations. Communities that use the ArcGIS Field Maps and ArcGIS Survey 123 applications also have the option of viewing and managing their data online through a web map (address and login details supplied by request to Joanne Garton, Technical Assistance Coordinator for VT UCF, joanne.garton@vermont.gov).

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DATA DOWNLOADS

Vermont Open Geodata Portal:
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Vermont Open Geodata Portal

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“Municipal Tree Inventory”

Search for data



Agriculture



Basemap



Boundaries



Climate



Demographic +
Economic



Elevation



Environment



Geologic + Soils



Health + Public Safety



Imagery



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Municipal Tree Inventory

Loading record count

Toggle Filters:

Creating a new file with your filters will take some time

CSV

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KML

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Shapefile

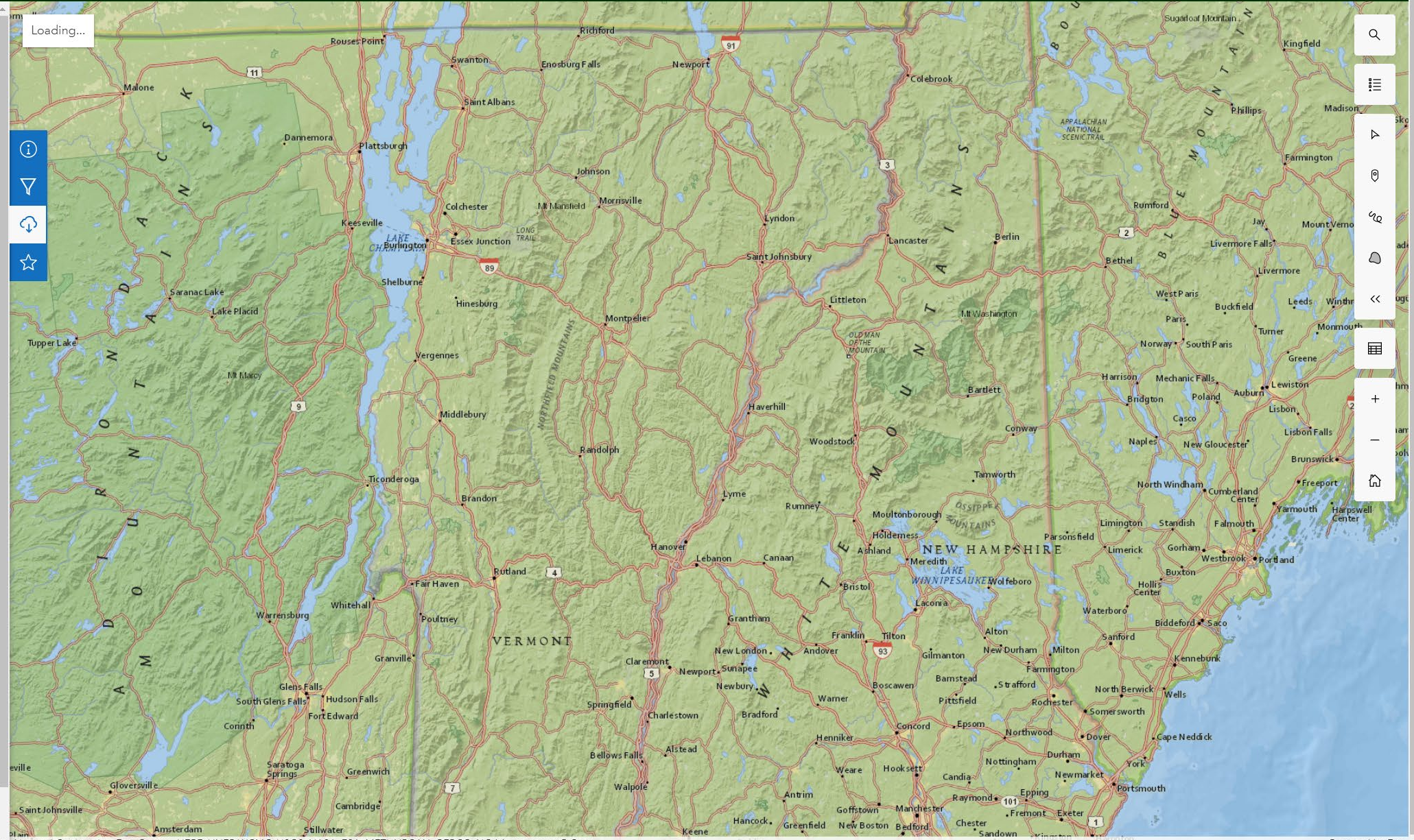
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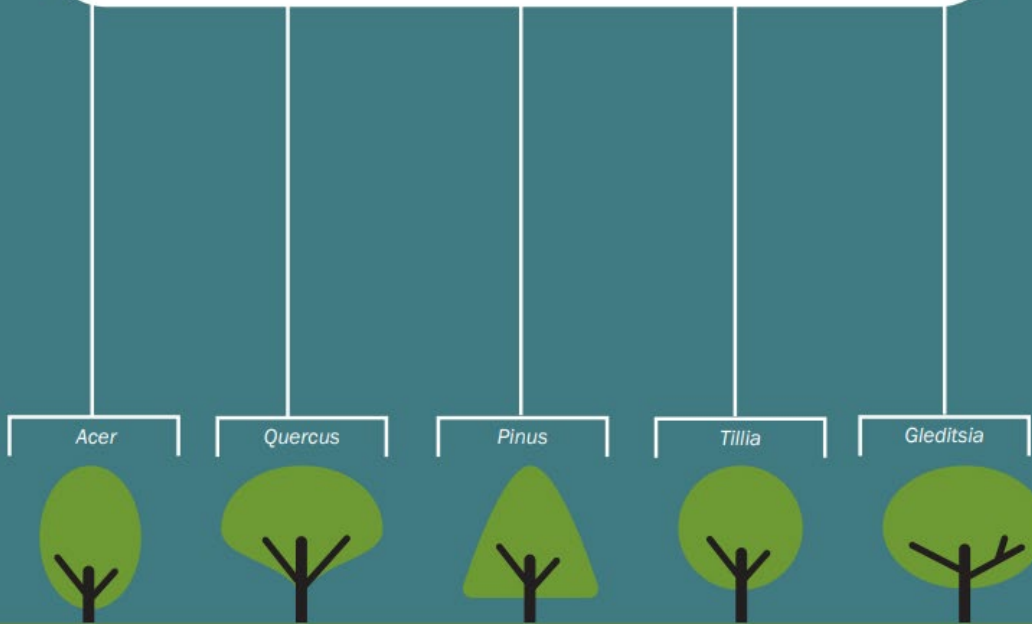
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Vermont Tree Inventory Guide:
vtcommunityforestry.org/sites/default/files/2022-11/vt_inventory_guide_2014.pdf

Municipal Tree Inventory User Guide: email
joanne.garton@vermont.gov

VERMONT TREE INVENTORY GUIDE



PLANT LIVE GROW

Vermont Urban & Community Forestry Program

part of the **Vermont Department of Forests, Parks & Recreation**

in partnership with the **University of Vermont Extension**

Inventory Guide

The Vermont Urban & Community Forestry Program supports a free Municipal Tree Inventory Tool that uses ArcGIS Field Maps and ArcGIS Survey 123. Data is collected on smartphones or cell-enabled iPads and stored in cloud-based servers managed by the Vermont Agency of Digital Services.

This guide explains the steps needed to enter spatial data about individual trees in public rights-of-way and in public places. For training or technical assistance using this tool or managing data collected during inventory, contact:

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**P L A N T
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2. CLEAR YOUR CACHE

Our web map viewer is updated. Clear your web browser's cache to view the most recent map viewer.



Search Google or type a URL



Home



Google News



Google Drive



in



Vermont Mu...



Easton, PA



Virgin Pulse



Google Maps



Roadside Ash...



Add shortcut

The image shows the Chrome browser's main menu, which is open. The menu items are as follows:

- New tab (Ctrl+T)
- New window (Ctrl+N)
- New Incognito window (Ctrl+Shift+N)
- Joanne (profile name)
- Passwords and autofill
- History
- Downloads (Ctrl+J)
- Bookmarks and lists
- Extensions
- Clear browsing data...** (Ctrl+Shift+Del) - This item is circled in red.
- Zoom (100%)
- Print... (Ctrl+P)
- Search this page with Google...
- Translate...
- Find and edit
- Save and share
- More tools
- Help
- Settings
- Exit
- Managed by your organization

Clear browsing data

Basic

Advanced

Time range

Last 7 days



Browsing history

Clears history, including in the search box



Cookies and other site data

Signs you out of most sites



Cached images and files

Frees up less than 138 MB. Some sites may load more slowly on your next visit.



[Search history](#) and [other forms of activity](#) may be saved in your Google Account when you're signed in. You can delete them anytime.

Cancel

Clear data

3. VIEWING YOUR DATA

Each icon is a georeferenced point connected to all of the data that you collected.



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Choose Town

- Town...
- ISLE LA MOTTE
- JAMAICA
- JAY
- JERICO
- JOHNSON
- KILLINGTON
- KIRBY
- LANDGROVE
- LEICESTER
- LEMINGTON
- LEWIS
- LINCOLN
- LONDONDERRY
- LOWELL
- LUDLOW
- LUNENBURG
- LYNDON**
- MAIDSTONE
- MANCHESTER
- MARLBORO

Vermont Municipal Tree Inventory



Success!

The map has been loaded with the inventory for LYNDON. Click 'Done' to continue to the map.

Done



#7 - LYNDON - CENTER ST

SUGAR MAPLE in GOOD condition.
12-18" in diameter.

Inventoried on: 9/10/2015

Last Tree Health Survey: 6/21/2022

Last Tree Maintenance Survey: 6/22/2022

Needs Maintenance: YES

Private: Not Specified

Photo 1.jpg



[Zoom to](#)



4. EXPORTING A SPREADSHEET

Use this tool to export an Excel spreadsheet that you can filter, sort, tally, or share.



Select a Town

This tool allows municipalities to download tree inventories for a specific town to an excel spreadsheet. This information is drawn directly from the Tree Inventory dataset dynamically. All information downloaded is current and includes the latest survey information for Tree Health and Maintenance.


Choose Town
Town...

Next Cancel

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Save File

Would you like to download this xlsx file?

OK Cancel

Save File

Input the filename


LyndonTrees_2024_02_07

OK

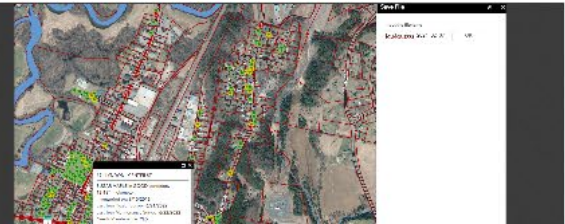
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Map thumbnail showing the full extent of the tree inventory area with various colored markers.

5. USING FILTERS

Pre-set filters help you see some of the most requested data sets.

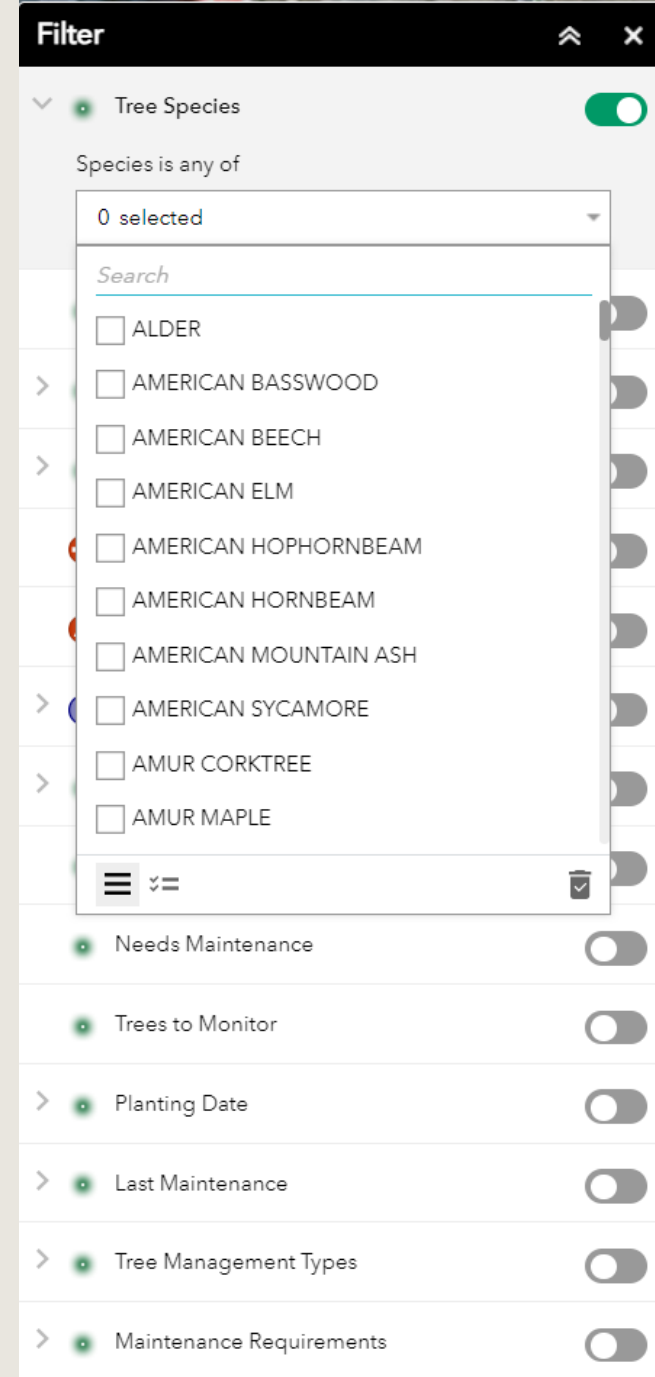


Filter

- > Tree Species
- > All Ash Species
- > Tree Condition
- > Tree Diameter
- Vacant Sites
- Trees Removed
- > Trees to Remove
- > Tree Survey Date
- > Needs Consulting
- > Needs Maintenance
- > Trees to Monitor
- > Planting Date
- > Last Maintenance
- > Tree Management Types
- > Maintenance Requirements

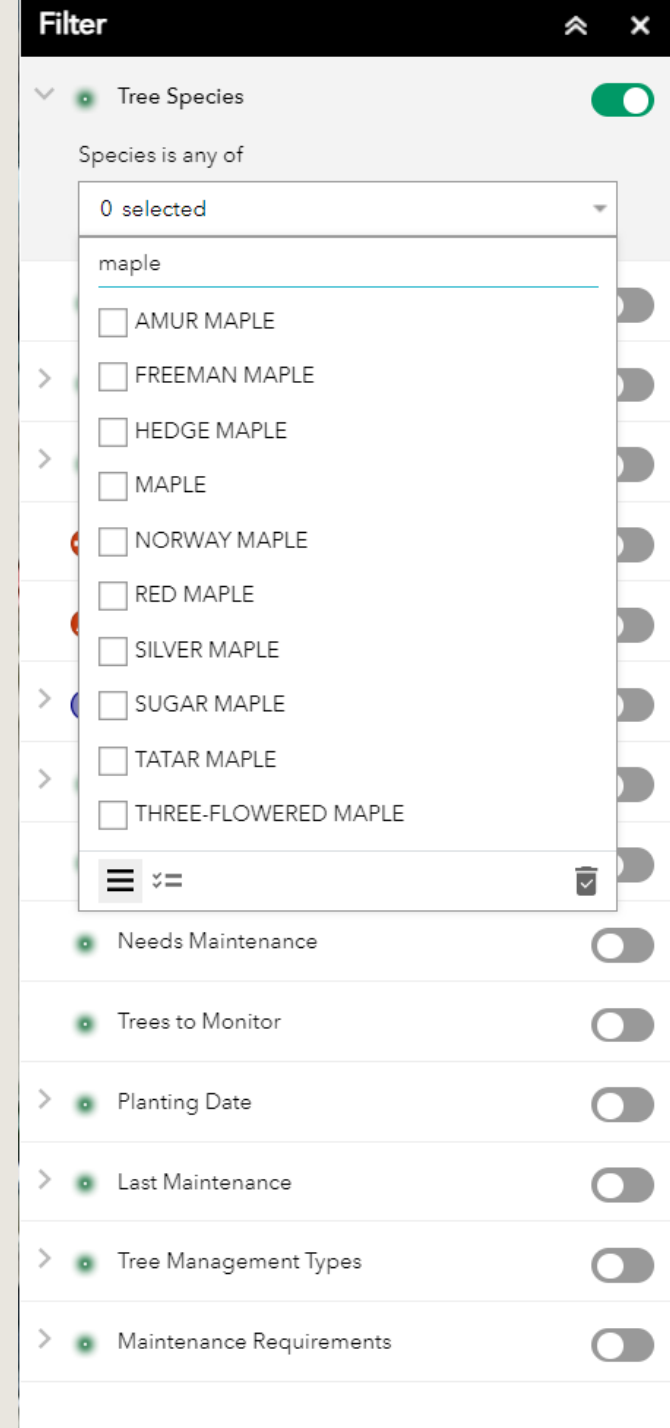
FILTER BY SPECIES

- Choose by common name.
- Single or multiple selections.
- Search by keyword



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Filter

- Tree Species
- Species is any of
10 selected
- All Ash Species
- Tree Condition
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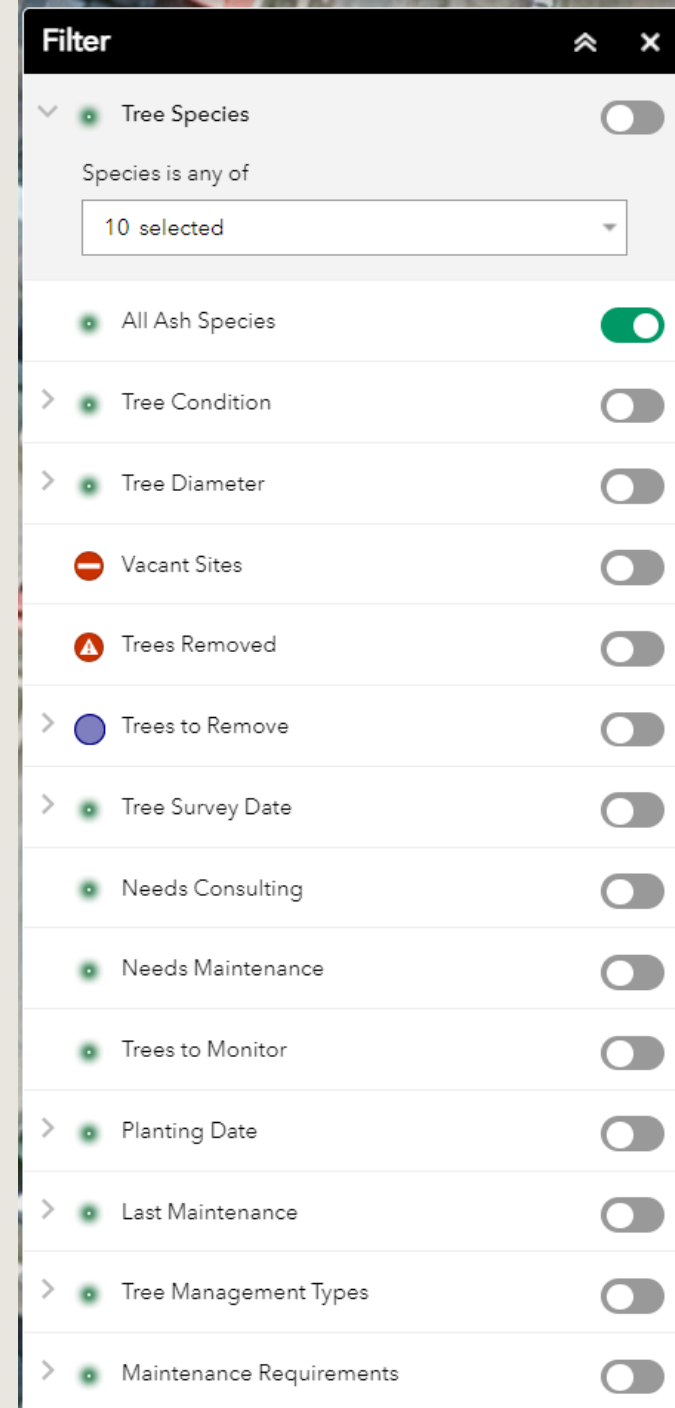


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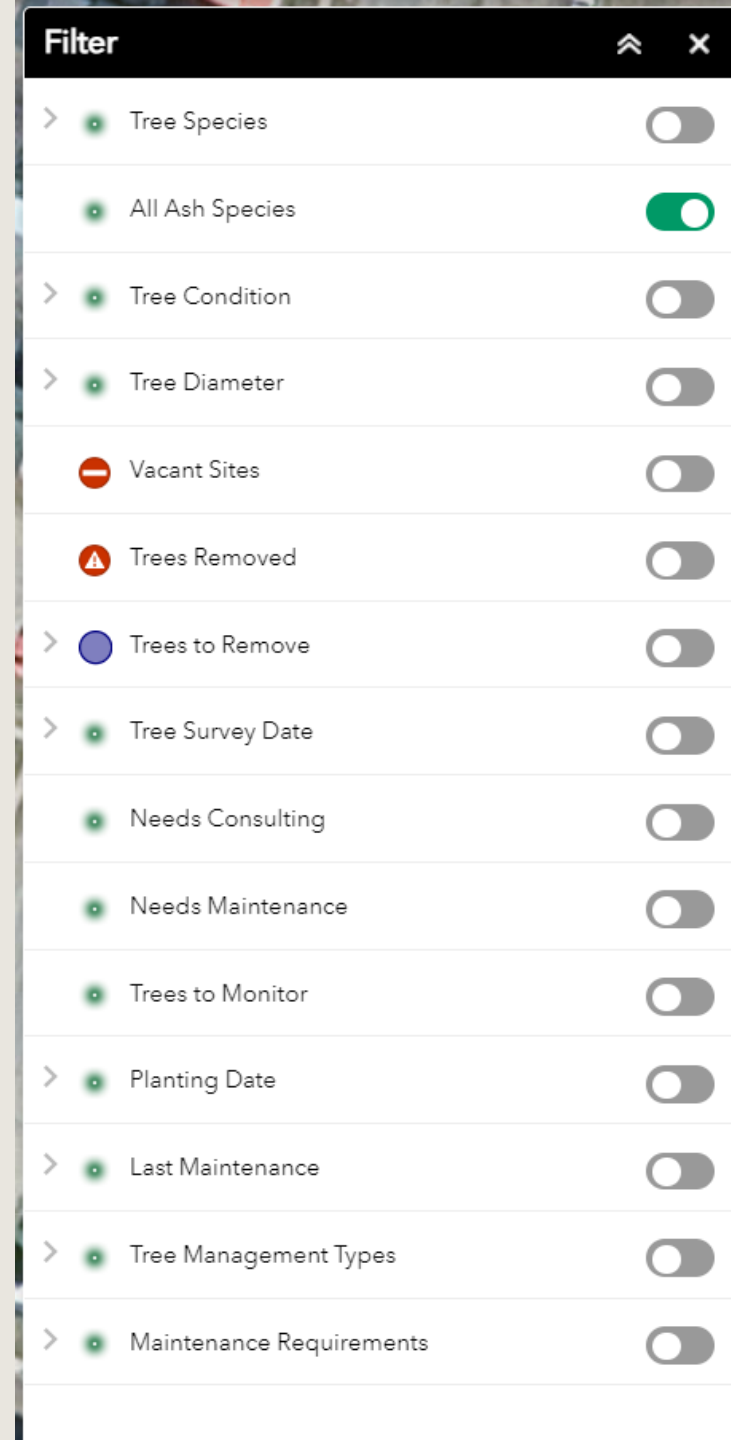
FILTER BY ASH ONLY

- Fraxinus genus only
- Includes green ash, white ash, ash



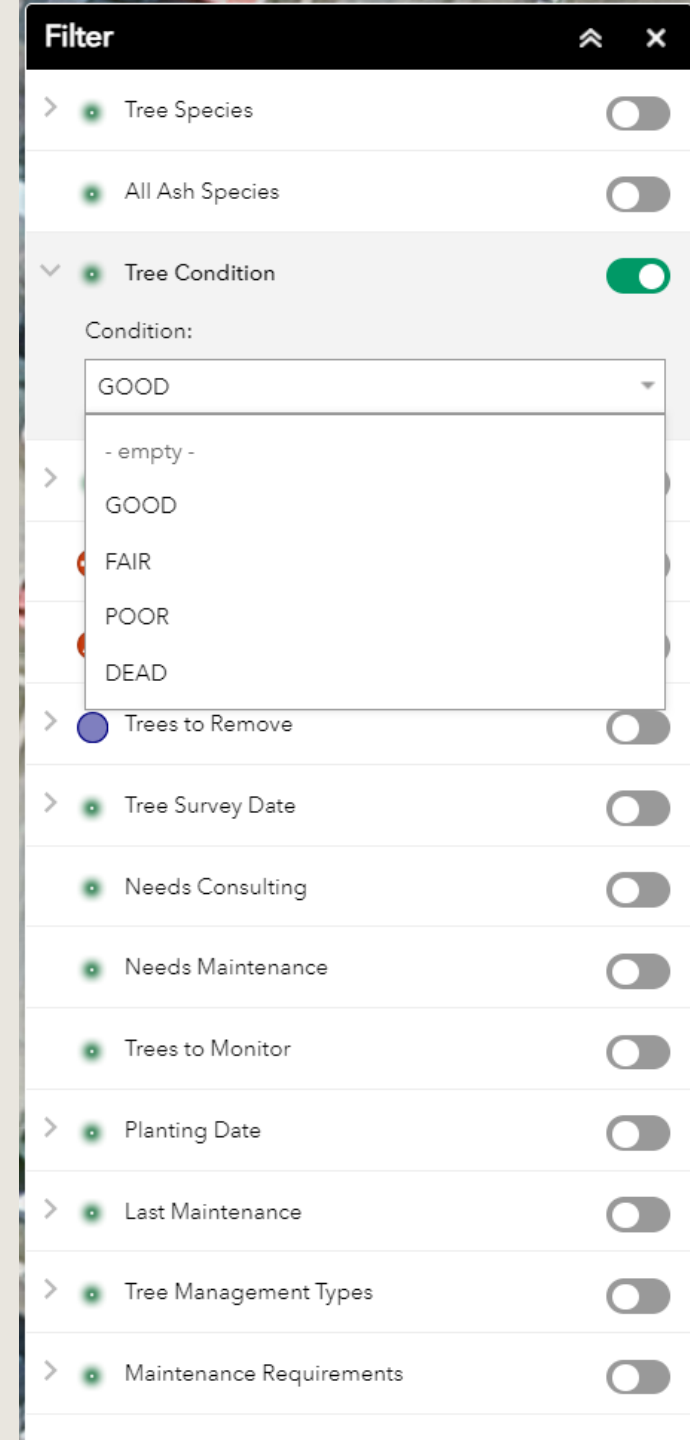
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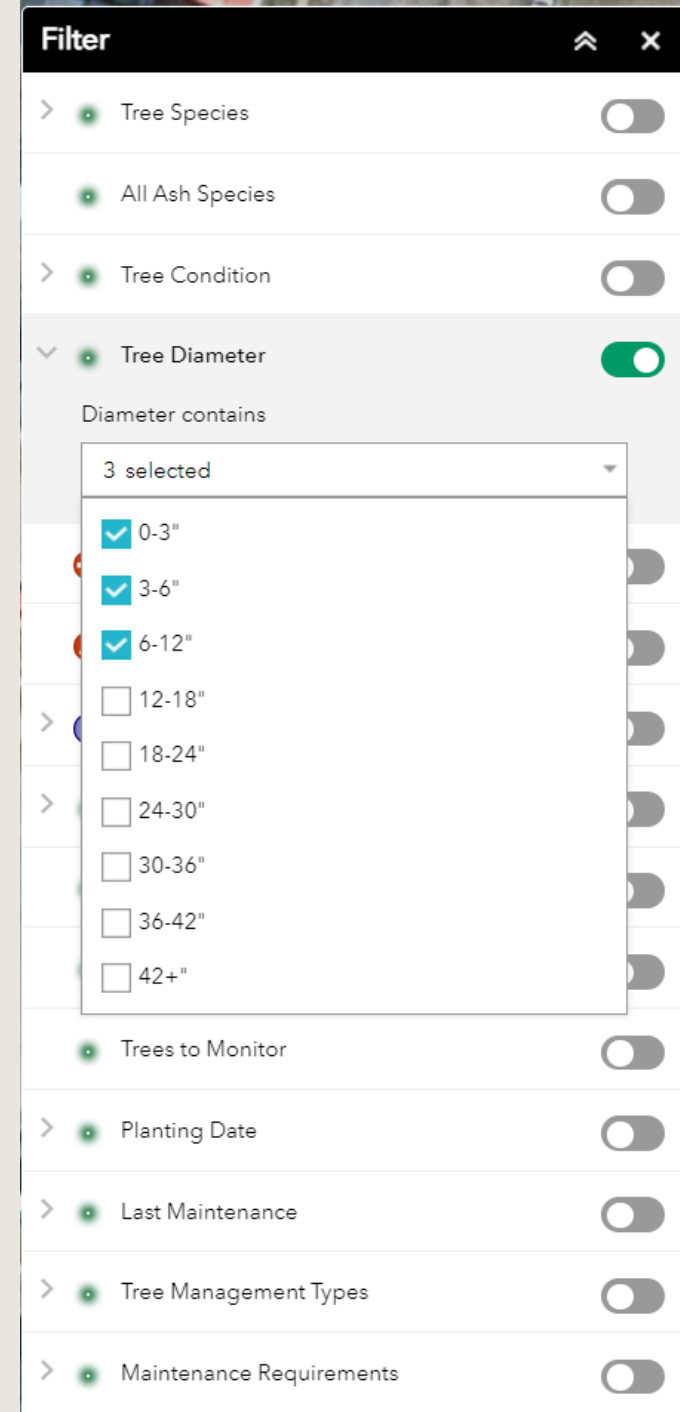
FILTER BY CONDITION

- Good, Fair, Poor, Dead, Vacant
- Coming soon: Planting Site!



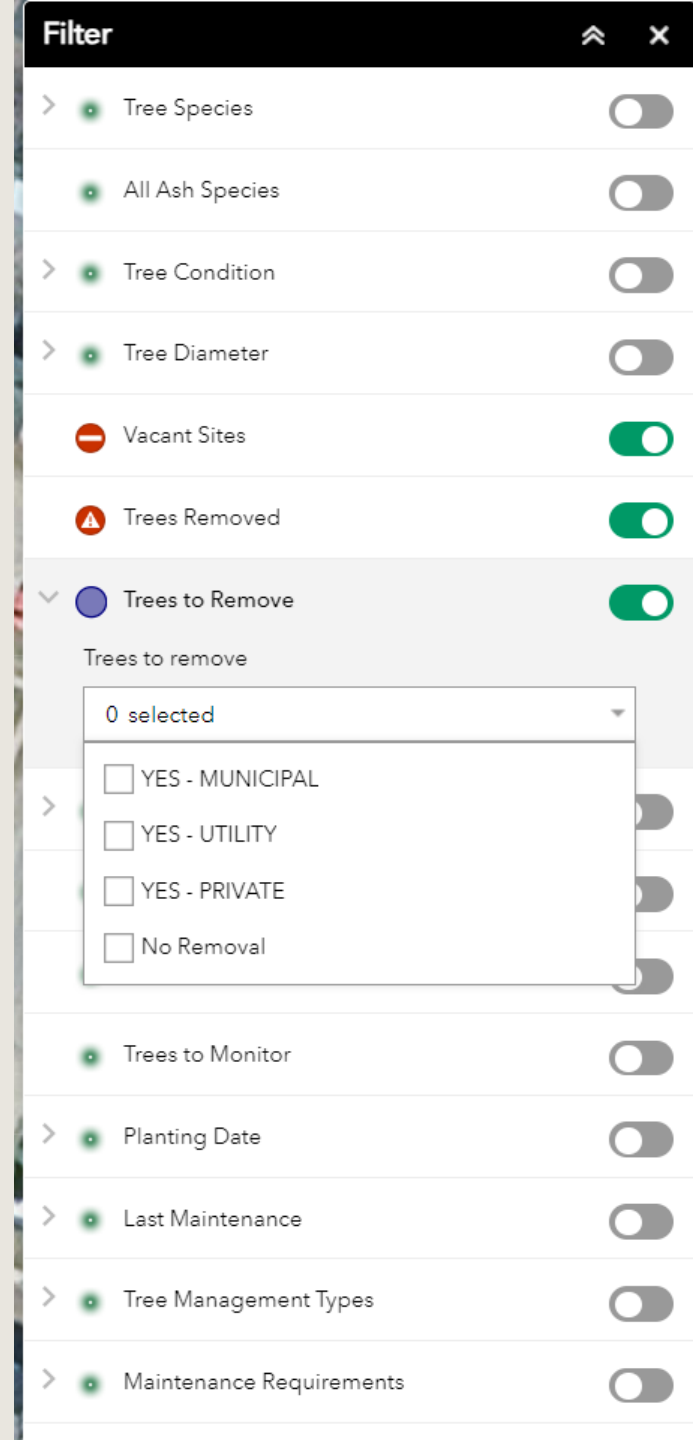
FILTER BY DIAMETER

- Choose any combination of diameter classes.



FILTER BY: VACANT SITE REMOVED TREES TREES TO REMOVE

- Choose who will be doing the removal.



FILTER BY DATE: TREE SURVEY DATE PLANTING DATE LAST MAINTENANCE

- Anything on or after that date will be displayed.

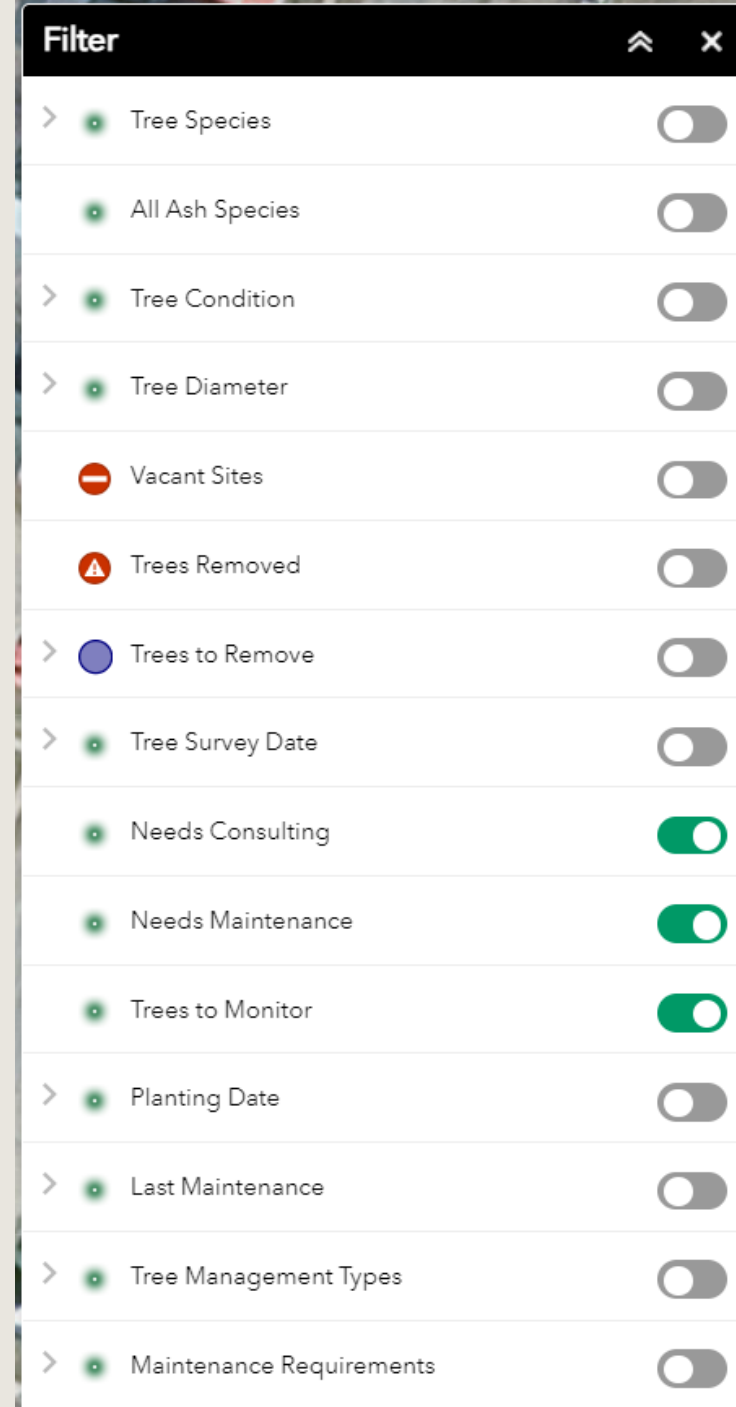
The screenshot shows a mobile application interface with a 'Filter' menu. The menu items are:

- Tree Species (toggle on)
- All Ash Species (toggle on)
- Tree Condition (toggle on)
- Tree Diameter (toggle on)
- Vacant Sites (toggle on)
- Trees Removed (toggle on)
- Trees to Remove (toggle on)
- Tree Survey Date (toggle on) - This item is expanded to show a date picker.
- Tree Management Types (toggle on)
- Maintenance Requirements (toggle on)

The date picker is open, showing the month of February 2024. The days of the week are listed as S, M, T, W, T, F, S. The date 26 is highlighted with a green circle. The years 2023, 2024, and 2025 are visible at the bottom of the date picker.

FILTER BY NEED FOR: CONSULTING MAINTENANCE MONITORING

- Displays trees where any of these fields = YES



FILTER BY TREE MANAGEMENT TYPE

- Choose YES for any field.

The screenshot shows a mobile application interface with a dark header bar labeled 'Filter' containing an upward arrow and a close 'X' icon. Below the header, a section titled 'Tree Management Types' is shown with a green toggle switch turned on. The section contains five filterable fields, each with a dropdown menu:

- Shade Tree?**: The dropdown menu is set to 'YES'.
- Memorial Tree?**: The dropdown menu is set to '- empty -'.
- Utility ROW?**: The dropdown menu is set to '- empty -'.
- Ash Tree?**: The dropdown menu is set to '- empty -'.
- Private Tree?**: The dropdown menu is set to '- empty -'.

FILTER BY TREE MANAGEMENT TYPE

- Choose YES for any field.

Filter ⌵ ✕

▼ ● Maintenance Requirements 🟢

Prune is
YES

SpadeRoots is
- empty -

AddStake is
- empty -

RemoveStake is
- empty -

AddMulch is
YES

RemoveMulch is
- empty -

ChemicalTreatment is
- empty -

6. PRINTING MAPS

To pdf that can be printed or shared digitally.



Print [Close] [Maximize]

UCF Tree Inventory Landscape Template

Title:

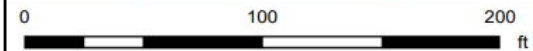
Notes:

Map Scale:

1:

Resolution:

Grid:



DISCLAIMER: This map is for general reference only. Data layers that appear on this map may or may not be accurate, current, or otherwise reliable. ANR and the State of Vermont make no representations of any kind, including but not limited to, the warranties of merchantability, or fitness for a particular use, nor are any such warranties to be implied with respect to the data on this map.



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LEGEND

Tree Inventory

- GOOD
- FAIR
- POOR
- VACANT

NOTES

Pruning = YES

7. CREATING TREE REPORTS

Share extensive information about a single tree.



Get Tree Inventory Reports ⌵ ✕

This tool will create reports for selected trees within a user-defined area. To start, draw an area by clicking the map and delineate a boundary surrounding the trees to include in the report.

Add multiple selection areas by clicking 'Add Location'.

[+ Add Location](#)

[Next](#) [Cancel](#)



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+ Add Location

Next

Cancel

LYNDON Tree Inventory
VERMONT Tree #28 - GREENSPACE - PARK



Species: SUGAR MAPLE		Tree Condition: POOR		Diameter: 18-24"	
Inventoried By:		Last Inspection:			
Greenspace Name:		Last Maintenance: 9/10/2015			
Chem. Treatment Date:					
Collection Date: 9/10/2015					
OID: 357773	Removal: No	Consult: Yes	Planting Date:		

Tree Maintenance Needed: NO

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Monitor |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Utility ROW | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prune |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ash Tree | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stem Girdling |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shade Tree | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Spade Roots |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Memorial Tree | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stake |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dead Wood | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove Stake |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crown Dieback | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add Mulch |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Root Problems | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove Mulch |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decay | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chemical Treatment |



Maintenance Description:

Notes: Bandstand Park. Toms 2 stems. Dieback and decay.
Maintenance Notes: Bandstand Park. Toms 2 stems. Dieback and decay.
Tree Data Notes: Consult arborist - preserve or remove?

LYNDON Tree Inventory
VERMONT Tree #89 - GREENSPACE - PARK



Species: NORTHERN HACKBERRY		Tree Condition: GOOD		Diameter: 0-3"	
Inventoried By: JSG		Last Inspection:			
Greenspace Name: Bandstand Park		Last Maintenance:			
Chem. Treatment Date:					
Collection Date: 9/8/2022					
OID: 529306	Removal: No	Consult:	Planting Date: 11/4/2022		

Tree Maintenance Needed:

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Monitor |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Utility ROW | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prune |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ash Tree | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stem Girdling |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shade Tree | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Spade Roots |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Memorial Tree | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stake |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dead Wood | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove Stake |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decay | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chemical Treatment |



Maintenance Description:

Notes:
Maintenance Notes:
Tree Data Notes: Planted bare root. Sourced from Schichtel's Tree Nursery via New England Nurseries and delivered to Burlington.

8. THE MEANING OF 3/30/2022

We imported all data into our new data platform on this date.

Any data inventoried prior to 3/30/2022 will display its original inventory date and a “Last Tree Health Survey” date of 3/30/22.

#5 - LYNDON - PARK AV

NORTHERN RED OAK in GOOD condition.
42+" in diameter.

Inventoried on: 9/10/2015

Last Tree Health Survey: 3/30/2022

Last Tree Maintenance Survey: No

Maintenance Surveys

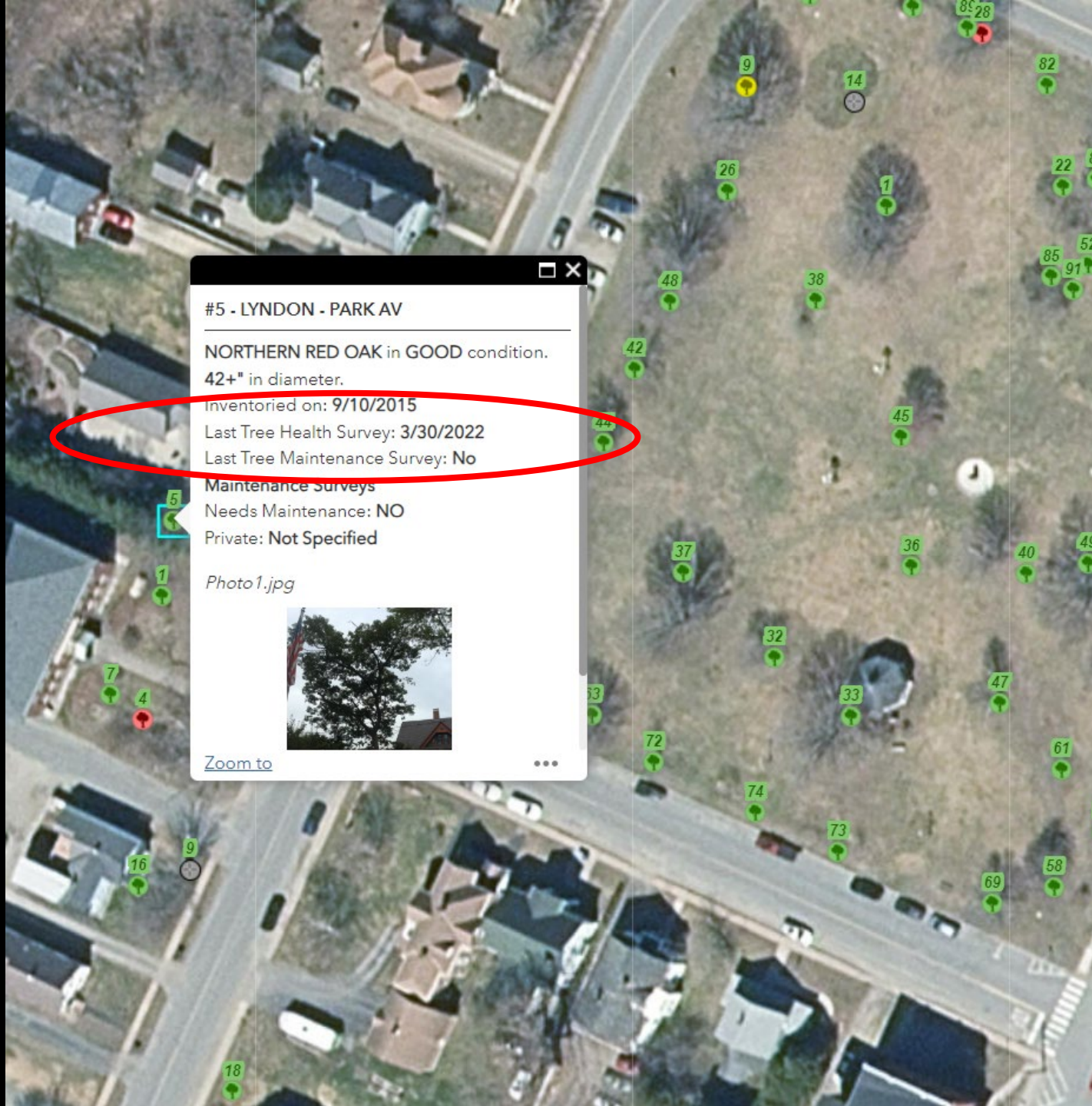
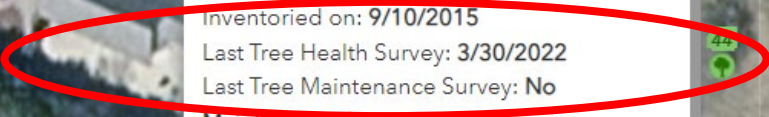
Needs Maintenance: NO

Private: Not Specified

Photo1.jpg



[Zoom to](#)



9. ADVANCED FILTERS

You may have another idea about how to filter your data.



Tree Inventory

Options Filter by map extent Zoom to Clear selection Refresh

OBJECTID	Project	TOWN	TreeNum	SPECIES	HouseNumber	Diameter	ConditionID	CollectionDateTir	Comments	InventoriedBy	LastTreeInventory	LastInspected	GreenspaceName	ShadeTree	MemorialTree	UtilityROW	AshTree	Private	Remove
352237	LYNDON - MIDDLE ST	LYNDON	5				VACANT	9/8/2015	Small tree		6/21/2022					YES			No
352241	LYNDON - MAIN ST	LYNDON	21		241		VACANT	6/21/2022	vacant, tree planting site?, note power lines	jd	6/21/2022								No
352242	LYNDON - MAIN ST	LYNDON	19	OAK	223	0-3"	GOOD	6/21/2022	Vacant, tree planting?, note power lines	jd	5/5/2023			YES		YES			No

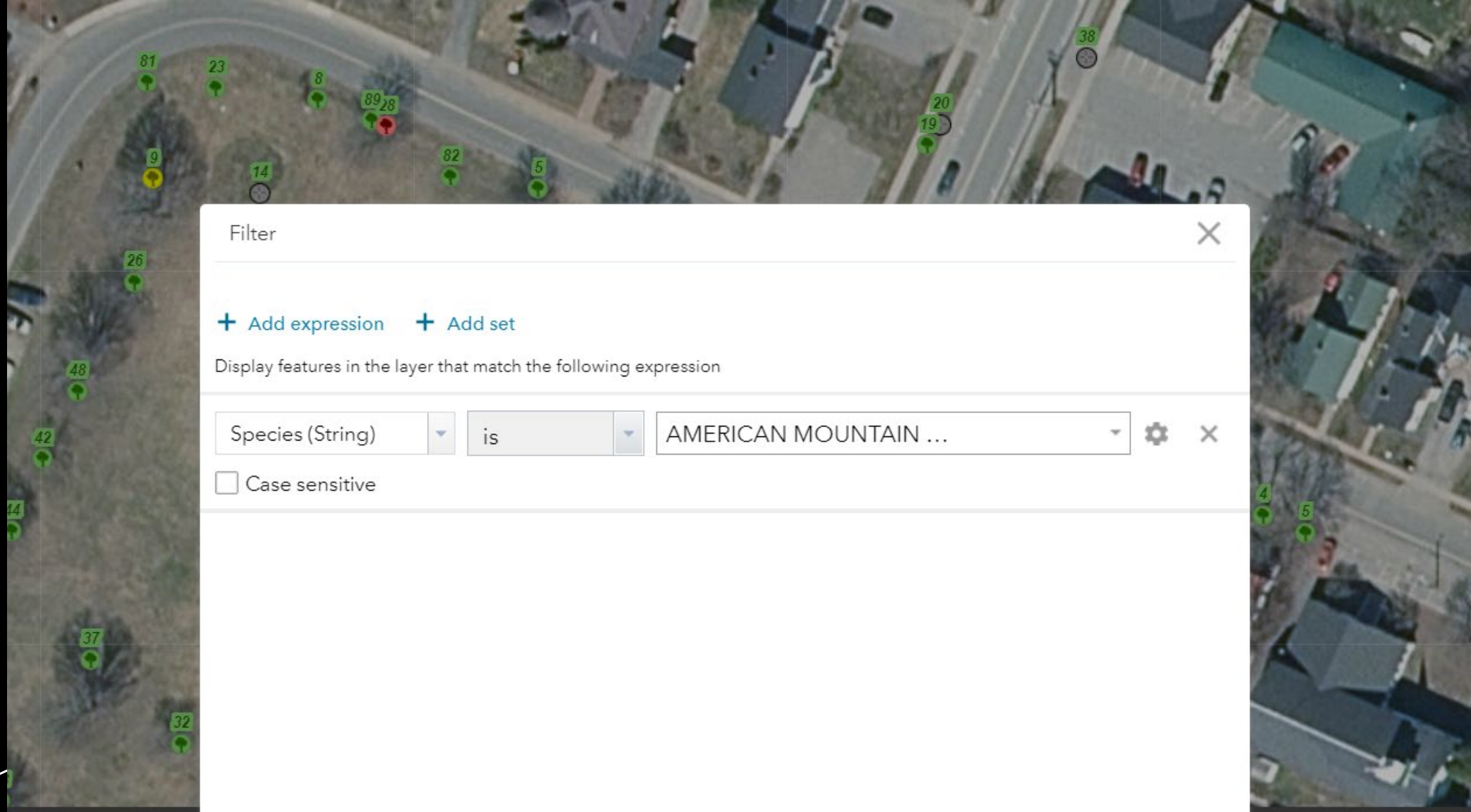


Tree Inventory

Options Filter by map extent Zoom to Clear selection Refresh

- Show selected records
- Show related records
- Filter
- Show/Hide columns
- Export all to CSV

TOWN	TreeNum	SPECIES	HouseNumber	Diameter	ConditionID	CollectionDateTir	Comments	InventoriedBy	LastTreeInventory	LastInspected	GreenspaceName	ShadeTree	MemorialTree	UtilityROW	AshTree	Private	Remove
LYNDON	5				VACANT	9/8/2015	Small tree		6/21/2022					YES			No
LYNDON - MAIN ST	21		241		VACANT	6/21/2022	vacant, tree planting site?, note power lines	jd	6/21/2022								No
LYNDON - MAIN ST	19	OAK	223	0-3"	GOOD	6/21/2022	Vacant, tree planting?, note power lines	jd	5/5/2023			YES		YES			No



Filter



+ Add expression + Add set

Display features in the layer that match the following expression

Species (String)

is

AMERICAN MOUNTAIN ...



Case sensitive

Cancel

OK

HouseNumber	Diameter	ConditionID	CollectionDate	IP	Comments	InventoriedBy	LastTreeInventory	LastInspected	GreenspaceName	ShadeTree	M
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VACANT

9/8/2015

Small tree

6/21/2022

10. TROUBLESHOOTING

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