

Forester's Report 4-29-2013

One burning permit was issued since the last Forester's Report and the purchaser have agreed to delay using the permit since the DNR posted spring burning restriction on April 21st.

No firewood harvesting activity was noted at 6 Acorn Drive.

A possible reforestation service project at Harmon Park by a Boy Scout is moving forward.

Attended an emerald ash borer walkabout in Roseville just a short distance from Rosedale Mall and viewed **dozens of infested trees**. A spot check for EAB within Sunfish Lake still seems to give us an all clear.

Spoke with a few residents and documented deer feeding damage to landscaping is several locations. Note the perpetrators in the attached photograph.

Will be picking up most Arbor Day trees on April 30. One supplier said that the bare root white pines may not be available in time for Arbor Day since they were still frozen in the ground before last weeks snow storm.

Plan to join us for the Arbor Day Green Fair starting at 9:30 am on Saturday, May 4th. Our guest speakers have both promised 70 degrees and no rain for their presentations.

Jim Naves
City Forester