

Rules as Adopted

3 MCAR S 1.0109 General.

A. Purpose and authority. Rules 3 MCAR SS 1.0109-1.0113 are prescribed by the commissioner pursuant to Minn. Stat. S 18.023 to implement a program to control Dutch elm disease and oak wilt by local units of government and to include procedures and criteria for three grant-in-aid programs.

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B. Definitions. For purposes of 3 MCAR SS 1.0109-1.0113, the following definitions, in addition to those in Minn. Stat. S 18.023, shall apply:

1.-9. (Unchanged.)

10. "Population" means the population of a municipality as published by the United States Bureau of Census in the most recent federal census.

3 MCAR S 1.0111 Shade tree disease control program. The shade tree disease control program of a municipality affected by 3 MCAR SS 1.0109-1.0113 must include at least the following elements. However, the ordinances or resolutions adopted by the municipality regarding the local shade tree disease control program may be more stringent than the provisions of 3 MCAR SS 1.0109-1.0113.

A.-E. (Unchanged.)

F. Program review.

1. By December 31 of each year, a municipality must submit to the commissioner its shade tree disease control and replanting programs for the following calendar year. The commissioner shall review these programs to determine if the requirements of the law and the applicable rules have been met.

2. (Unchanged.)

3. (Unchanged.)

G. (Unchanged.)

3 MCAR S 1.0112 Grants-in-aid to municipalities for sanitation and reforestation program. The commissioner may, in the name of the state and within the limits of appropriations provided, make grants-in-aid to a municipality with an approved disease control program for the partial funding of municipal sanitation and reforestation programs. One grant shall be made for all eligible sanitation and reforestation costs.

A. (Unchanged.)

B. Program eligibility. A municipality is eligible to receive sanitation and reforestation grants upon submitting to the commissioner by December 31 a completed program application form provided by the commissioner, and upon receiving notice of an approved disease control program designation. Extensions shall be granted for good cause shown.

1.-5. (Unchanged.)

C. Program application. To receive a sanitation and reforestation grant, a municipality must submit to the commissioner by December 31 a completed program application form provided by the commissioner.

1.-3. (Unchanged.)