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Bensenville Public Works Assists Southwest Communities in Tornado Clean-up Efforts

Bensenville, IL – Following the tornado that devastated parts of the southwest suburbs late Sunday, June 20th, the Village of Bensenville Public Works Department jumped at the opportunity to lend aide and assisted the Village of Woodridge and the Village of Burr Ridge with clean-up efforts.

Village crews responded to a request from the Village of Woodridge that had been sent through the Illinois Public Works Mutual Aid Network (ILPWMAN). Bensenville Public Works assisted by providing a crew from our forestry division to remove damaged trees and clean-up fallen branches. They also provided a wood chipper with a chipper box to aid in their clean-up efforts. An additional crew was later dispatched to assist the Village of Burr Ridge.

“We are always willing to lend a helping hand to our neighboring communities, especially in these types of situations. This is just one of many instances where we have assisted another town in recovery efforts and will continue to do so in the future,” said Public Works Director Joe Caracci.

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(Bensenville forestry crew members clear-out fallen trees and branches to assist the Village of Woodridge in clean-up efforts.)

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(Bensenville forestry crew member removing damaged parkway trees in Woodridge, Illinois.)

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