2025 AISWCD Forestry Committee & Extension 4-H Tree Planting Project Application	
Date	TREE PROGRAM
SWCD	Contact
Extension Office	Contact
SWCD Phone	SWCD E-Mail
Extension Phone	Extension E-Mail
Previous Participant Yes	No
Planting Location	
 Applications will be taken until January 31, 2025 or until all the available spots are filled which ever comes first. The goal is 40 sites for FY 2025. New participants will have priority over previous participants. Participants will each receive a mix of 25 RPM potted Oak trees. 	
Participating SWCD's are responsible for;	
 Taking delivery of trees prior to planting, which may include traveling to a distribution location. The For- estry Committee plans to establish three or four distribution sites throughout Illinois to limit travel by SWCD's to no more than one hour. 	
2. Taking care of the trees until transferred to a local 4-H group for planting.	
SWCD's and Extension share responsibility for;	
1. Acquiring a suitable planting site. Either partner may choose the site as long as both parties agree. One site per county.	
a. The site must be public property large enough to plant 25 trees. The trees are to be planted togeth- er as a group to create a Savanna Habitat, at 30 ft a part. This will require about ½ to ¾ of an acre.	
b. Public property should be a city or state park, nature area, bike trail, school, etc.	
c. Sites must be selected and confirmed when you submit your application. Extension offices should submit applications to Curt Sinclair. SWCD's should submit applications to Dale Shumaker.	
	Extension Signature