Check trees for the trouble signs below, circling any that you find. Be sure to note the location of any troubled tree and document any evidence that indicates the possible cause.

**BROKEN BRANCHES**  
(possible cause: weak structure, damaged by truck driving under tree, storms)  
Location: ________________________________  
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________

**TRUNK DAMAGE**  
(possible cause: hit by car or lawnmower)  
Location: ________________________________  
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________

**TRUNK CRACKED OR SPLIT**  
(possible cause: weakened by lightning or frost)  
Location: ________________________________  
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________

**ROTTEN SPOTS**  
(possible cause: dying section of tree)  
Location: ________________________________  
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________

**TREE LEANING**  
(possible cause: root damage)  
Location: ________________________________  
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________
DEAD TREE
(possible cause: disease)
Location: _____________________________________________________________
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________________________

LEAVES FULL OF HOLES
(possible cause: insects feeding on leaves)
Location: _____________________________________________________________
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________________________

CURLED OR FUNNY-SHAPED LEAVES
(possible cause: fungus or other infection)
Location: _____________________________________________________________
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________________________

BALD SPOTS ON BARK
(possible cause: dead section of tree)
Location: _____________________________________________________________
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________________________

MUSHROOMS GROWING ON TRUNK NEAR GROUND
(possible cause: rot or decay)
Location: _____________________________________________________________
Evidence for the cause: ________________________________________________

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