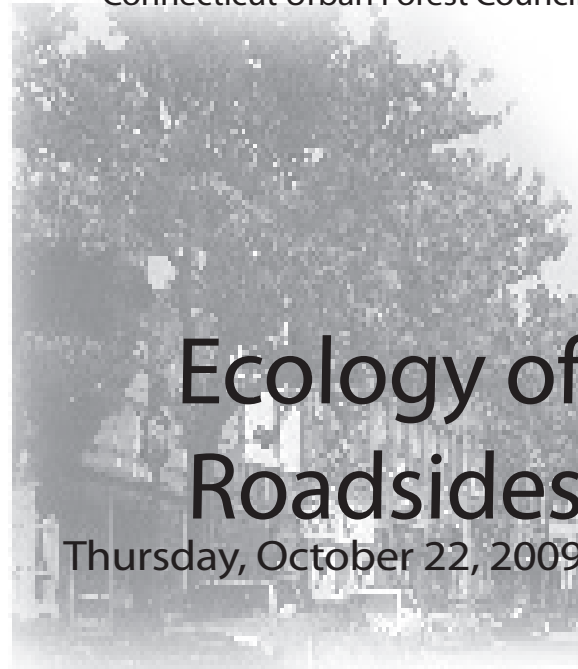


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Ecology of Roadsides

Thursday, October 22, 2009

MountainRidge
Wallingford, CT

Ecology of Roadsides

Why Roadside Trees are Important - to People, to Wildlife and the Environment

Join us in exploring how informed management of the roadside environment matters to those concerned about wildlife, environmental quality, invasive plants and animals and, of course, trees. Hear what nursery professionals, wildlife biologists, foresters, an archaeologist and others have to say about the ecology of roadsides.

Schedule

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8:00	Exhibit area open
8:30 – 9:00	Registration and visit with exhibitors
9:00 – 9:15	Welcome & Opening Address Leslie Kane, CUFC Chairman
9:15 – 10:00	Nick Bellantoni, State Archaeologist <i>From Indian Trails to Highways: An Archaeology of Historic Roads</i>
10:00 – 10:15	Awards
10:15 – 10:45	Network with Exhibitors
10:45 – 12:00	Morning Breakout Sessions (details inside) Urban Tree Canopy Cover Analysis & Goal Setting Streetwise: Selecting and Sourcing Trees for the Urban Environment Calling a Roadside Home
12:00 – 1:15	Lunch and Network with Exhibitors
1:15 – 2:30	Afternoon Breakout Sessions (details inside) Unwelcome Guests: Roadsides and Alien Invaders Biomass: Expanding the Potential for Use of Roadside Vegetation Mitigating the Environmental Impacts of Winter Road Maintenance
2:30 – 3:15	Patricia M. Douglass, State Plant Health Director, USDA APHIS <i>What is APHIS PPQ - How Does It Help Roadsides?</i>



Breakout Sessions

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Registration

Morning Sessions (concurrent):

- M1 - Urban Tree Canopy Cover Analysis & Goal Setting Colleen Murphy-Dunning, Director, Urban Resources Initiative, Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies with Monica M. Lear, PhD, Deputy Associate Director, Urban Forestry Administration, Washington, DC *Moderator: Colleen Murphy-Dunning*
- M2 - Streetwise: Selecting and Sourcing Trees for the Urban Environment Andy Brand, Manager, Broken Arrow Nursery LLC, Hamden CT with Ed Gregan, Field Representative, Carlton Plants LLC, Dayton, OR *Moderator: Andy Brand*
- M3 - Calling a Roadside Home Scott Williams, CT Agricultural Experiment Station with Patrick Comins, Director of Bird Conservation, Audubon Connecticut *Moderator: Leslie Kane*

Afternoon Sessions (concurrent):

- A1 - Unwelcome Guests: Roadsides and Alien Invaders Peter Picone, Wildlife Biologist, CT DEP and Claire Rutledge, PhD, Entomologist, CT Agricultural Experiment Station *Moderator: Susan W. Stotts*
- A2 - Biomass: Expanding the Potential for Use of Roadside Vegetation Doug Emmerthal, Program Leader, CT DEP Forestry with David Goodson, Vegetation Manager, Vegetation Management Program, CT Light and Power *Moderator: Chris Donnelly*
- A3 - Mitigating the Environmental Impacts of Winter Road Maintenance Paul Corrente, Environmental Planner, CT DOT *Moderator: Bruce Villwock*

The Connecticut Urban Forest Council, Inc. is a statewide organization composed of representatives from Connecticut environmental organizations, state agencies, universities, research institutions, corporations, professional communities and citizen tree groups. Its purpose is to provide advice, assistance, education, information and support to urban and community forestry professionals, associated professionals, municipal, state and corporate leaders, and volunteers.

The Council Seeks To:

- Increase the number and quality of urban and community forestry programs in Connecticut.
- Inform community decisions makers, legislators, and the public about the essential benefits derived from urban and community forestry.
- Provide educational resources to arborists, tree wardens, foresters, community tree volunteers, public works employees and others practicing urban and community forestry in Connecticut.
- Develop policies designed to promote progressive and appropriate urban and community forestry programs and practices throughout the state.



Directions to MountainRidge

350 High Hill Road, Wallingford, Connecticut

From I-91 Southbound: Take Exit 15, turn left at end of ramp onto Rte 68, at 2nd light turn left onto Research Parkway; follow Research Parkway to first stop sign, turn right onto Carpenter Lane. At next stop sign turn left onto High Hill Road. Continue straight to Mountain Ridge.

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Continuing Education Credit Hours

CT DEP Supervisory: **3.75** CrHrs **Cat 2, 3A, 3D, 6 & 10**

Certified Tree Wardens: **3.5** Credit Hours

CT Certified Forest Practitioners: **2.0** Credit Hours

Licensed Landscape Architects: Refer to CT DCP, Board of LAs, for current State requirements.

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Conference pre-registration is \$50 per person and must be received by October 16, 2009. Student Registration is \$15. Space is limited. If available, registration at the door is \$55. Lunch is included in the registration fee.

Questions? Please call 860-424-3178

Name _____

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So we can gauge room size requirements, please indicate your preference for the breakout sessions:

Morning: M1 M2 M3

Afternoon: A1 A2 A3

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