

ATC TREE PLANTING PROGRAM



3RD WISCONSIN COMMUNITY TREE MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE



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SPOTLIGHT

Plant trees in your community, the smart and safe way

Awards range from \$100 to \$5,000, based on funding, and will support planting projects for public areas that can be enjoyed by the entire community. Plantings must meet ATC's Community Planting Program criteria and maintenance standards. ATC will not support plans that call for trees to be planted within a transmission line Right of way. ATC encourages plans that incorporate energy efficiency benefits and promote landscaping options that comply with ATC's maintenance standards.

ATC's Community Planting Program is also designed to help support the initiatives of the Arbor Day Foundation's Tree City USA program. ATC has partnered with the DNR's Urban Forestry group to help educate communities interested in learning more about this program.

How to apply

Please complete and mail the included application to:

American Transmission Co.

Attention: Jayne Vanderlin

PO Box 6113, De Pere, WI 54115

Applications are accepted **June 1** through **Sept. 30** each year, and recipients will be selected by the end of the calendar year.

If you have any questions about ATC's Tree Planting Program,

please contact:

Jon Callaway Waunell Trepanier-Friese

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Applications Due June 28th !

3rd Wisconsin Community Tree Management Institute

The Program At-a-Glance

Wisconsin Community Tree Management Institute (CTMI) is a unique training experience designed for municipal staff with tree management responsibilities but without a strong background in urban forestry. The program is ideal for staff who spend just part of their time dealing with trees. CTMI consists of approximately 38 instruction hours and requires students to complete an out-of-classroom project.

Students develop practical knowledge & skills essential for effective management of municipal tree programs. The course focuses heavily on the management side - rather than the technical side - of municipal forestry programs.

Participants also gain:

- enhanced leadership ability
- increased awareness & access to resources
- a support network of peers in other communities

This intensive, interactive training program requires personal commitment, supervisory approval and community support. The payoff is in improved return on the community's investment in its leafy infrastructure!



Dates and Locations

To be accepted into the program, participants must be able to attend **all** three sessions.

Session I November 11-12, 2014, Green Lake, WI

Session II February 24-25, 2015, Green Lake, WI

Session III June 23-24, 2015, Stevens Point, WI

What CTMI Graduates Are Saying

"CTMI was extremely beneficial and will be the cornerstone of our urban forestry program."

"This is the first forestry training I've been to where it's been just for people like me."

"I learned that there's a lot more to this forestry stuff than just trees."

"My co-worker was impressed at how much I learned."

"We all need to learn that our trees are constantly working for us. Being there, and working for us 24/7 they improve our quality of life and the environment!"

Program Cost - \$300

How to Apply for CTMI

For a CTMI application contact the urban forestry coordinator for your region: [Link](#)

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WDNR Forest Health Updates and Publications

- [Northern Region \(May\)](#)
- [Northeast Region \(June\)](#)
- [Southern Region \(May\)](#)
- [West Central \(June\)](#)

UW-Extension/Madison Plant Disease Diagnostic Clinic (PDDC) Update

Brian Hudelson, Ann Joy, and Andrew Pape, Plant Disease Diagnostics Clinic

- [Table](#)

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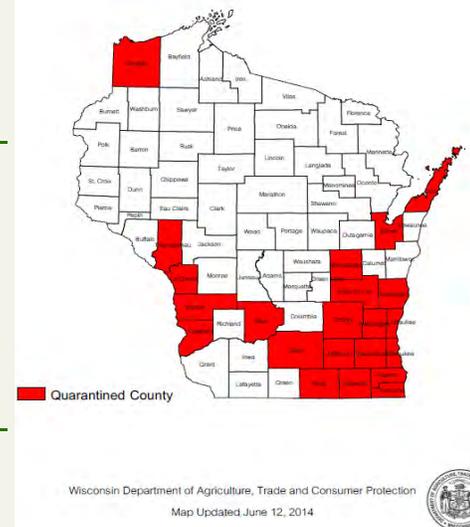
DEBRIS ESTIMATION

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24	=	15 person van
20	=	4 door full size SUV
15	=	Dodge Magnum S.W. (google it)
9	=	std 6'x6'x7' dumpster
5	=	port-o-potty
1	=	dog house

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Emerald Ash Borer Quarantined Counties
June 2014



Whole Tree Volume, Biomass & Other Equations/Tables. [Link](#)

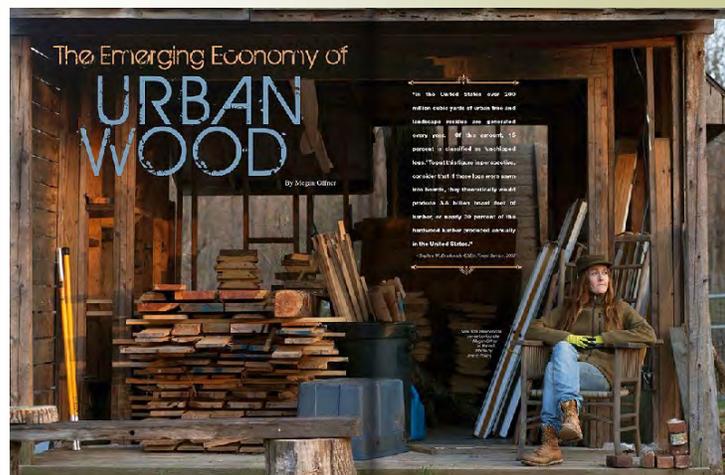
The Wood-Mizer Way

The Emerging Economy of Urban Wood by Megan Offner. [Link](#)

Every Project Need a Lorax

James Urban, FASLA is well known for his skills in the area of urban arboriculture and soil, including the preservation and installation of trees in urban environment and the specification and installation of specialized planting soils for roof gardens, urban landscape plating and rain water management.

In this video, Jim talks about how he went from practicing general landscape architecture to specializing in trees, soils and storm-water, the major influences on his career, his concerns about the profession today—and his hopes for the future. [Link](#)



City of West Bend

West Bend is using social media to get the word out about their Arbor Day Celebrations and Forestry Program. [Link](#)



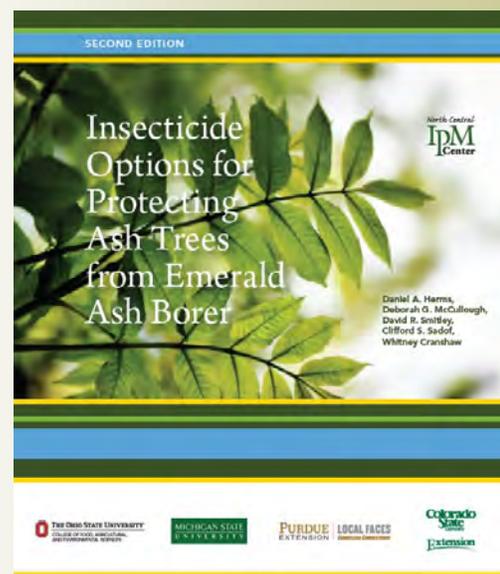
2015 Urban Forestry Grant Changes under Public Comment

Please take this opportunity for participation on DNR Urban Forestry Grant changes for 2015. Follow the [link](#) and scroll to urban forestry to submit comment.

Second Edition Released

Insecticide Options for Protecting Ash Trees from Emerald Ash Borer.

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Always check our calendar at the DNR Urban Forestry Webpage. [Link](#)

Soil in the City <i>Enhancing Urban Soils for Living Landscapes and Healthy Communities</i> Chicago, IL. Link	July 2
Green Roofs for Healthy Cities <i>Grey to Green: A Conference on the Economics of Green Infrastructure, Focusing on Health</i> Toronto, Canada. Link	Aug. 25-26
Forest and Wildlife Ecology Special Topics <i>Tree Risk Assessment and Decay Detection</i> Russell Lab, Madison, WI. Link	Sept. 2 (6 weeks)
Tree Identification and Selection Urban Forest Workshop Link	
<i>Oshkosh, WI</i>	Sept. 9
<i>Appleton, WI</i>	Sept. 16
<i>Green Bay, WI</i>	Sept. 23

Webinars

Street to Store <i>Urban Wood Reuse</i>	June 19, 1:00pm-2:00pm EST
Communicating with Urban Forestry Volunteers <i>UMass Extension. Link input code #517390287</i>	June 19, 12:00pm-1:00pm EST
Growing on Trees <i>Tree Campus USA Webcast. Link</i>	July 16, 1:00pm-2:00pm EST

JOBS

Urban & Community Forestry Coordinator
Florida Forest Service
Tallahassee, FL [Link](#)

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