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Can you name this bug?

Spotlight

WAA/DNR 2015 Annual Conference. January 25-27 La Crosse, WI

Advancing Arboriculture and Urban Forestry Through a Climate of Change

Climbers corner

Development of Climbing Safety, Ergonomics, and Efficiency

Wood Utilization

25 Years of DNR Urban Forestry - Where to Now?

Using Diversity to Reduce the Impact of Exotic Pests

Making Tree Risk Assessment Work For You

Methods of Improving Resistance of Urban Trees to Storm Damage

Pruning Fruit Trees

Strategies and Tactics for Winning the War Against Tree Diseases

Pruning Fundamentals

Crazy Worms

And much, much more!!!



[Conference Brochure](#)

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Specifically Wisconsin

WDNR Forest Health Updates and Publications

- [Northeast Region \(December\)](#)
- [Southern Region \(December\)](#)
- [West Central \(November\)](#)

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

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

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Smart Growth America. Making Neighborhoods Great Together

Over 70 communities passed Complete Streets policies in 2014 and on February 10, Smart Growth America's National Complete Streets Coalition will unveil which ones were the best.

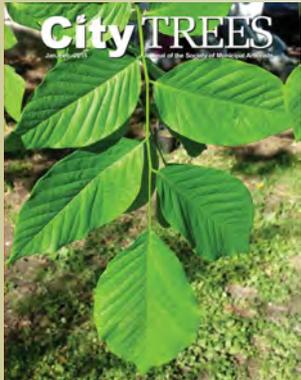
Join us for an online event to celebrate this past year's best policies and to hear how communities everywhere can create streets that are safer and more convenient for everyone who uses them. [Read more](#)



Survey Request. Calling all Urban Forestry

Educators

Researchers are asking urban forestry educators to complete a survey about urban forestry or arboriculture programs and curriculum at institutions of higher education (college, university). Survey results will be published in the *Journal of Environmental Studies and Sciences* in 2015. [Read more and complete survey](#)



CityTrees

The Society of Municipal Arborists is sharing the latest issue of its magazine, City Trees, with everyone. [View it online](#)

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS & WEBINARS

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

WAA/DNR Annual Conference and Trade Show

La Crosse, WI. [Link](#)

Jan 25-27

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Landscape & Grounds Maintenance Short Course Sheboygan, WI. Link	Fridays, Feb 6, 13, 20 & 27
Landscape & Grounds Maintenance Short Course Waukesha, WI. Link	Wednesdays, Feb 4, 11, 18, & 25
Rochester Arborist Workshop Rochester, MN. Link	Feb 19
2015 Shade Tree Short Course Sain Paul, MN. Link	Mar 17-18

Webinars

Emerald Ash Borer Municipal treatment Options
Rainbow Tree Care. [Link](#) Tue, Jan 27 11:00am—12: pm CST

Planning in the Face of Change; an Urban Forestry Webinar Series
The NC Forest Service's Urban & Community Forestry Program is hosting a series of webinars on five topics designed to educate professionals who have responsibility for managing urban forestry assets. Partnering with the NC State University Forestry & Environmental Outreach Program, the webinars will be accessed through the ForestryWebinars.net portal. The webinars will be offered monthly from January to May 2015. Urban foresters, community and civic planners, arborists and urban conservation organizations are encouraged to participate. [Link](#)

JOBS

Community Environmental Engagemnet Coordinator
The Field Museum. Chicago, IL [Link](#)

Community Forester
Ho-Chunk Nation. Black River Falls, WI
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Associate Program Director
Terrestrial Invasive Plants & Pests Center
Minneapolis, MN. [Link](#)

Natural Resources Specialist
City of Shoreview
Shoreview, MN. [Link](#)

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