

Tree Planting

2024 ReLeaf Workshop

MAY 14, 2024

Thornden Park
Thornden Park Drive
Syracuse, NY 13210

Continuing education credits pending approval:
ISA, Planning and Zoning, and CNLP

Central NY ReLeaf Urban Forestry Workshop

Community trees provide a host of environmental, economic, and social benefits, from shade and reduced energy costs to wildlife habitat and increased property values. Since tree planting can be time-intensive and expensive, it's important to plan ahead and use proven techniques to maximize the chances for success.

This workshop will cover proper tree handling and planting techniques for bareroot, balled and burlapped, and containerized trees, as well as the tips, tricks, and pitfalls of each. Attendees will also learn about post-planting maintenance, including structural pruning, which helps ensure the best foundation for the long-term health and longevity of your community trees.

This hands-on workshop is designed for municipal workers, landscape architects, landscapers, and folks looking to properly plant and care for trees in their own back yards.



Program Details

Check-in begins at 8:30 AM.

Program begins at 9:00 AM and runs until 2:00 PM.

Registration includes lunch.

Program Speakers

Ian Crisman – Forester, DEC Climate Forestry Program

Clare Carney – Community Forester, City of Syracuse

Jim Maloney – Arborist, National Grid

Leanna Nugent – Community Forestry Educator, CCE Onondaga

Jeanne Grace – City Forester, City of Ithaca

More Information

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For registration information:

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For information on other upcoming Urban and Community Forestry events:

- on.ny.gov/decurbanforestryevents

Tree Planting Workshop

To register for the May 14 event, visit <https://nysufc.org/releaf-workshops/>.

Space is limited! No refunds will be given, but transfer of registration to another person is allowed. If you must cancel, please email urbanforestry@dec.ny.gov.

Workshop Cost

General public: \$30

Member* rate: \$25

(*Member of a ReLeaf Committee or member of the NYS Urban Forestry Council)

Payments

Payment online with a credit card is preferred, or you may mail a check or voucher after registering online.

If you need an invoice, please contact urbanforestry@dec.ny.gov after registering.

Payments are processed by the NYS Urban Forestry Council. Issues or questions with payments? Contact admin@nysufc.org.

If paying by check, make it payable to: NYS Urban Forestry Council.

New York's Community Forestry Partners

New York ReLeaf

ReLeaf is a statewide program managed by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation's (DEC) Urban and Community Forestry Program (UCF) in partnership with the NYS Urban Forestry Council. ReLeaf brings together professionals and others to share information about our community forests and how to improve them. Volunteer members of ReLeaf include interested citizens, forestry professionals, representatives of environmental not-for-profits, local government officials, and municipal staff.

New York State Urban Forestry Council

The NYS Urban Forestry Council is a not-for-profit organization that advises and assists DEC's UCF in the implementation of statewide urban and community forestry programs.

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