

## ***Maintaining Trees as Part of the Stormwater System***

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### ABSTRACT

There are some basic steps to establish and maintain trees in a productive streetscape, trees that become valued partners in stormwater management. Also, there are some unique management requirements for trees that are growing in engineered soils, those soils that further contribute to stormwater management by providing catch basins or reservoirs and rooting area. This session will review the basic and unique management practices that are critical to cultivating streetscapes and healthy stormwater management systems.