GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE FOR CLEAN WATER: 
TREES, ROOTS, AND THEIR ROLE IN STORMWATER MANAGEMENT 
Thursday, September 8, 8:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m. – MacMillan Auditorium 

Featured Speakers and Summit Highlights 

MARK SEELEY, PH.D., Master of Ceremonies – Extension Climatologist and Meteorologist, University of Minnesota, National Weather Service, and Minnesota State Climatology Office 
DAVID NOWAK, PH.D. – Urban Forest Researcher, USDA Forest Service, Northern Research Station 
GARY JOHNSON, PH.D. – Professor, Urban and Community Forestry, Department of Forest Resources, University of Minnesota 

CONCURRENT SESSION 1: Performance, Design and Engineering – The Technical Aspects of Trees in Stormwater Management 
• Design Considerations for Clean Water and Healthy Urban Trees 
• Maintaining Trees as Part of the Stormwater System 
• Pollutant Removal and Contributions from Trees 

CONCURRENT SESSION 2: Policy and Planning – Tree Inventory, Assessment and Protection 
• Tools for Tree Inventory and Assessment 
• Applying Stormwater Credits for Trees 
• Tree Preservation and Protection through Ordinances 

Tree City Panel – Local elected leaders, city administrators, public works directors, and planners will share perspectives on the use of trees to help achieve clean water goals and sustainable communities. 

Money Does Not Grow on Trees – Update: Clean Water Fund and DNR Community Forestry Bonding Grants 

Tree Give-Away – Courtesy Minnesota Nursery and Landscape Association 

Happy Hour at the Arboretum 5–6 p.m. – Cash bar 

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