Urban Forestry Challenges in Municipalities and Interface areas of Interior BC

Canadian Urban Forestry Network
Pacific Region
FREE Networking event for B.C. Interior

Date: February 5th, 2019

Time: **12-4 pm**

Location:

Coast Kamloops and Conference Centre - 1250 Rogers Way,

Kamloops, BC, V1S 1N5

PROGRAM

Welcome and introduction

Presenter: Mike Larock, Association of BC Forest Professionals

National context to BMP's in Canada's urban forests

Presenter: Michael Rosen, President of Tree Canada and the CUFN

Taking action: the Pacific Region of the CUFN

Presenter: Lanny Englund, Pacific Representative on the National level Network

Steering committee

discussion – building the network for a strong urban forestry coalition

Challenges of growing an urban forest in the Okanagan valley

Presenter: Blair Stewart, Parks, City of Kelowna

Management challenges in rural parks

Presenter: Kristina Flackman and Jared Taylor, Community Parks and Recreation, Columbia Shuswap Regional District

The challenges of educating the multiple stakeholders in an urban forest

Presenter: Doug Houghton, ISA Certified Arborist (Private)

Trees as green infrastructure in our cities

Presenter: Darryl Carlyle-Moses, Thompson Rivers University

Flood and debris flow risk assessment in the urban-wildland interface of the Thompson watershed

Presenter: Mike Simpson, Fraser Basin Council

Key invasive species in urban and interface forestry. Issues, impacts and best management practices

Presenter: Jennie McCaffrey, Invasive Species Council of BC

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Participation includes a light lunch and possibility to receive either ABCFP Professional Development Continuing Education credits, and ISA Continuing Education Units.



