

**5th Canadian Urban Forest Conference
 October 7-9, 2002 ~ Embassy Suites, Markham, Ontario
 PRELIMINARY CONFERENCE PROGRAM**

Sunday, October 6, 2002

02:30-06:30	Registration
06:30-08:30	Welcome Reception

Monday, October 7, 2002

08:00-09:00	Registration & Continental Breakfast
09:00-09:30	Welcome Address & Opening Remarks
09:30-10:30	Keynote Address - Mike Apsey (Canadian Forest Strategy Coalition)
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break
11:00-12:30	Panel Presentation: Urban Forest Planning (European and American Perspectives)
11:00-11:30	European Perspective - Cecil Konijnendijk (Danish Centre for Forest, Landscape and Planning)
11:30-12:00	American Perspective - Robin Morgan (USDA Forest Service)
12:00-12:30	Question Period
12:30-01:30	Lunch
01:30-03:30	Panel Presentation: Cross Canada Check-Up
01:30-01:50	Atlantic - Stephen King (Halifax Regional Municipality)
01:50-02:10	Quebec - Pierre-Emile Rocray (Ville de Montreal)
02:10-02:30	Ontario - Craig Huff (City of Ottawa)
02:30-02:50	Prairie - Sheila Flint (Strathcona County)
02:50-03:10	Pacific - Greg Ward (City of Surrey)
03:10-03:30	Question Period
03:30-04:00	Coffee Break
04:00-06:00	Panel Presentation: Urban Forest Planning - Three Levels
04:00-04:30	Single Tree Level - Peter Kelly (Kelly's Tree Care)
04:30-05:00	Community Level - Mike Allen (City of Winnipeg)
05:00-05:30	Bioregional Level - Gray Merriam (Retired - Toronto, Ontario)
05:30-06:00	Question Period / Summary
06:00-09:00	Exhibitor's Reception, Demonstrations & Exhibit Hall

Please Note: All speakers, topics and times are tentative and are subject to change.

Tuesday, October 8, 2002

07:30-08:30	Continental Breakfast						
07:30-06:00	Exhibit Hall						
08:30-09:00	Introduction to the Canadian Forest Strategy - Mike Apsey (Cdn Forest Strategy Coalition)						
09:00-09:15	Introduction to Workshops - Andy Kenney (University of Toronto)						
09:30-10:30	<u>Workshop A</u> Research	<u>Workshop B</u> Professional Development	<u>Workshop C</u> Community Action	<u>Workshop D</u> Criteria and Indicators	<u>Workshop E</u> Interdiscipl'y Relationships	<u>Workshop F</u> Legislation, Regulat'n & Bureaucracy	<u>Workshop G</u> Smart Growth / Infrastructure
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break						
11:00-12:00	Workshop A (cont)	Workshop B (cont)	Workshop C (cont)	Workshop D (cont)	Workshop E (cont)	Workshop F (cont)	Workshop G (cont)
12:00-01:00	Lunch						
01:00-01:30	Can We Afford Green Cities? - Pepper Provenzano (TreeLink)						
01:30-02:00	Our Heritage of Community Trees - Henry Gerhold (Penn State School of Forest Resources)						
02:00-02:30	Importance of the U.F. in Exotic Pest Surveillance - Rob Favrin (Cdn Food Inspection Agency)						
02:30-03:00	Coffee Break						
03:00-04:30	Reports from Workshops						
04:30-05:15	Ancient Trees: Lessons from Remnants of Europe's Living Cultural Heritage - Ted Green (U.K.)						
06:30-07:30	Reception						
07:30-10:00	Banquet, WHC Awards, Entertainment (Second City Improv - Toronto Troupe)						

Wednesday, October 9, 2002

08:00-09:00	Continental Breakfast		
08:00-03:30	Exhibit Hall		
09:00-09:30	Opening Remarks & Introduction to Concurrent Sessions		
09:30-10:30	Single Tree Session	Community Session	Bioregional Session
09:30-10:00	Planning for Appropriate Genetics - Barb Boysen (Forest Gene Conservation Association)	Making Urban Forests a Planning Priority - James Urban (James Urban Landscape Architecture)	Assessing National Urban Forest Structure, Functions, and Value: Implications for Canada - David Nowak (USDA FS)
10:00-10:30	Selection and Management of Urban Seed Trees - Marshall Buchanan (Neighbourhood Environmental Science and Technology)		Linking Landscapes - Natalie Helferty (NOAH)
10:30-11:00	Coffee Break		
11:00-12:00	Single Tree Session (cont)	Community Session (cont)	Bioregional Session (cont)
11:00-11:30	Technology and Planning for the Single Tree - Lee Schaeffer (Novus Consulting)	Planning for Community Involvement: The Need for Public Awareness, Support and Action - Martha Barwinsky (Coalition to Save the Elms)	The Bigger Picture Project: Cores and Corridor Identification in the Peri-Urban Forest - Pete Sorrill (Natural Heritage Information Centre, OMNR)
11:30-12:00	Planning for Green Infrastructure - Julian Dunster (Dunster & Associates)	The Vanier Sugar Bush: Canada's Urban Forestry Success Story - Mike Rosen (OMNR)	Using GIS to Determine Critical Forest Areas for Protection Based on Desired Community Benefits - Lee Carmon (Northeast Georgia Regional Development Center)
12:00-01:00	Lunch		
01:00-03:00	Single Tree Session (cont)	Community Session (cont)	Bioregional Session (cont)
01:00-01:30	Planning for Old Growth Urban Forest - James Urban (James Urban Landscape Architecture)	Planning for Climate Change - Quentin Chiotti (Pollution Probe)	Peri-Urban Forests and a Functional Approach to Planning - Dale Leadbeater (Gartner Lee Limited)
01:30-02:00	Tree Preservation on Construction Sites - Peter Kelly (Kelly's Tree Care)	Analyzing Schoolyard Heat Islands in the City of Waterloo, ON - Carol Moogk-Soulis (Technical Aids Consulting Service)	Predictive Vegetation Mapping as a Planning Tool - Danijela Puric-Mladenovic (Graduate Student, University of Toronto)
02:00-02:30	Tree Conservation By-Laws as a Tool in Urban Forest Protection - John FitzGibbon (U of Guelph)	Potential Impacts of Nova Scotia Power's "Right Tree in the Right Place" Program - Stan Kochanoff (Environova Planning Group Inc.)	Smart Growth and Urban Forest Conservation - Linda Pim/Gregor Beck (Federation of Ontario Naturalists)
02:30-03:00	The Development and Implementation of a Heritage Tree Evaluation Program in the City of Surrey, BC - Susan Murray (Kwantlen University College)	New Tools and Technologies for Assessing Urban Forest Values - David Nowak (USDA FS)	Building Consensus Among Government, Developers, Landowners, and the Environmental Community - Debbe Crandall (Save The Oak Ridges Moraine)
03:00-03:30	Coffee Break		
03:30-05:00	Closing Session		