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Mississippi Urban Forestry Council
32nd Annual Conference

“Making and Sustaining Livable Communities”

Celebration of Trees
Annual Awards Event
Scenic Communities of MS

Featuring great topics and speakers
to help make your community more
livable:

- Promoting livability with Comprehensive plans and ordinances
- Tree and landscape ordinances
- Making businesses and citizens partners in urban forestry
- Pollinators for Communities and Farms
- Water Quality, Urban Farming

Host hotel – Hampton Inn New Albany
Book by October 23 to get the special
conference rate of \$94.00 plus tax.

November 7 & 8, 2019
New Albany, MS
Magnolia Civic Center



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Agriculture
Natural Resources Conservation Service



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Agenda & Registration

All Thursday sessions are held at the Magnolia Civic Center

Thursday, November 7, 2019

9:00-9:15 a.m. Registration and Welcome: MUFC President and Tim Kent, City of New Albany

9:15 – 10:30 a.m. Keynote Address

How Comprehensive Planning and Good Codes Help Create and Sustain a Livable Community- Bob Barber, FAICP – Orion Planning + Design

Orion Planning + Design was selected by the City of New Albany to develop a new Comprehensive Plan to lead the city into the future. Bob will discuss how a good plan and the right codes can help a community become and stay livable, with lots of references to the conference host city.

10:30-10:45- Morning Break

10:45 -11:30 a.m. – “Creating Partners in Good Landscape Design””, Bob Brzuszek, Professor of Landscape Architecture, Mississippi State University

11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. - Lunch and “Celebration of Trees” Awards Program

1:00 p.m.- 1:45 p.m. – “Developing Effective Landscape & Tree Ordinances”, Dr. Malcolm Guidry, Urban Forester, City of Mandeville, LA. His talk will include how Mandeville and Fairhope, Alabama designed their policies for success.

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. - “UF 101”- Fred Fellner, Assistant Director of Landscapes Services, LSU

2:30 p.m.-3:15 p.m.- “Pollinator and Beneficial Insect Conservation in Communities and on Farms”

Kevin Nelms, Wildlife Biologist, USDA Natural Resource Conservation Service

3:15 p.m.-3:30 p.m.- Afternoon Break

3:30 p.m.-4:15 p.m.- "Urban/Community Forestry and Landscape Resources for Your Home, Business and Community-Urban Farming" – Donna Yowell, Executive Director of the MS Urban Forest Council

4:15- 5:00 p.m. – "Watersheds and Your Communities- Best Management Practices" – Coen Perrott, MS Department of Environmental Quality session (MDEQ)

Friday, November 8, 2019

9:00 –9:30 – MUFC Annual Business Meeting/Continental Breakfast- Magnolia Civic Center

9:45 a.m. – Mobile Workshop: "The Development of the Tanglefoot Trail –Professionals will be on the walk to share their observations - Fred Felner, Bill Hahn (America In Bloom), Dr. Malcom Guidry, Betsy Hamilton and others. (dress comfortable – no more than $\frac{1}{2}$ mile walk total). Tanglefoot Plaza, Downtown New Albany (a 5-minute walk from Magnolia Civic Center.)

Continuing Education Hours Available:

CMO's for elected officials, planners, foresters, arborists, parks & recreation, engineers, Master Gardeners, landscape architects, Urban Forest Masters and others. You must apply for credits through your professional association. Most professionals get around 16 hours of credit. Pre-Approved CEU for Board of Registered Foresters, Elected Officials, ISA Arborist and American Planners Assoc. Others can apply for CEU themselves. 3 CMO for elected officials.

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Are you a farmer? Special Offer to farmers with an FSA number. Bring your FSA farm number and your registration is $\frac{1}{2}$ price (\$37.50). Or you may attend the pollinator presentation for free and register on site.

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Registration Form

You may register by:

1. Mailing the registration form with a check to: Mississippi Urban Forest Council, 164 Trace Cove Drive, Madison, Mississippi, 39110.

2. Submitting a registration form with purchase order number to Donna at Dyowell@aol.com.
3. Calling or texting Donna at (601) 672-0755 to reserve a seat and pay with a credit card.
4. Send a message or reserving your seat on our Facebook page- Mississippi Urban Forest Council
5. You may also request billing or pay at the door.

We ask that you please register by October 23, 2019

Registration Form

Name_____

Affiliate Organization_____

Address_____

Phone_____

Email_____

Method of Payment_____

Conference registration fee

Thursday and Friday, November 7 & 8, 2019 \$75.00_____

MS Urban Forest Council Annual Membership:

Individual:	\$45.00_____
(Bloomtown)Municipal :	\$125.00_____

Exhibitors (One and a half days, includes one registration) \$200.00_____

Sponsors for the event are invited. Sponsorship includes free display, one registration, logo added to outreach material and time to present your product or services. Sponsorship starts at \$500, \$1000 and \$1500.

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Total:_____

Host Hotel: Hampton Hotel, 320 Coulter Cove New Albany, MS , 38652. Special conference rate is \$94 if room(s) are booked by October 23, 2019. Use code URBAN! when reserving rooms.