Trees – The Right Tree for the Right Site – MG Level 2 Training

Even though we need to socially isolate, we can take this time to learn!
And really, a tree is the only thing you can hug right now!

Join us for a continuing education opportunity that focuses on Tree Selection and Site Requirement. This training will include three presentations and a panel discussion. This training is being hosted by UW-Madison Extension Milwaukee County Master Gardener Program in cooperation with the WI MG Program and the UW-Madison Extension Horticulture Program.

When: Saturday, April 4, 2020 -- 9 am to 3:00 pm  Cost: $30 (no refunds)
(A time-line for the day will be sent w/confirmation e-mail)
How: On-line program via ZOOM internet connection.
Participate live or watch the tape at a later time

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Look Beyond Maples. Vijai Pandian, UW-Madison Extension Horticulture Extension Educator Kenosha, Milwaukee and Racine Counties. With the decline of ash trees and overwhelming maples, many landscapes lack in species diversity. Learn about some cool trees that are hardy to Wisconsin and add vibrant colors and textures to your landscape.

Why Do People Plant the Plants They Plant? Human Dimensions in Tree Selection. Jay Dampier, UW-Madison Extension State Horticulture Outreach Program Manager. Rather than focus on what the plant needs from us (or the site), let’s focus on what the consumer needs from the plant.

Site Assessment for Tree Planting. Erik Desotelle, Wholesale Sales Representative Johnson’s Nursery, Inc. How do we ensure that our trees survive the weeks, months, and years after planting? Site assessment is a vital component for successful establishment. This presentation will discuss how we can combine stakeholder preferences with site capacity to ensure our green investments will continue to grow.

Panel Discussion. Wrap up this event by digging in with your questions! Mike Maddox, Outreach Program Manager for the UW-Madison Extension Master Gardener Program, will facilitate a Q & A session with MGVs and the speakers.

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Master Gardener Level Two Training Registration Form (please print)

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Address ________________________________
City ___________________________ Zip ______
Best Phone number to reach you ______________
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