DINNER MEETING LOCATION

Bluebonnet Diner
Northampton, MA
324 King Street (Route 5)
Conveniently located near I-91

In partnership with the Massachusetts Tree Wardens' and Foresters' Association • Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation • UMass Department of Environmental Conservation • UMass Center for Agriculture, Food & the Environment • USDA Forest Service • BluRoc

About the Western Mass. Group

Beginning in the mid-1940's, various regional groups with common interests have been affiliated with the Massachusetts Tree Wardens' and Foresters' Association. These satellite groups were founded to consider subjects of local interest and share solutions to common problems. Widespread geographical locations made it easier for some to participate locally rather than at statewide meetings. The initial meetings have shown there is sufficient interest to revive the western Massachusetts group, to include those in the four western counties of Berkshire, Hampden, Hampshire and Franklin, and maybe some of Worcester County as well. This group encourages an ongoing dialogue among tree wardens and others, including municipal, commercial and utility arborists.

Western Mass. Tree Wardens is a sub-group of the Massachusetts Tree Wardens' and Foresters' Association.

Next Dinner Meeting: June 9, 2020

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Western Mass. Dinner Meeting

ATTENTION
WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS!

Tree Wardens,
Tree Care Companies, and
Utility Arborists
YOU'RE INVITED

Spring Dinner Meeting
Tuesday, March 24, 2020
5:00—7:30 pm

Bluebonnet Diner
324 King Street (Route 5 near I-91)
Northampton, MA 01060

Advance reservations are required

Western MA Chapter—Spring Meeting • Tuesday, March 24, 2020

Dinner Meeting
Tuesday, March 24, 2020

5:00 - 5:15 Gathering
5:15 - 5:45 New Tree Introductions
Mandy Bayer
5:45 - 6:15 Dinner
6:15 - 7:15 Treescape Design
Kristina Bezanson
7:15 - 7:30 Wrap-up and evaluations

Bluebonnet Diner, Northampton, MA
Dinner Cost $30

Meet and network with tree wardens, tree companies, and utility arborists at the spring meeting of the Western Mass. chapter.

TREESCAPE DESIGN
Kristina Bezanson, BCMA
Lecturer in Arboriculture and Urban Forestry, UMass-Amherst

Right tree right place is the mantra for urban foresters; besides soil type, species selection, and infrastructure conflicts, the design is also an element to consider when planning for street trees. Fundamental design principals and tools for streetscape design will be discussed.

NEW TREE INTRODUCTIONS FOR THE URBAN ENVIRONMENT
Mandy Bayer, Ph.D.
Extension Asst. Prof. of Sustainable Landscape Horticulture, UMass Extension

Numerous new tree cultivars and varieties are introduced to the market every year. Features can include improved stress tolerance, disease resistance, improved ornamental features, or alternative size or form. This presentation will review some of the new introductions for 2020.

MCA and ISA credits have been requested.

For more information, call or email
781-894-4759 ● info@masstreewardens.org

$30 per person

To register,
please complete the form below
and send with payment to

MTWFA
P.O. Box 411
Brewster, MA 02631
or **Fax to: 413-315-3454**

Note New Address!

REGISTRATION DEADLINE—March 19

Dinner Buffet: Boiled Ham, Italian Meatballs, Macaroni w/Marinara Sauce, Polish Kielbasa, Fried Chicken Drummers, Fresh Vegetable, Potato Salad, Tossed Salad, Fruit Salad, Sliced Tomatoes, Sliced American Cheese, Assorted Relishes ~ Rolls & Butter ~ Assorted Desserts ~ Coffee, Tea or Milk.

March 24, 2020—Dinner Meeting Registration (deadline 3/19)

Name_____

Name_____

Name_____

Company or City/Town_____

Contact Email _____ Contact Phone (_____)_____

Address_____
Street/Box City State Zip

Number registering_____ (x $30 =) Total Amount $_____

Payment Method

☐ Check enclosed payable to MTWFA

☐ Purchase Order # _____

☐ Credit Card—
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