



Carolina Canopy Workshop

Weathering the Storm: Protecting & Recovering Urban Trees from Hurricanes

8:00 - 8:30 a.m. Registration

8:30 - 9:15 a.m. Hurricane Prep and Cleanup: Wilmington, NC

Aaron Reese, City of Wilmington

What does it look like to prepare a city for a hurricane? What happens after the storm has passed? We will look at the basic preparations taken by the City of Wilmington for the arrival of Hurricane Florence, what the cleanup efforts look like, and what recovery will take going forward.

9:15 - 10:00 a.m. Are You Storm Ready?

Gene Stano, East Carolina University

Preventing the widespread urban forest damage we have seen left by recent hurricanes does not need to involve cutting down all of our trees. Gene will discuss research and techniques for proper planning, pruning, and after care supported by current research and experience.

10:00 - 10:15 a.m. BREAK

10:15 - 10:45 a.m. Storm Recovery from the Contractor's View

Danny VanDevender, Jericho Farms

Danny will discuss lessons learned from Hurricane Florence from a contractor's perspective. He will review what happened during the storm and how to be more effective with recovery planning and setting work priorities.

10:45 a.m. - 12:00 Urban Forest Strike Teams: A Resource for Communities Following a Storm

Seth Hawkins, Georgia Forestry Commission

UFSTs come to the aid of regions where urban forests have been impacted by natural disasters. Seth will discuss how Strike Teams provide tree damage and risk assessments and FEMA public assistance information to these communities.

April 17, 2019

8:00 am - 12:00 pm

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**Questions?
Contact Leslie Moorman
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Registration (Carolina Canopy Wilmington, NC)

Name: _____ Company: _____

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Please check the appropriate box:

EARLY REGISTRATION (before April 11th)

NCUFC member: \$20.00

Non-member: \$30.00

LATE REGISTRATION (after April 11th)

NCUFC member: \$25.00

Non-member: \$35.00

Make checks payable and mail with form to:

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Register online at www.ncufc.org- click on Upcoming Events.