# Agenda

# Presented by John Palmer, BCMA

#### The Scientific, Economic, And Aesthetic Benefits of Trees

Physical benefits

**Environmental benefits** 

Social benefits

Health benefits

Economic benefits

## If Trees Could Talk – The Secrets of Healthy, Mature Trees

Biology and anatomy

Soil Roots Oxygen Stress Native vs. non-native

## **Trees Are Infrastructure: Design Elements That Appreciate**

Placement and value

Benefits

Deforestation By Design™

Structural cells

Planning vs. design

After the job

## **Trees And Site Requirements: Always At Odds?**

Compaction and proctor density

The brown infrastructure

Screened soils: the silent killer

Root myths

Avoidable conflicts

#### Trees That Outlive Designs: After The Project Is Finished

Trees in teacups

Lifespan

Soil volume

Increasing value

Proper structure

#### **Threats To Trees**

Biotic and abiotic

Neglect

An ounce of prevention

Computer modeling risks

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The Tree Course:
Science, Design, and Sustainability

# **Learning Objectives**

#### You'll be able to:

*Identify* the social, economic and health benefits of trees.

**Explore** the effects of using native versus non-native trees in design.

**Consider** tree placement and the lifespan of trees when designing sites.

**Understand** root myths and learn how compaction can affect trees.

**Evaluate** strategies for achieving balance between the tree environment and construction site goals.

**Learn** about protecting trees from threats to their health.



# **HalfMoon Education Online Learning**

# The Tree Course: Science, Design, and Sustainability

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**Learn** about the scientific, economic, and aesthetic benefits of trees

**Analyze** how biology, soil, oxygen, stress and other factors impact trees

**Consider** design elements that incorporate new tree plantings and that preserve existing trees

**Understand** long term design impacts (sustainability, increased canopy) that add value beyond building project lifespan

**Examine** threats to trees and learn how to prevent these threats from damaging trees

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6.5 HSW PDHs

Certified Arborists

6.5 ISA CEUs (more inside)

Foresters

6.5 Cat. 1 Hours





# **Faculty**

John Palmer, BCMA PlanetCare Landscape and Arboricultural Services

Mr. Palmer is a consulting arborist, board certified master arborist by the International Society of Arboriculture, and an advanced tree risk assessor. He is an author, speaker, and trainer, on subjects including The Future of Urban Forestry, Deforestation By Design™, The New Construction Paradigm, and The Leadership Laws of Nature. His focus is on trees in urban and construction environments, soil deficiencies and the importance of soils for sustainable mature trees, increasing urban tree canopies by ensuring trees live to maturity, and unsustainable landscape designs. His areas of expertise include young tree training, proper pruning and planting practices, biomechanics, soil and water management, urban forestry, tree biology, and healthy root system development.

## Here's what past attendees had to say about the program and presenter John Palmer:

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- Fri., Jan. 15, 2021 | 11:00 am 2:15 pm CST

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