



SAVE THE DATES:

March 6 - 8th 2012

Blue Springs, Missouri

The Art and Science of Trees



The Missouri Community Forestry Council
cordially invites you to the 2012 MCFC conference,
The Art and Science of Trees.

March 6th, 7th and 8th in Blue Springs, Missouri.

Tentative Highlights Include:

- David Nowak, US Forest Service, on the Kansas City Regional iTree Eco tree canopy assessment
- Missouri's Livable Streets project
- 20 year inventory trends for 44 cities' street trees
- Challenges with large scale tree planting initiatives
- Exotic tree pest and invasive plant control
- BMPs for planning green infrastructure
- Comparison of management tools available for dealing with large scale exotic pest outbreaks
- Using social media tools to market your programs
- Developing successful volunteer programs

Field Sessions:

- *Branching Out: Trees into Art*
Tour the Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art and discover the incredible impact trees have had on us socially through their use in works of art.
- *Linda Hall Library Grounds Tour*
Tour the fantastic tree population located on the Linda Hall Library grounds with Groundskeeper Scott Reiter.

For sponsorship and exhibitor opportunities,
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