

## Coping with the Costs

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and take control of invasive insects!

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*Registration fees include continental breakfast and break refreshments. Tuesday registration also includes buffet lunch and tram ride on that day only.*

◆SE400. **Tuesday and Wednesday Lecture Series.** Tuesday, Sept 29; 8:30 am – 5:30 pm & Wednesday, Sept 30; 8:30 am – 12:30 pm. Thornhill Education Center. \$120 (Arboretum members \$96). *Registration fees include continental breakfast, break refreshments, buffet lunch on Tuesday, a tram ride on Tuesday, and symposium materials.*

◆SE401. **Tuesday Lecture Series Only.** Tuesday, Sept 29; 8:30 am – 5:30 pm. Thornhill Education Center. \$79 (Arboretum members \$63). *Registration fees include continental breakfast, break refreshments, buffet lunch on Tuesday, a tram ride on Tuesday, and symposium materials.*

◆SE402. **Wednesday Lecture Series Only.** Wednesday, Sept 30; 8:30 am – 12:30 pm. Thornhill Education Center. \$63 (Arboretum members \$59). *Registration fees include continental breakfast, break refreshments, and symposium materials.*

◆SE403. **Emerald Ash Borer Field Trip.** Wednesday, Sept 30; 1:30 – 5:30 pm. Thornhill Education Center. \$49 (members \$40). View local sites coping with emerald ash borer infection, and hear how managers are addressing damage from this insect. *Registration fees include a box lunch and bus transportation.*

Education Program  
The Morton Arboretum  
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Coping with the Costs: The Economic, Social, and Environmental Impact of Invasive Insects on our Communities ♦ September 29 & 30

## How will you survive an insect invasion?

*Fall 2009 Symposium*

### Coping with the Costs:

The Economic, Social, and Environmental Impact of Invasive Insects on our Communities

**September 29-30, 2009**

*Presented by The Morton Arboretum and the U.S. Forest Service*

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## The problem with invasive insects

Invasive insects are eating away our forests. Illinois and many other states across the U.S. are in danger of extreme tree loss due to emerald ash borer, gypsy moth, and Asian longhorned beetle invasions. Federal and state dollars are exhausted and can't assist in the removal of these trees—leaving dead trees standing and our urban forests in peril without the replanting and restoration that's needed.

## The solution

The Morton Arboretum, the U.S. Forest Service, The Nature Conservancy, and Purdue University are providing innovative solutions to manage the population of these invasive insects, minimize further tree loss, and tackle the process of tree restoration, during a two day symposium on September 29-30, at The Morton Arboretum.

The symposium, called "Coping with the Costs: The Economic, Social, and Environmental Impact of Invasive Insects on our Communities," will develop and share strategies for communities facing or anticipating the devastation of invasive pests. Local and national experts will share their advice.

## Who should attend

Mayors, public works directors, city planners, state partners, green industry representatives, green organization members and educators, public, private, corporate, institutional land managers, and interested citizens.

## Why attend

- Receive strategies from local and national experts on how to prepare for invasive insects
- Receive tools from local and national experts on long-term management and restoration
- Gain advice on public and private landowner outreach
- Network with officials and local and national environmental experts

## Tuesday Lecture Series Only

\$79 (\$63 Arboretum members)

### Speakers include:

Chris Canning  
Village President, Wilmette, IL  
Deborah McCullough  
Michigan State University  
Steve Katovich  
USFS, Northeastern Area  
Steve Knight  
State Plant Health Director,  
Des Plaines, IL  
Mike Prouty  
Northeastern Area State & Private  
Forestry, St. Paul, MN  
William Hlubik  
Rutgers University  
Frank Lowenstein  
The Nature Conservancy  
Jody Ellis  
Purdue University  
Coleen Teerling  
Maine Forest Service  
Paul Gobster  
USFS, North Central Research Station  
Cliff Sadof  
Purdue University  
John Parry  
USFS, Northeastern Area  
Marla Eddy  
City Forester, Madison, WI  
Lindsey Purcell  
Purdue University  
David Sivyer  
Forestry Services Manager,  
Milwaukee, WI

## Wednesday Lecture Series Only

\$63 (\$59 Arboretum members)

### Speakers include:

Don Eggen  
Pennsylvania DCNR  
Julie Gould  
APHIS  
Pam Louks  
Indiana DNR  
Al Zelaya  
The Davey Tree Expert Company  
Jessica Simons  
Natural Resources Specialist  
Southeast Michigan  
Joe McCarthy  
Senior City Forester, City of Chicago

## Emerald Ash Borer Field Trip

\$49 (\$40 Arboretum members)

View local sites coping with emerald ash borer infection and hear how managers are addressing damage from this insect. Registration fee includes box lunch and bus transportation.



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Thornhill Education Center at The Morton Arboretum in Lisle, IL

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