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“Norfolk Tree Advisory Board to Host Tree Workshop”



The City of Norfolk Tree Advisory Board will host a Community Tree Information Meeting open to tree board members and other interested city and park tree caretakers in Northeast Nebraska on Thursday, March 31, 2016 at the Elkhorn Lodge at Ta-Ha-Zouka Park in Norfolk, Nebraska. The afternoon meeting set for 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm will be divided into three sessions. There is no fee to attend the meeting.

The first session will be moderated by Steve Rasmussen, Northeast District Forester with the Nebraska Forest Service, and will consist of tree board members from four communities in

Northeast Nebraska telling about their experiences with successful tree promotion projects.

In the second session Graham Erbst, Community Forestry Specialist with the Nebraska Forest Service, will discuss the steps necessary for a community forestry inventory and how the data collected from the inventory can be beneficial to a community.

The third session will be an opportunity for participants to ask questions about community forestry to Rasmussen, Herbst and Pam Bergstrom, Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District Forester.

“All communities are invited to attend the tree meeting, bring their questions and also share ideas on how to promote trees,” said Dr. Tom Surber, chairman of the City of Norfolk Tree Advisory Board.

To register for the information meeting, please email Diane Becker, City of Norfolk Communications Director, at dbecker@ci.norfolk.ne.us or call 402-844-2034.