

VERMONT TREE WARDEN SUMMIT

Saturday, October 5, 2019

9:00am-12:30pm

UVM Extension Office: 327 US Route 302, Berlin

9:00 am Refreshments and registration

Enjoy some coffee and network before the meeting begins. We will start promptly at 9:30am.

9:30 am Welcome & Introduction

9:45 am- 10:30am Overview of Tree Warden Statutes

Elise Schadler, VT UCF Program Manager, will review tree warden statutes and proposed amendments. Tree wardens will share feedback and questions.

10:30am-10:45am Break

10:45 am-11:30am World Cafe

Tree wardens will self-select for two of three small group discussion sessions. The optional topics are: developing a tree ordinance, holding a public hearing, and working with municipal staff.

11:30am- 12:15pm Responding to Emerald Ash Borer

Elise Schadler and Joanne Garton of the VT UCF Program will review community responses to emerald ash borer. Tree wardens will break up into regional groups to discuss further opportunities and action.

12:15pm-12:30pm Next Steps

Tree wardens will provide input to the VT UCF Program determine next steps to support Vermont Tree Wardens.

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