



2021 VIRTUAL TREE PROMOTION MEETING MARCH 10-11, 2021

March 10th, 2021

10:00 NDSSCC/NDSU/DART Information - Aaron Field, Ph. D., Extension Program Coordinator, Soil and Water Leadership Development

11:00 Keynote Speaker – Kenny Miller, 2017 Leopold Award Winner

12:00 Lunch

Trees –

1:15 Insects and Disease – Peter Gäg, Forest Health Manager, NDFS

2:15 Structural Pruning – Doug Wiles, City Forester, Bismarck and Mary O’Neill, Community Forest Specialist, NDFS

Resources –

1:15 811-Public Service Commission – Victor Schock, Public Utility Analyst, ND Public Service Commission

2:15 Soil Limitations –Lance Duey, Soil Scientist, NRCS

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10:00 Honeybees and Shelterbelts – Dr. Joe Zeleznik, NDSU Ext. Forester

10:15 North Dakota Arboretums – Dr. Joe Zeleznik, NDSU Ext. Forester, Steve Ahrenholz, Graduate Assistant, NDSU

10:45 District Arboretums – Susan Muske, LaMoure SCD and Chad Thorson, Burleigh SCD

11:15 Trivia!

12:00 Lunch

Office Management and Outreach–

1:15 Grant Writing – Morgan Hochsprung, Program Manager, NDASCD

2:15 Community Outreach Activities – Jeff Miller, Cass SCD

Resources –

1:15 Technology for Improving Plantings – Chad Thorson, Burleigh SCD and JD Hansen, Oliver SCD

2:15 Soils for Foresters –Beth Hill, Community Forester, NDFS