

2026 Wyoming Tree Academy

Cheyenne, WY

Save the Date
Sept. 16th - 18th



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Wyoming Tree Academy

Featured Speaker

Join us in Cheyenne, Wyoming for the 2026 Wyoming Tree Academy - The Rocky Mountain's premier urban forestry and arboriculture conference. This annual gathering brings together arborists, municipal foresters, tree board members, landscape professionals, students, and community leaders from across the region for three days of education, networking, and inspiration.

The 2026 Academy will feature internationally recognized keynote speaker **Cecil Konijnendijk**, along with engaging breakout sessions, hands-on learning opportunities, and conversations focused on building resilient, thriving community forests in Wyoming and beyond.

Whether you are managing public trees, caring for private landscapes, serving on a local board, or simply passionate about trees, the Wyoming Tree Academy is your opportunity to connect, learn, and grow.

More details coming soon — mark your calendar and stay tuned!



Cecil Konijnendijk is an internationally recognized urban forestry expert with more than 30 years of experience in research, teaching, and advising on urban greening and nature-based solutions. Based in Utrecht, the Netherlands, he co-leads the Nature Based Solutions Institute and has advised governments and cities in more than 30 countries.

Cecil is the originator of the globally adopted 3-30-300 rule for urban greening — a practical, evidence-based guideline calling for every resident to see 3 trees from their home, live in neighborhoods with at least 30% tree canopy cover, and have access to a quality green space within 300 meters.

He is the author of several influential books, including *The Forest and the City* and *Rethinking Urban Green Spaces* (2024), and is passionate about helping communities build stronger connections between people and nature.

Registration & Sponsorship

Pricing

Plant Healthcare Workshop

Before Aug. 14th: \$125

After Aug. 14th : \$150

Main Conference

Before Aug 14th: \$225

After Aug 14th : \$250

Sponsor Opportunities

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Trunk Sponsor: \$1,000

Roots Sponsor: \$750

Seedling Sponsor: \$100 - \$500

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Saluting Branches

2026 - Cheyenne VA

Sept. 16th at the Cheyenne VA

Sign up to volunteer at:

<https://www.salutingbranches.org/>



Contact & Updates

Stay informed about the Wyoming Tree Academy

For inquiries and updates regarding the **Wyoming Tree Academy 2026**, please contact Jacob Mares at [_jacob.mares@wyo.gov](mailto:jacob.mares@wyo.gov). Remember, the **full agenda and event details** will be released soon, so stay tuned for more!

Coming Soon...

- Workshop Details
- Conference Agenda
- Speaker Bios
- Afterhours Events



2026 Cheyenne, WY

Join us for this meaningful day of service as we give back to those who have served

We're proud to once again partner with Saluting Branches for a volunteer tree care event at the Cheyenne VA Medical Center. We are especially proud to see the Cheyenne community come together for this much-needed work, providing professional tree care and landscape improvements in honor of our veterans.

Volunteers are encouraged to sign up early at salutingbranches.org to reserve their spot — and to make sure they receive an event shirt. If you have questions or would like more information, please contact Pete Veinbergs at (307) 763-6880.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- Arborists
- Foresters
- Municipal Staff
- Landscape Pros
- Veterans
- Students

Sept. 16th

Cheyenne VA

Medical Center

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